

Built-in Driver Backrest for the **Burgman 650** (2012 and Older)



A driver's backrest that becomes part of your seat. No bars in the way of the driver's hips and legs or passenger's legs. Folds forward to ease passenger getting on or off and adds to safety by getting out of the way in sudden stops. Includes up and down height adjustments, as well as driver seating position, back and forth, to help driver sit upright to avoid slouching, a big factor in driver fatigue.

Backrest is concaved and pivots at the top of bar as you lean against it so no uncomfortable edges dig into your back. Well padded with foam, but only 1 1/2" thick which takes up less seating room than most other driver backrests. Comes with a handy pouch and shoulder strap to enable conversion to a shoulder bag.

**INSTALLS IN MINUTES WITHOUT TAKING OFF SEAT COVER !**

We also have backrests available for most other motorcycle stock seats.  
 We strive to closely match the material and stitching on each seat.

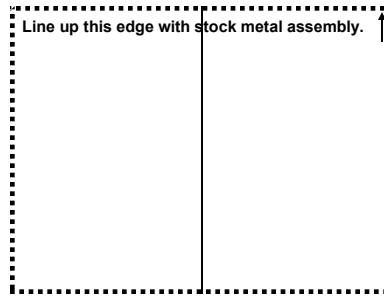
**Available options:** *Upper Bar Cover; For passenger who would feel more secure with padded bar..  
 Quick-Out Bar; Seldom needed, but available when frequent removal of backrest is desired.*

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**Utopia Built-in Driver  
Backrest Installation for the  
Burgman 650.** Follow these  
step by step directions, viewing  
procedures in these pictures.

“First” remove Seat and Stock Ad-  
justable Pad as instructed below.

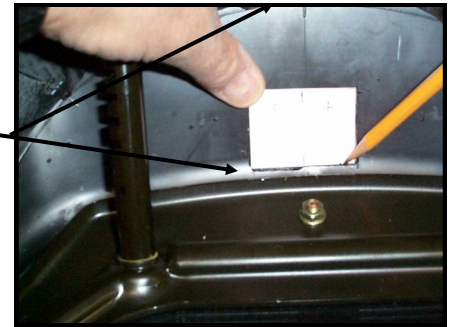


Read all instructions, then  
cut out template. Use in  
step 2.

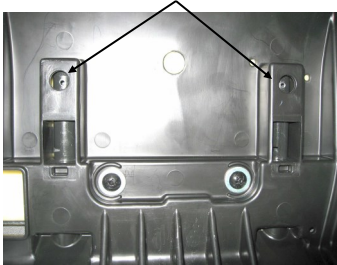
With the backrest posi-  
tioned as far back as it  
will go toward the rear  
of the seat...Remove the  
SMALL Black Phillip  
head Screws located in  
holes shown, that are in  
the tubes attached to  
the stock pad. (Shown with  
screws already removed)



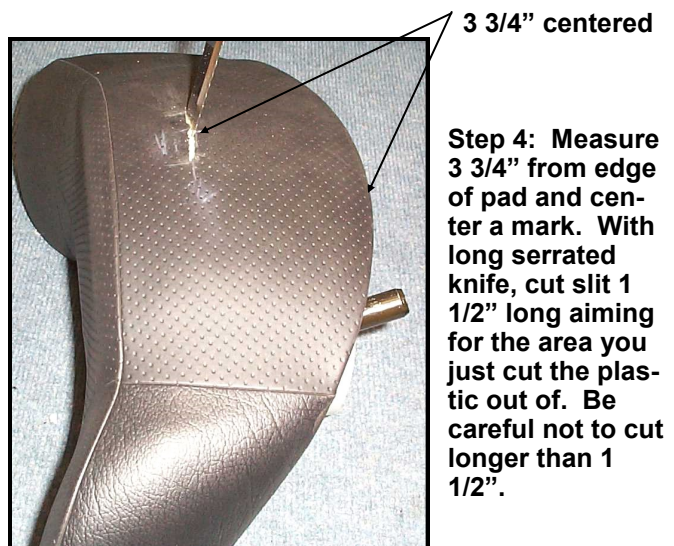
Step 1: With staple puller or  
straight edge screw driver,  
remove staples and vinyl  
backing on stock pad, that  
you just removed from seat  
and discard.



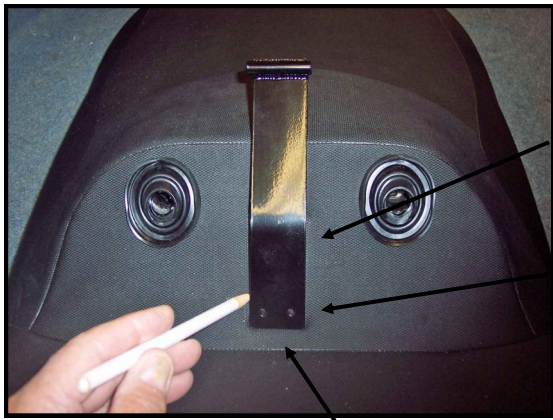
Step 2: Center template 4 3/8" from edge  
of pad to bottom of template. Mark  
around template with pencil or pen.



Step 3: With new blade in box knife, or  
cutter of choice, carefully cut out plastic  
in area you just drew. (Too deep will cut cover)



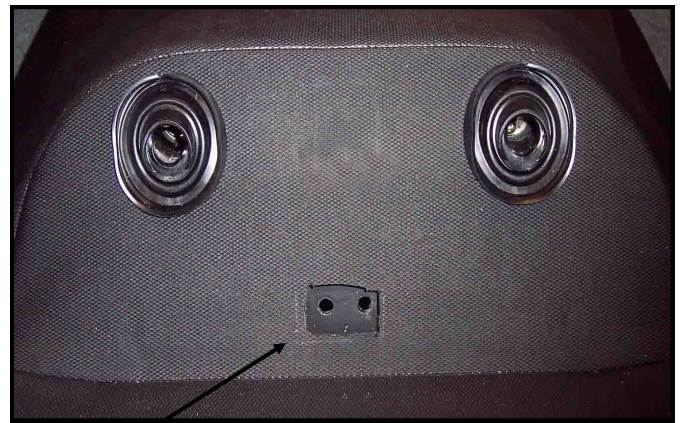
Step 4: Measure  
3 3/4" from edge  
of pad and cen-  
ter a mark. With  
long serrated  
knife, cut slit 1  
1/2" long aiming  
for the area you  
just cut the plas-  
tic out of. Be  
careful not to cut  
longer than 1  
1/2".



Ridge under cover here.

Mark around bottom up about 3/4" on each side.

**Step 5:** Using inside bar as template, rest small extension on back of bar on ridge of seat, centered on seat as shown. With pencil or marker mark around the bottom of bar onto seat cover.



**Step 6:** Cut cover away from area you just marked. Place inside bar back on ridge, center, and mark the holes in bar onto seat base. Drill holes marked with 9/32" drill bit.

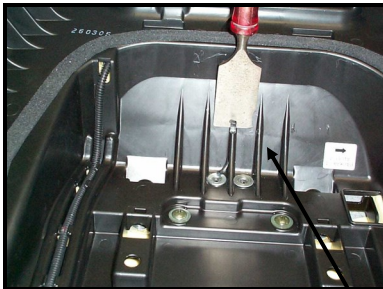


**Step 7:** From bottom of stock seat pad, push inside bar into the slit you made in step 4. Make sure the tube on inside bar is facing the front of stock pad and the small extension is toward the rear. Push helping the tube extend through slit you made in cover on top. Stop about 1" above cover for now.



**Step 8:** Apply Peel and Stick Boot.

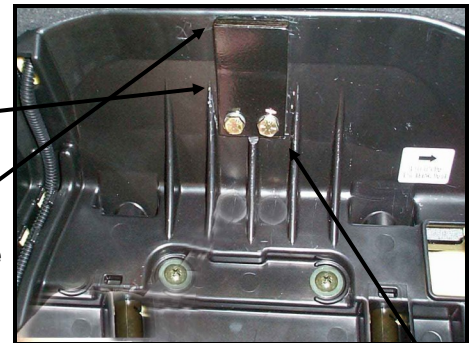
Push stock pad back into seat, all the way to back position. Will no longer be able to use adjustments on stock pad.



**Step 9:** With sharp wood chisel, remove about 1" of center ridge, just below the holes you just drilled, to allow anti-flex bar to rest in area.

Anti-flex bar

Make sure top of bar is not above the ridge of seat.



**Step 9:** With seat upside down, push down on seat forcing inside bar to slide in place. Line up holes, placing anti-flex bar in place, insert bolts supplied into holes and tighten into threaded holes in inside bar.

**Step 10:** Finally, install bar attached to pad to tube now sticking out of seat. Slide in 2 1/4" bolt furnished and install and tighten nut. Make tight enough that backrest will stay in place, but will still hinge back and forth.

*Install seat and take a ride!*

