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December 2020 Updates

Legislative Report

(Note: As of the writing of this report, the election results are still pending. The results likely will have been confirmed by the time you read this report so please check the official election results website, www.sos.gov, and the Legislative section of ABATE of WA website for updates.)

Everything seems to be a little different this year, (and coming January) including our legislative efforts at the Capitol. We will not be allowed to have our dedicated day in Olympia this coming January 2021. It has been confirmed through our contacts at the Capitol that they have canceled our Black Thursday event at the Capitol for January 21, 2021. However, even though our Black Thursday will be different from previous years, we are still pursuing our legislative efforts. This coming January starts the first half of our legislative biennium and we have three Bills that we will be pushing this session...



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State Coordinators Report



Members,

We are making history with the Pandemic. As the pandemic continues, our events and runs are taking a hit. At the state level we are trying to manage the budget and keep ABATE on track so that when this all ends we can go back to work on our Legislative issues and events. At this time the restrictions are becoming worse. The rate of sickness is increasing according to the media. Ask yourself where you would go if I had a bad fever and a cough. What Hospital? You can check in, but you might not be allowed to check out. Sobering thought. Stay healthy.

Legislative Helmet repeal and lane sharing are the big ticket items this year. Louise Bentley is working the bills at this time. The bad news is we are waiting for word from Capitol Services to see if we have access to the campus. At this time we will receive our notice of cancellation on Dec 20th, no ride in, no Columbia room, no appointments. Not good news. Just the facts.

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Local Chapter Reports



Sky Valley Chapter Report

"Sky Valley now has 80 members in good standing. We are currently combining the Motorcycle Show meetings with our second-Tuesday-of-the-month Chapter Meetings at least until January."

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North Kitsap Chapter Report

"The Holidays are upon us and the North Kitsap ABATE Toy Run is turning into the North Kitsap ABATE "Holiday Family" toy drive. We will be gathering toys for children of all ages and accepting donations to provide families with some Holiday Cheer."

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Pacific County Chapter Report

"Naselle. Pacific County Chapter had our November meeting on the 1st. The membership heard the Report from the BOD Meeting. The proposal to go to a digital Freedom Newsletter was not well received. 25% of our membership is made up of people who don't have email, or communicate digitally."

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Key Peninsula Chapter Report

"Wreaths Across America at Retsil in Port Orchard will be happening soon also, so keep an eye open for that. Contact Michael Shoemaker if you'd like to donate for the purchasing wreaths. He's on Facebook & I'm sure he'd be happy to take your money to help out"

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East Pierce Chapter Report

"We had our elections in September, and all officers except treasurer remained the same. A heartfelt



Elk Country Chapter Report

"Due to the Governors COVID lockdowns, our meeting place at the Moose Lodge has been forced to close

thanks to Chuck McNeal for his 2 terms as treasurer, and congratulations to Willy Gordon who has stepped up as our new treasurer!"

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once again. But members have stepped up, and we will have our December meeting at Sam & Jennifer Smith's home on Davison Rd. just west of Morton. "

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Spanaway Chapter Report

Let's all hope 2021 is a better year. I for one am ready for a new start. I have sent a letter to the State BOD for consideration for Billy Dee Hunter becoming a Lifetime member of ABATE. I have attached the following and would ask each of you for your consideration and support.

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Columbia Gorge Chapter Report

November is gratitude month! Many things to be grateful for!!

Friends, family, and the brotherhood of Abate!! Riding season in the Pacific Northwest is winding down. Our chapter here in Goldendale had a very successful Veterans Day parade!!

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