

OPENING THE HOOD

Most drivers seem to want to open the hood by <u>stretching up and pulling it open</u> from the front. Do you know that <u>pushing is almost always easier than pulling</u>? To push open the hood, come around the side of the truck, <u>step into a wide</u> <u>stance and push the hood open with your legs</u>. This is much safer than going to the front and overstretching yourself to pull the hood open. If you have a tight muscle somewhere in your back, you may come to know it quite personally if you strain it and it causes you a back injury. <u>Compare the two methods and you will</u> find that pushing beats pulling almost every time!

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