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ALEX'S GARAGE
Welcome Wendy !
Here are your results:
 Wendy Liston
 2008 Land Rover LR2
 View Notes15
Current Recommendations
Please approve these additional services:
$524.60 +tax
OIL LEAK REPAIR: Vacuum pump assembly update replacement and cleaning
See Details Approved by phone
Past Recommendations
Outstanding services still pending your approval:
$489.16 +tax
Rear brake service
See Details Declined by Wendy
Jump to Grand Total
Work Order
The following services are already in progress:

    Address battery draw$287.50

Vehicle would not start. Customer has been unhooking the battery when parking
LABOR
initial inspections and observations
continued diagnosis and observations/ testing
extended diagnosis: close-circuit current-draw testing and sleep-mode circuit/s
INSPECTIONS
battery negative terminal loose on arrival.
test battery on arrival. ....OK. @ ~94% static charge capacity
dated from 9/2019
Tighten battery terminal as needed and attempt starting...OK. drove into workshop
area.
"CHECK ENGINE" warning light flashing while moving into workshop
[pending fault scan]. SEE NOTES < detailed info w/ attached screen shot.
Charging system check at idle. OK *~14V DC)
noted: power locking system seeming inoperative.
no power lock activation via key-fob remote OK from driver lock-cylinder
CHECK: static current draw from battery after vehicle locked and in sleep-mode for
confirmation of suspected battery drain...
initial state. 0.100 to ~0.080mAh draw continued 0.080mAh draw after >30min (locked
via key-blade in driver door [THIS DOES NOT SEEM LIKE DRASTIC ENOUGH OF DRAW TO BE
DRAINING THE BATTERY WITHIN A MATTER OF DAYS. weeks, maybe]
parked vehicle outside of workshop for extended observation
will recheck for possible battery drain in a few days
came back after ~3.5 days and battery was completely drained
jump starter ok with booster pack and drove into workshop. Re-Charge battery as
needed
additional testing found 0.100mA - 0.080mA draw after vehicle locked and sleep mode.
after some extended observation and no development of excess battery draw; unlocked
and opened drivers door. then noticed {AFTERMARKET} Rear-view camera screen active
(ignition was not cycled on). ~1.2A draw at this time. Closed and locked
door...1.1Amp draw remained. Unplugged rear-view camera and draw dropped to ~0.320mA
it is suspect that the controller for aftermarket rear-view camera is intermittently
erroneously activating while vehicle is OFF
Total: $287.50
 2. Inspect fluid leak$46.00
LABOR
INSPECTIONS
CONFIRMED: Leakage observed at underside engine area.
appears to be engine oil originating from above at rear of engine
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Engine oil level / condition check on arrival. OK, full / clean.
Inspection determined oil leakage to originate at vacuum pump assembly.
UPDATE REPLACEMENT OF VACUUM PUMP ASSEMBLY + CLEANING RECOMMENDED
Total: $46.00
 3. DIAGNOSE: ROUGH RUNNING ON START-UP$511.00
LABOR
extended diagnosis and repair: {upper} intake manifold-runner position-flap actuator
replacement
PARTS
OEM Flap actuator unit, Intake Manifold (UPPER)
1.0 @ $223.50
$223.50
INSPECTIONS
initial performance check: smoke test & leak inspection. PASS / OK.
see notes
Performed conventional diagnosis and ignition system inspections...no cause of rough
running malfunction could be immediately determined
Per Technical service bulletin: PCM programming issue is suspect cause of cold-start
rough running
Performed PCM software reflash update programming and check for further possible
cold-start rough-running symptom...
programming completed successfully. Rough running and intermittent misfire detection
continues further diagnosis needed
Total: $511.00
 4. OIL LEAK REPAIR: Vacuum pump assembly update replacement and cleaning$524.60
LABOR
Remove and replace vacuum pump assembly and associated mounting seal with new /
updated
clean upper and lower engine areas of oil leakage accumulation after completion of
repairs as needed for future inspections
Peirburg OEM Vacuum pump assembly
1.0 @ $365.60
$365.60
HAZMATS AND FEES
shop supply, Chemical / cleaning
1.0 @ $21.00
$21.00
Total: $524.60
Notes
$ 524.60
+tax OIL LEAK REPAIR: Vacuum pump assembly update replacement and cleaning
Approved by phoneSee Details
Matt C. | Alex's Garage
4/21/2020 03:41PM
Initial battery / electrical inspection:
battery tested OK on arrival at ~94%.
negative connection found to be loose and would not easily tighten up.
dry corrosion on terminal.
sprayed contact cleaner and re-secured connection as needed.
charging system output voltage OK at idle.
performed closed-circuit current-draw test..."ok" <0.100mAh after >30minutes
(locked).
parked vehicle outside of workshop for further / extended observation.
Matt C. | Alex's Garage
4/21/2020 04:40PM
NOTED: engine running rough on start up. two separate times, while moving into and
out of workshop. "Check Engine" malfunction indicator light FLASHING.
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Attached screen shot. current PCM faults stored. Cleared fault memory at this time.

Engine running smooth after initial warm-up phases. "check engine" light stayed OFF.

Matt C. | Alex's Garage

4/21/2020 04:42PM

after some extended observation and no development of excess battery draw; unlocked and opened drivers door.

then noticed (AFTERMARKET) Rear-view camera screen active (ignition was not cycled on). $\sim 1.2 \text{A}$ draw at this time.

Closed and locked door...1.1Amp draw remained.

Unplugged rear-view camera and draw dropped to ~0.320mA

it is suspect that the controller for aftermarket rear-view camera is intermittently erroneously activating while vehicle is ${\tt OFF}$

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4/30/2020 02:41PM

Attached pic. Bypassed fuse found while trying to isolate 0.330mA draw

Pulled 15amp fuse (F19 in passenger fuse panel. for "seat adjustment, suppose to be 5amp) and draw drop by $\sim 0.130 \, \text{mA}$

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5/1/2020 12:37PM

closed circuit current draw on fuse F26 (tan/5Amp) for "diagnostic socket. ther e is nothing plugged in to diagnostic socket.

draw drops by .020mA.

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5/1/2020 01:12PM

additional extended observation of closer-circuit current draw:

fuse F1 (5amp) in passenger fuse panel for "rain sensor" w/ by-pass for inverter supply to aftermarket "dash -cam" rear-view mirror UNPLUGGED.

VEHICLE ENTERED SLEEP MODE AFTER ~30 MINUTES WITH CURRENT DRAW <0.080mAmps. "normal".

essentially, confirmation that the aftermarket dash-cam rear-view mirror electronics are source of battery drain

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5/1/2020 02:09PM

ensure battery state-of charge: @ 100% (803CCA or 800 rating)

DASH CAM POWER SUPPLY FUSE HAS BEEN LEFT UNPLUGGED.

reconnect battery and move vehicle out of workshop for over-weekend battery retention observation test.

recheck starting and battery state on Monday/Tuesday

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5/1/2020 02:11PM

CHECK: Engine starting after sitting 3+ days. OK.

engine started without hesitation of starter or battery.

drove into workshop area.

ROUGH RUNNING ON START-UP CONTINUES.

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5/5/2020 10:42AM

Rough running diagnosis notes:

smoke test intake air system and inspect for possible leaking related to rough running condition.

0.040 orifice leak test PASS / OK.

Minor leaking observed at intake boot on throttle body (lower forward engine area). inconsequential.

And

leakage from area of vacuum pump. Correlated to known issue as noted during oil leak inspection (see above notes)

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5/5/2020 10:44AM

re scan engine management system for current fault codes related to rough running condition....attached screen shot.

clear fault memory at this time and run engine for observation of misfire detection data-stream

active misfires indicated at cylinder #2.

Remove spark plug for inspection

and

swap ignition coil #2 to position #4, respectively.

run engine for further misfire detection observation....active misfire detection for cylinder #2 continues

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5/5/2020 11:00AM

Relative compression comparison for cylinders #2 and #4. OK ~180PSI +/- 10psi.

Misfire detection for cylinders #2 (and intermittently #3) continues during initial start-up.

engine runs smooth after ~ 1 minute at idle.

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5/5/2020 11:23AM

^ PCM programming issue is suspect.

correlated to stored fault code PO50B "cold start ignition timing performance" malfunction.

Pending technical consultation: PCM reprogramming MAY resolve this issue

PER Manufacture TSB:

"Situation:

During a cold-start, the engine may experience a poor idle condition with the possibility of Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTC) PO50B / PO50E and PO61A being stored in the Engine Control Module (ECM). This may be caused by the engine target idle speed calculation being too low.

Action:

In the event of a customer concern of the above, refer to the Repair Procedure outlined below to update the ECM software.

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5/5/2020 12:48PM

performed PCM update

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5/5/2020 02:25PM

^rought running issue persistent.

further diagnosis determined: upper intake manifold runner-flap actuator is jammed open.

Causing excess intake air induction at idle.

Attempted to remove actuator...very difficult due to jamming (stuck open. wedged inside manifold). Extracted flap actuator as needed for replacement with new.

Matt C. | Alex's Garage 5/7/2020 01:55PM

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Approved Grand Total Expected total price including approvals, supplies, and sales tax \$1369.10 Back to top