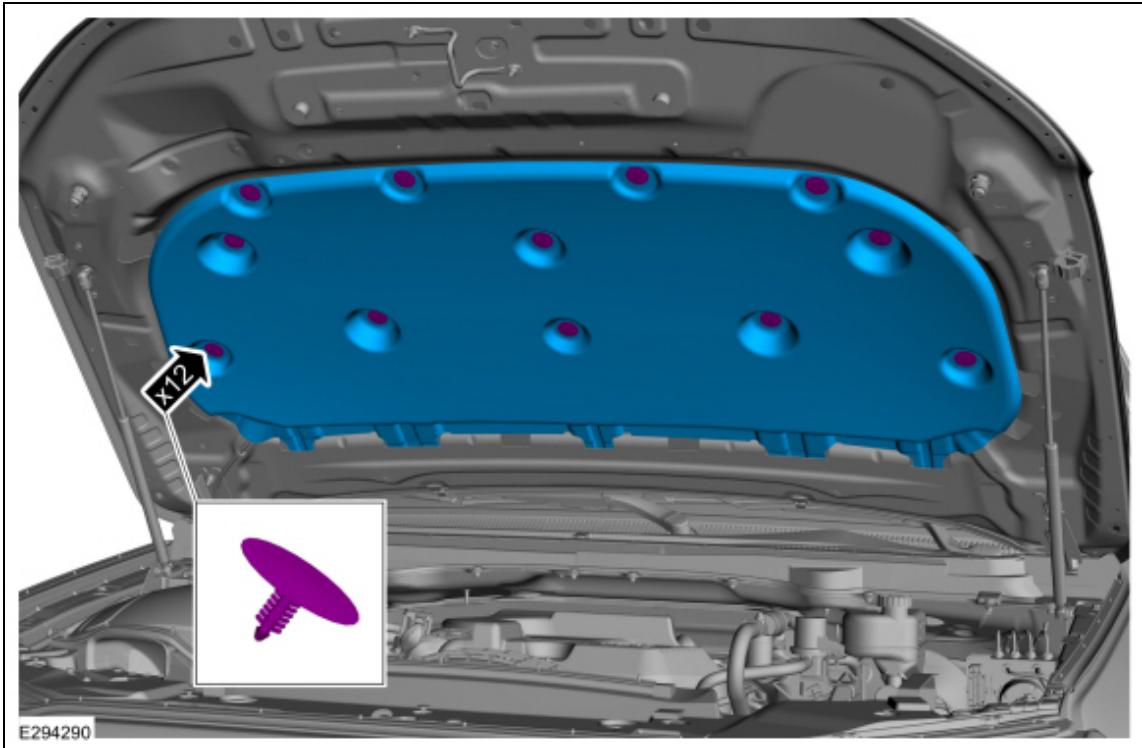


Hood

Removal

NOTE: Removal steps in this procedure may contain installation details.

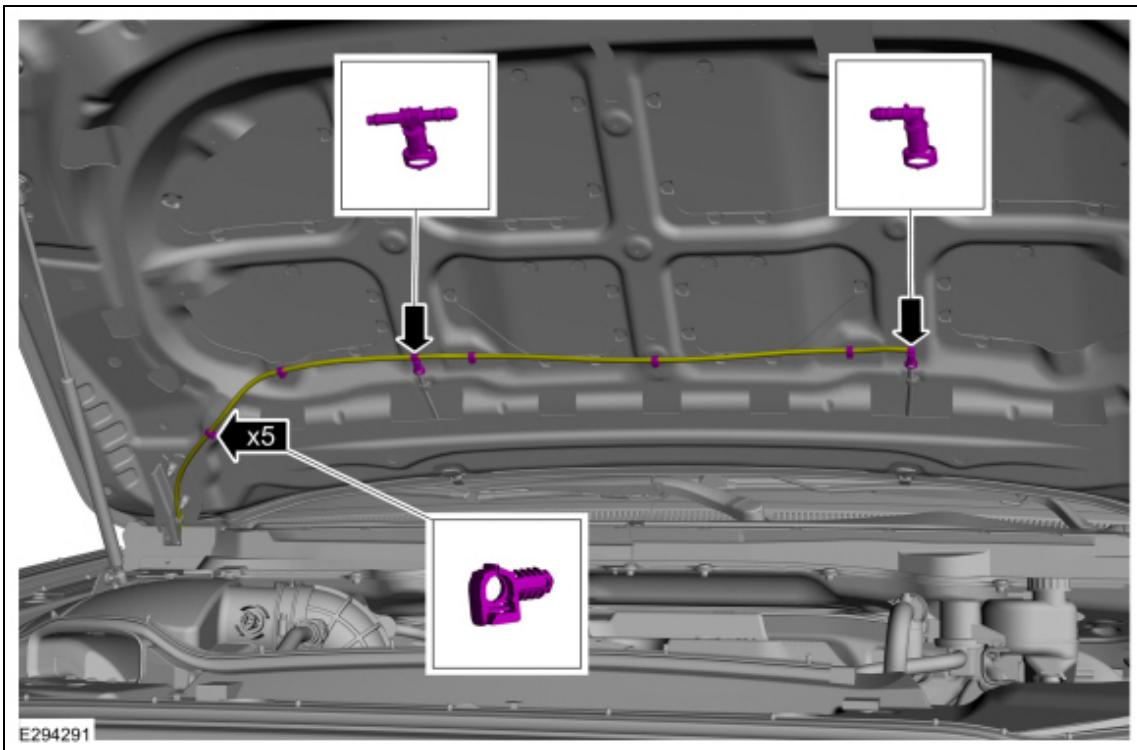
1. Remove the retainers and hood insulation.



2. Detach the retainers and disconnect the windshield washer hose.

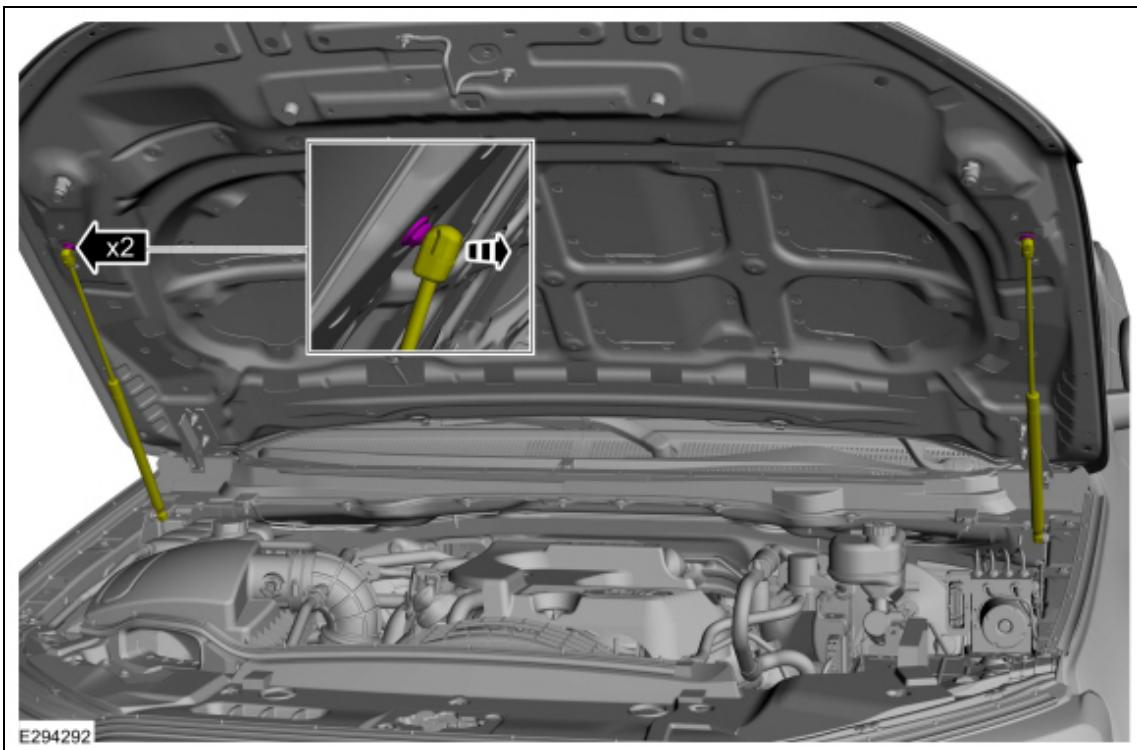


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3. **NOTICE: Support the hood before removing the strut. Failure to follow this direction may result in damage to the components.**

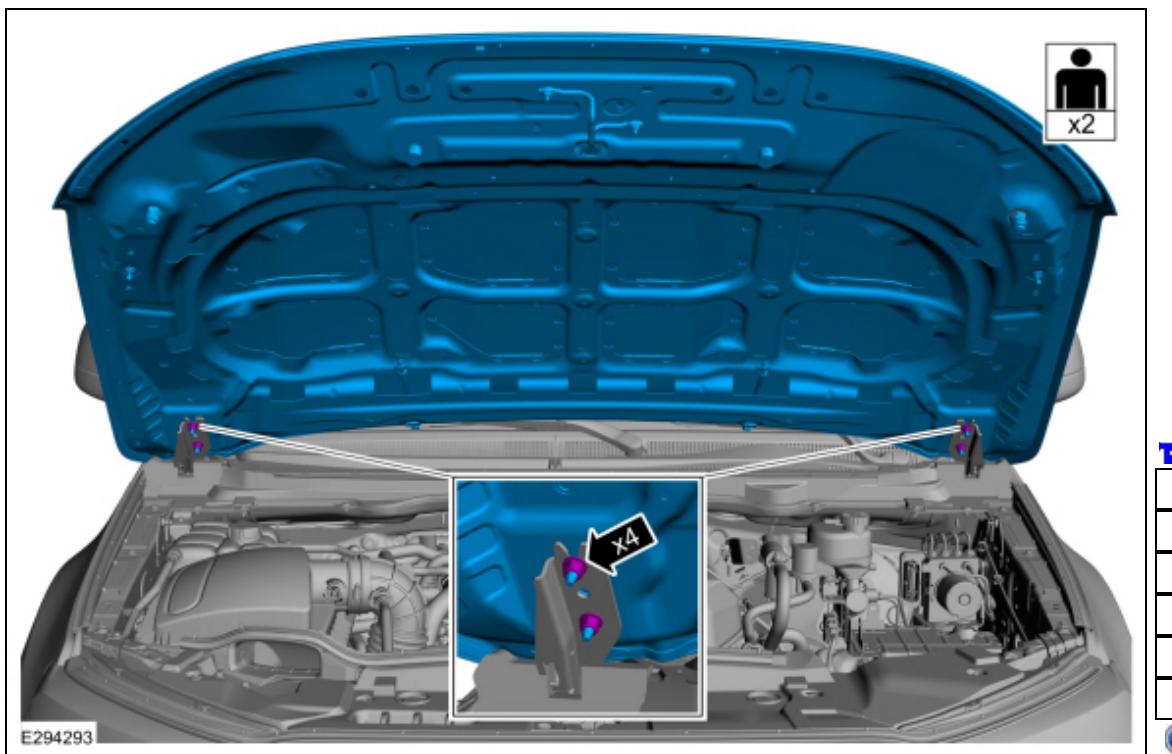
Release the clips and position aside the struts.



4. **NOTE: An assistant is necessary for the removal of the hood.**

Remove the nuts and the hood.

Torque: 18 lb.ft (25 Nm)



Installation

1. To install, reverse the removal procedure.
2. Check the hood alignment. Align the hood as necessary.
Refer to: [Hood Alignment](#) (501-03 Body Closures, General Procedures).

