Billet Fox Body Door Handles (79-93)

Remove the Phillips screws retaining the inner door panel.

Remove the retaining clips on the lower part of the inner door panel.

Route the window controls off of the inner door handle.

Carefully lift the inner door panel off of the door.

Remove the Phillips door handle retaining screw.

Slide the handle forward to remove it from the door.

Turn the handle clockwise to unhook the control rod.

The removed assembly.

Position the door handle assembly in a vice, or on a socket. Using a flat head screwdriver or punch and a small hammer, tap out the door handle retaining pin.
Once the retaining pin is almost out, remove it the rest of the way with a set of pliers.

The disassembled assembly.

On some years, filing of the radius in the circled area may be necessary to ensure smooth operation.

Position the new billet handle in place. Tap the retaining part way into the top hole.

Place the spring in place and tap the retaining pin all the way through the handle. Verify proper handle operation and reinstall the handle assembly in to door.