

ABATE of Nebraska Inc.

Right To Ride

**November
2023**

Welcome Back D11!!



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Promoting Safety!
Safeguarding Rights!

ABATE of Nebraska Inc.

**To Those that Concede,
No Injustice is done. . .**

PO Box 22764 Lincoln, NE 68542

Rambling's from the Road ...

I have to say I'm proud ... Proud of the old timers working with the new folks coming on board. Proud of the new folks taking on leadership roles and excelling ... I am very proud to see a new district get formed! We need more of those! If you are at all interested please contact your district representative or myself. We have a lot of open ground that needs representation.

We did have a great Board meeting in October and we will have lots to discuss at Lobby Day more information on that coming. We want to make sure everyone is on the same page to goals and ideas for the future of our organization. We have a chance to turn the corner now and work on some other issues we all have been talking about. We do need to set priorities however or we will all be pulling in different directions.

Next Board of Directors meeting will be at 1st Avenue Social hall in Lincoln on January 21st at 4pm. We will have Lobby day on the following Monday ... be at the Board meeting to get informed on what we expect at Lobby day.

It seems like this summer and the riding season has really just slipped by ... I got in a few rides but nothing like usual. I hope you did and will still be able to ... After all it is Nebraska ... still hoping and half expecting sunny day and warm on Jan 1 when we get the opportunity for the first time in 35 years to ride legally without a helmet. I cannot thank enough those folks that have been on the front lines working this, working campaigns, walking streets and making phone calls for senators. We won because of you ... no barstool jockey or nay sayer in the background made that happen ... you did.

Don't give up ... keep it up and more wins will follow.

In this issue:

Stay safe, enjoy the ride and get to meetings ...

Newsletter

"keep the shiny side up!"

Rogue

Newsletter

Secretary

Todd C. Miller

State Coordinator

ABATE of Ne Inc.

402-440-8756

LB 138 takes effect Jan 1, 2024

UPCOMING EVENTS

**PLEASE CHECK WITH THE DISTRICT REP TO MAKE SURE
THE FUNCTION HAS NOT BEEN POSTPONED**

November 2023

- 1 D11 Meeting Kabo bar beatrice 7:30 pm
- 4 D15 Meeting Keystone, Plainview 2pm
- D12 Meeting Good Times Wauneta 2pm MT
Lunch before @ 12:30 CT
- 5 D6 Meeting Grant Street Bar 1pm
- D7 Meeting Geneva VFW 1:30pm
- 8 D2 Meeting 1st Ave social hall 7pm
- 18 D4 Meeting 3pm The Greenhorn, stanton
- 25 D2 Polar Bear run (see flier)

December 2023

- 2 D15 Meeting Gateway Bar Dakota City @ 2pm
- 3 D6 Meeting Junior's forgot store 1pm
Food drive for foodbank
- D12 Meeting Longhorn Southerland 2pm ct
Lunch 11:15 am MT windy gap Paxton
- 13 D2 Meeting TBA 7pm
- 16 D4 Meeting 3pm Monroe Tavern, Monroe

January 2024

- 13 D4 Meeting 3pm Tavern, Genoa
- D12 Meeting VFW Imperial 4pm
Xmas party pot luck and games to follow!
- BO
- 21 D Board Meeting 4pm, 1st ave. social hall
- 22 Lobby Day TBA 9:30 am Capital grounds
- 27 D4 5pm Chili / soup feed

February 2024

- 16-
- 18 D2 Lincoln Motorcycle Show (see flier)



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SHARE THE ROAD INSTRUCTORS

Get a hold of anyone of these great folks to get a 1 HOUR presentation set up for your group or organization.

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If you wish to become a Share the Road presenter, contact the State Office



Nebraska Motorcycle Rider Training Sites and Info

Nebraska Motorcycle Safety Training

Sarpy County Law Enforcement Center (L.E.C.)
(N.E. corner of Hwy 370 and 84th St.)
1208 Golden Gate Drive
Papillion, NE 68005
Contacts: Pam Marek, [402-593-1564](tel:402-593-1564)
Website: www.sarpy.com/sheriff/safetyprogram/
Register on-line at <http://stop.sarpy.com>

Central Community College - Hastings Campus,

550 S. Technical Blvd
Hastings, NE 68901
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Nebraska Safety Center

University of Nebraska - Kearney
227E West Center Building, UNK Campus
Kearney, NE 68849
Contact: [308-865-8256](tel:308-865-8256) or [1-800-854-7867](tel:1-800-854-7867) Ext. 2
Email: motorcycle@unk.edu
Website: www.unk.edu/motorcycle

Nebraska Safety Council

3720 Folkways Blvd Ste. 201
Lincoln, NE 68504
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Email: bprochaska@nesafetycouncil.org
Website: <https://www.nesafetycouncil.org/index.php/driving/motorcycle-training>

Southeast Community College-Lincoln Campus

8800 O St.
Lincoln, NE 68520
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205 NW 40th St.
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Website: www.northeast.edu/

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North Platte, NE 69101
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Western Iowa Tech Community College

Box 5199
Sioux City, IA 51102-5199
Contact: Call [1-712-274-6449](tel:1-712-274-6449) to schedule a the Basic Motorcycle Riders Course
Website: www.witcc.com/ (Course information is only available by a phone call)

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Omaha, NE 68116
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Polar Bear Run

Sponsored by

ABATE of Nebraska

District 2



Saturday November 25, 2023

All funds collected will go to the

Seniors Foundation— located in Lincoln, NE

Help the elderly in need have a great Christmas this year!

Start 9:30 am— WC's Sports Bar

2109 NE-2

\$10 per person / \$15 per couple

Suggested Donation

1st stop— The Garage

5551 S 48th St

2nd stop—Watering Hole East

8300 Northwoods Drive

3rd stop— Hubby's Timeout Bar

2741 King Lane

Ends at—1st Avenue—last bike in 4pm

2310 North 1st St.



For More Information Contact Heather Anders— andersheatherc@gmail.com

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38th Annual ABATE District 2 Lincoln Bike Show

February 16th, 17th, 18th, 2024

Friday 5pm to 10pm

Saturday: 9:30am to 8pm

Sunday: 10am to 5pm

Cruisin' Through the Cosmos!!

Daily Admission: Friday \$10, Saturday & Sunday \$15

Weekend Passes \$25 (only available Friday evening at the show during show hours)

Children 12 & under free w/paying adult

\$\$ Cash Awards \$\$

Best Individual & Best Group Displays

1st place—\$250 2nd Place—\$100



For more information:

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Lancaster
EVENT CENTER

84th & Havelock
Lincoln, NE

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Assistant State Coordinator

We have a current opening for Assistant State Coordinator—Position can be as involved as you have time for. We need help and the more hands the better. Ideally this person needs to be willing to visit other Districts, visiting with members (not just Board members) and reporting back to the state on the concerns that not everyone talks about in meetings. No experience necessary, just a desire to learn and listen. I need officers with their own minds and ideas willing to talk them through, whether or not there are differences of opinion. Working together to find common ground will bring a better organization for everyone. I do not plan to do this job forever and it's about time someone learned what is all involved ... If interested contact me anytime, leave a message, I will get back with you—Rogue

State Legislative Officer

Peak riding season is quickly coming to a close. It's been a very eventful summer for all of us involved with Abate. From our victory at the Capitol in June, learning the details and getting that information out to our members and other interested parties, to taking the safety course to ensure we are in compliance come January 1. All that can be listed in one category : PREPARATION.

Just like we have prepared for the changes in the new law, we must make the same preparation for the next legislative session. At the last board meeting our legislative priorities were mapped out so we can all proceed in the same direction as one voice for the motorcyclists of Nebraska. The only way we can accomplish our goal is the maintain a motorcycle friendly majority in the legislature. How do we do this? By staying in contact with our elected representatives and working to strengthening those relationship through dialog and support for them either in upcoming legislation they may support or help campaigning in future elections. Staying in contact will also allow you to get their insight on rumblings on the capitol floor. I saw Sen. Briesie is resigned from the legislature yesterday. He has been a supporter and I feel we wouldn't have gotten out of committee last session without his support. Any members living in Leg. Dist. 41 should reach out and thank him for his support and wish him well in whatever his future holds. Also, keep an ear out for who may be throwing their hat in the ring to replace him.

I've heard it said that nothing is going on legislatively when the unicameral is not in session. Nothing could be further from the truth. This is when we can lay the groundwork for success in future sessions.

Happy Thanksgiving to all you and yours!

Thanks,
Randy Geer
State Leg. Rep

News From Around the STATE!

District 2

The days are getting shorter. The days of optimal riding weather are becoming fewer and farther between. Hope you are all able to get out and get some two-wheel therapy when mother nature allows. Always remember, this time of year farmers are harvesting and critters are on the move. Use added precaution when riding in rural areas cause chances are looking for motorcycles is not on high on either of these groups priority list.

Our Polar Bear Run is coming up at the end of this month. Heather and Joe have been working hard putting all the pieces together. We have one more meeting to finalize details and make any last minute changes. I'm sure any help you can give or auction items you can get collected would be greatly appreciated. It's a lot of work to put this on and as I've said before " many hands make for light work".

I would like to thank Kerrie and the other folks in Beatrice for coming together and reviving District 11. With the BOD allowing Gage county to be redistricted from D2 to D11, this allows D11 to have a larger population base to draw members from to help sustain it. Best of luck moving forward.

Our next meeting will be at 7pm on Wednesday, November 8th in the First Avenue Social Hall in Lincoln. Come join us and help us work to protect the rights and improve the safety of motorcyclists throughout the state. Until then...

Enjoy the Ride
Randy Geer
D2 Rep

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News From Around the STATE!

District 3/8 No Report!!

District 4

Meeting held at Bos West in Columbus
Meeting called to Order
Pledge n Moment of Silence
Thanked the people and Bos for attending
Erik gives message
Secretary Report
Treasure Report
Membership Report Norfolk area people are decreasing
Report towards the Senators
MRF Event -MOM this coming weekend
Safety and Awareness cooler weather and harvesting time
RTR/Web get the news in a timely manner
Old business-postpone Oct run to focus on other events coming and assist Guardians of the Children
Food Drive boxes and banners put together to place and hand out
New Business -Bogue asked for assistance with GOC Donation events
Dons Bar in David City to become a Sponsor again
Jan and Julia create the letter to hand for asking for Donations from businesses for our Annual Chili Soup Feed Fundraiser
Next year have a booth at Mikes Auto for Safety Event for children
Simple Events in summer time
Next meeting Alices in Creston Sat scheduled but moving it to Sunday at 3 due to game.
Cassie Sprague
Meeting adjourned

District 5 No Report anyone interested in taking over this district contact state asap!!

District 6

ABATE minutes District 6 October 1, 2023, after the Toy Run at Stocks and Bonds

Called to order by Jon Kelly - we did not have flag so skipped the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for our fallen brothers and sisters and those serving in the military.
Jon announced we are still in need of a District Secretary- Michelle Pace handling in the interim
Treasure Reports by Laura Ganapini: No Report today singed in 28.
Thank you to Belinda Brejnik for organizing the Toy Run this year. Her and Marni Ites did a great job getting the word out for the event.
And Thank you to the Stocks and Bonds 8528 Park Drive Omaha, for being a supporting business and opening on a sunday for our Toy Run and October Meeting. Greatly appreciated.

Membership reported by Sue Chadwell 177 active 79 inactive members.
State BOD is October 15th - they will be discussing helmet bill adjustments and corrections

50/50 - skipped, instead we gave away tickets for chance to win a 50.00 bill with each toy donation. Two winners- 50.00 was donated back to the Salvation Army.

Saddlebag winner: not present.

Rick Pace motion to adjourn and second by Alaina Nightmares Madsen

NEXT MEETINGS :

November 5th @ Grant Street 8919 Grant Omaha at 1pm

December 3rd @ Junior's Forgot Store at 1pm 11909 Calhoun RD Omaha. This will be the Food drive bring cash, check or dry foods this is also appreciation lunch so Pizza lunch is provided for membership attending.

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News From Around the STATE!

District 7

ABATE DIST 7 OCTOBER 1ST, 2023 MEETING MINUTES

David Stuelpnagel called the meeting to order at Side Treks in Harbine. All stood for a moment of silence for our fallen brothers and sisters and for those serving in the Military. All remained standing to recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes from the September 2023 meeting were approved as read.

Treasurers Report-

- General Fund - Get to a meeting
- Safety & Awareness Fund - \$821.60

Membership Report-

- Active – 149
- Inactive - 49

Renewals sent out from the state for October –

Randy Pospicil, Mike & Sherilyn Stuebe, Roger Vocasek, Bart's Bar & Grill, and Tooleys.

Membership Drive Report –

Adam Allison – 2, Shelly Dunkin – 1, Kitty Edwards – 4, Curt Schuerman – 5, Dee Schuerman - 3, Dawn VanEperen - 2, Randy Pospicil - 1

Legislative Report –

N/A

BOD Report –

N/A

MRF Report –

Meeting of the Minds was September 22-23 in Harrisburg, PA. The HR190 bill passed the house. US Dept of Transportation announced the initial steps to establish the Motorcycle Advisory Council, they will coordinate and advise Secretary of Transportation, NHTSA, and FHWA issues of concern to motorcyclist safety barriers, road designs, construction, maintenance practices, architecture, and implementation of intelligent transportation systems technology.

Safety & Awareness Report-

Tips for a safe autumn motorcycle ride: appropriate tires, dress in layers, remember rain gear, watch the falling leaves, inspect lights, make yourself visible, and watch for wildlife. Stay safe!

Old business-

- Toy Run Chili Feed – October 21st – flyers and signup sheet for food and balloon prizes are available, see Maggie. Still need donations. Beer raffle tickets available – see Dee Schuerman.
- October 14th – Social gathering at Holiday Inn in Kearney at 6pm – bring munchies (no crockpots) and BYOB in meeting room. October 15th – BOD meeting with bloody Mary bar - same place.
- Yard signs still available – only 5 left – \$7 - see Maggie

New Business-

- Toy Run Chili Feed – need to decide on times for set up on Friday 10/20/23 and clean up time on Sunday 10/22/23. Shelly motioned to set up at 6pm Friday and clean up at 10:00am Sunday, Adam 2nd, all were in favor.

Open Discussion-

50/50 Raffle Winner –

Shelly Dunkin - \$17 – she donated it back.

Next meeting – Sunday November 5th - 1:30pm at Geneva VFW on the bar side. Come early for lunch buffet - ends at 1pm. We will present the check and toys to Blue Valley and take picture for newspaper.

Adam Allison motioned to adjourn and Curt Schuerman 2nd, all were in favor, and meeting was adjourned.

SHELLY DUNKIN

ABATE DIST 7 RECORDING SECRETARY



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News From Around the STATE!

District 9 No Report!! Want to run this district?

District 10 No Report!! Want to run this district?

District 11 Welcome Back!!

Board of Directors
Abate of Nebraska
All Districts



Dear Board of Directors:

Thank you all for the warm welcome over the weekend. More importantly, thank you all for voting and giving us the opportunity to become part of District 11. Not only was there so much wonderful knowledge giving, the offer of support was unbelievable. I personally am very excited for this adventure and I believe this District has so much potential. I can tell you that the officials we have so far are already enthusiastic about all the different things we can do for Abate. We are excited to promote safety and we definitely want to fight for our rights. As for the District, we hope to keep some of the old members, honor the ones lost, and bring in the new. Also, a thank you to whoever came up with the idea of adding Gage county, then came down to Beatrice and talked to us. Some of us didn't really know exactly what Abate stood for and after we found out we were sold on the idea.

We already have a great group of people signed up and our 1st meeting will be Wednesday November 1st at 7:30 pm at Kabo bar. Thanks again!

Sincerely,
Kerry Carney

Please welcome District 11 , Kerry and the new members ... Rogue



District 12

So there I was; just getting by.
Wrapping up some fall poker runs is always a great time.
Nov 4 will bring us the fall raffle winner.
Christmas shopping kicks off soon, get with Dangerous Deb if you'd like to be involved.
Other than that there's not a lot to report on as we continue to Move Forward- Brad

District 13

District 13 members met on Sept. 30 at the Gathering Spot in Alliance.
Treasure's report was read and approved.
Winners of our hog raffle were chosen. Congrats to Jeff Jensen and Nate Simmons.
Questions were asked of rider requirements for the helmet bill and I could only give limited info as of now.
I'll try to have more input at the next meeting.
A planning meeting for next year's bike runs will be held on Oct. 22 at Redz Bar and Grill in Mitchell, Nebr.
The tentative date for our next Lost Brothers run is June 15 or June 22, 2024.
The next District meeting will be Oct. 28 10am at the Gathering Spot.
Be safe out there, Steve Benzel-District 13 Rep.

PS ... I am desperately seeking an editor for the Right to Ride and Webmaster ... If you are interested, submit a concept web page and or publication to rtr ... it could use a fresh pair of eyes.

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News From Around the STATE!

District 14—No Report

District 15

Oct 7 Thomsen's Corner Osmond, NE

The meeting was called to order at 2:07 with 23 members present. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and a moment of silence was had for all fallen brothers and sisters and those in the military.

Secretary read the minutes from the Sept meeting,

Membership – 2 renewals this month and 3 new supporting businesses in Wayne, The Max, Good 'Nuff Bar and Wayne Eagles

Inventory – about the same as last month. Supporting business shirts for the quilt have been passed on to Brent. We very much appreciate Cindy doing this.

PR – BOD meeting is Oct 15 in Kearney with a social gathering the night before at the Holiday Inn in Kearney. Dist 4 has info for the hotel posted on their Facebook page. The next 2 meetings are Nov 4 at Keystone Bar in Plainview at 2pm. The box for the food drive will be taken to 812 in Creighton after the meeting because they don't open until 4. The Dec 2 meeting is at Gateway Bar in Dakota City at 2pm. We need to schedule the Dice Run. Birthdays and anniversaries were announced.

Safety and Awareness – Passed around an article about a motorcycle accident in Norfolk. It's that time of year where we need to watch for deer while riding. Also, be mindful of left turns while behind farm equipment.

Legislative – Nothing new with the changes to the helmet law. The path we are hoping for is in the article by Todd in the RTR for Oct. If you are having people ask you questions and you don't know the answer, don't be afraid to call Caleb, Nate or Summer. The next basic rider course at NECC is in March. The exact date is unknown right now. James from NECC was at the meeting and answered questions about the riding course.

Old Business – Discussed the design of the billboard and the changes we want made.

We are changing the name of pack the backpack to Totes for Teachers. Tabled until Nov meeting.

New Business – Need to schedule Dice Run. Tabled until Nov meeting.

Business cards to hand out with information on ABATE website and D15 facebook page would be helpful in recruiting new members. A motion was made, seconded and approved to spend up to \$300 for double sided business cards for this purpose.

Chili Feed – The district will spend \$1000 on the raffle. We are purchasing a gun and the balance will be a cash prize.

Door Prizes – Joe, Nate, Cara, Dave S

50/50 - Summer

Caleb's Corner

Hey All, If you missed my article last issue, it's on D15 Facebook page. Sometimes when you hit send it doesn't send. Naturally, the one time I didn't check if Todd got it, he didn't get it! I did get a bunch of responses. That's nice when you get a comment on an article, good or bad, at least it's getting read. I think after my article has been out a week on the RTR I will continue to post it to the D15 Facebook page.

We at D15 are working with a local company on a 30 x 10 Lighted Billboard on a major U.S. highway. This has been exciting. Searching different companies, finding the best available locations, trying to get the design perfect, writing a Big check and hoping this sign makes a difference. The biggest problem with a group design is not everyone is going to agree and that's ok. That is why we vote. We have members that are pumped about this sign. We have members that are indifferent and going with the flow. We have members that think a billboard might be wasting money. That's why everyone gets to be heard and the majority of the group can make the best informed decision. What's truly awesome is when after the dust settles, we all remain friends and continue to help the motorcyclists in Nebraska. Hopefully, by the time you read this, the billboard will be up! I'll send photos to the next issue.

Until Next time!

Caleb Bierman

District 15



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Safety article — Trauma Kits

Motorcycling is not just a mode of transportation; it's a passion and a way of life for many. The exhilaration of the open road, the feeling of freedom, and the connection to the world around you are all part of the appeal. However, as much as we love the thrill of riding, it's important to remember that motorcycles can also be inherently risky. Crashes can happen, and when they do, being prepared is crucial. This is where trauma kits for motorcycles come into play.

The Importance of Trauma Kits

A trauma kit for motorcycles is a specially designed medical kit that contains essential supplies to address injuries and provide immediate first aid in case of an accident. These kits are indispensable for several reasons:

1. **Rapid Response:** Motorcycle accidents can lead to various types of injuries, from minor scrapes to severe trauma. When you have a trauma kit readily available, you can provide immediate assistance to the injured rider or passenger until professional help arrives.
2. **Minimizing Blood Loss:** Severe bleeding is one of the most life-threatening consequences of motorcycle accidents. Trauma kits often contain tourniquets, hemostatic agents, and pressure dressings to help control bleeding and prevent excessive blood loss.
3. **Airway Management:** Maintaining an open airway is vital for an injured person's survival. Motorcycle trauma kits may include tools like pocket masks or airway adjuncts to help you manage an injured individual's airway.
4. **Fracture Management:** Motorcycle accidents can lead to fractures and dislocations. Trauma kits typically contain items like splints and bandages that can be used to immobilize and support fractured limbs, reducing the risk of further injury.
5. **Personal Safety:** These kits are not just for the injured; they can also protect the person providing aid. By having the necessary supplies in a trauma kit, you can minimize the risk of infection and ensure a safer environment for both the injured person and yourself.
6. **Remote Locations:** Motorcyclists often venture into remote and less populated areas where professional medical help may be some distance away. Having a trauma kit can make a significant difference in these situations.

What to Include in a Motorcycle Trauma Kit

While the specific contents of a trauma kit can vary, here are some essential items to include:

1. Sterile gauze pads and bandages for wound dressing.
2. Adhesive tape.
3. Tourniquets or compression bandages.
4. Hemostatic agents to control severe bleeding.
5. Pocket masks or other airway management tools.
6. Splints for immobilizing fractures or dislocations.
7. Scissors and tweezers.
8. Disposable gloves.
9. Antiseptic wipes or solution.
10. Emergency blanket for maintaining body temperature.
11. Small flashlight or headlamp for visibility during nighttime accidents.



Keep in mind that you should customize your trauma kit to your specific needs and level of training. Additionally, regularly check and restock the supplies to ensure that they are in good condition and ready for use.

Conclusion

Motorcycle riding can be an incredible and thrilling experience, but it's essential to recognize and prepare for the inherent risks involved. Accidents can happen, and when they do, a well-equipped trauma kit can be the difference between life and death. By carrying a trauma kit on your motorcycle and knowing how to use it, you can contribute to your safety and the safety of your fellow riders. Riding safe isn't just about the thrill of the journey; it's about being prepared for the unexpected and ensuring that you can continue to enjoy the open road for years to come.

“keep the shiny side up!” - Rogue

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News from MRF!

NHTSA Looks at Fuel Standards

Soon, the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) will close its public comment period on proposed rule changes to the corporate average fuel economy (CAFE) for cars and trucks. Under the proposal, the corporate average fuel economy (CAFE) standard would rise from 49 mpg in 2026 to 58 mpg in 2032.

The key part of this is that under the CAFE standards, manufacturers get credit for each electric vehicle they sell in a model year, improving the average fuel economy of all the vehicles sold that year. By setting standards so high, NHTSA is knowingly pushing manufacturers to electric vehicles.

This action by NHTSA is the third in a string of maneuvers by the Biden Administration and its allies to eliminate the internal combustion engine. In April the MRF reported on Environmental Protection Agency plans to limit tailpipe emissions, designed to ensure that all-electric cars make up as much as 67 percent of new passenger vehicles sold in the country by 2032. This is in addition to the plans in California, which will require all new cars sold in that state to be zero-emissions.

While motorcycles are not included in these proposed standards, the writing is on the wall. The attack on the internal combustion engine is underway. The Motorcycle Riders Foundation submitted comments to NHTSA this week on the proposed rules. To read the comments submitted by the MRF to NHTSA go to the MRF website.



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Act Surprised

When nothing

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7	DOUBLE B BAR AND GRILL	402-243-2446	102 SOUTH MAIN	TOBIAS	NE
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District 6

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District 15

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SPIDE'S CONSTRUCTION
DICKS, DUANE

District 12

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RELIABLE AUTO
TWISTED WRENCH

WILLARD, KIRK "HARDTAIL"
CRUISE, KIT



To Those that Concede No Injustice is done !

Live it, Breathe it ... I am so tired of those Barstool managers telling us in ABATE how it should be done. I cannot fathom how it eludes them that if you sit there and do nothing you are just as guilty as those legislators that put these laws in place we hate ... helmet laws, noise restrictions, handlebar restrictions ... You got an idea ? Get off your barstool and get to a meeting and help us make it a reality ... do not expect any changes if you are not willing to make them

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TEN WAYS TO KILL ABATE



- 1. Don't come to meetings.**
- 2. If you do come—come late.**
- 3. If the weather doesn't suit you—don't come.**
- 4. If you do attend a meeting—find fault with the work of the officers and other members.**
- 5. Never accept an office—it's easier to criticize than to do things.**
- 6. Nevertheless, get sore if you are not appointed on a committee or certain function: but if you are appointed—do not attend the committee meeting or function.**
- 7. If asked by an officer to give your opinion on an important matter, tell him you have nothing to say—after the meeting tell everyone how things are done.**
- 8. Do nothing more than is absolutely necessary; but when other members roll up their sleeves, willingly and unselfishly using their ability to help matters along—howl that the organization is being run by a clique.**
- 9. If your area is struggling financially and is in need of support—be sure to muster all the help you can to vote against any action requiring more money.**
- 10. Don't bother about new members—let the other fellow do it.**

“Achievers are successful because they form the habit of doing those things that average people don't like to do. Building a team is building a Habit!”

By Frank Conard, ABATE of CA, FL and OH,

I was given permission to reprint this from Michael Infanzon, Frank's son. I do not know how old the print is but it rings very true and should be a warning to all of us ... I have seen this more often than not in my tenure with ABATE at nearly every meeting or event ... there is always one ... Don't let the one ruin it for the rest.... And for F's sake Don't be the One!

Rogue

“keep the shiny side up”

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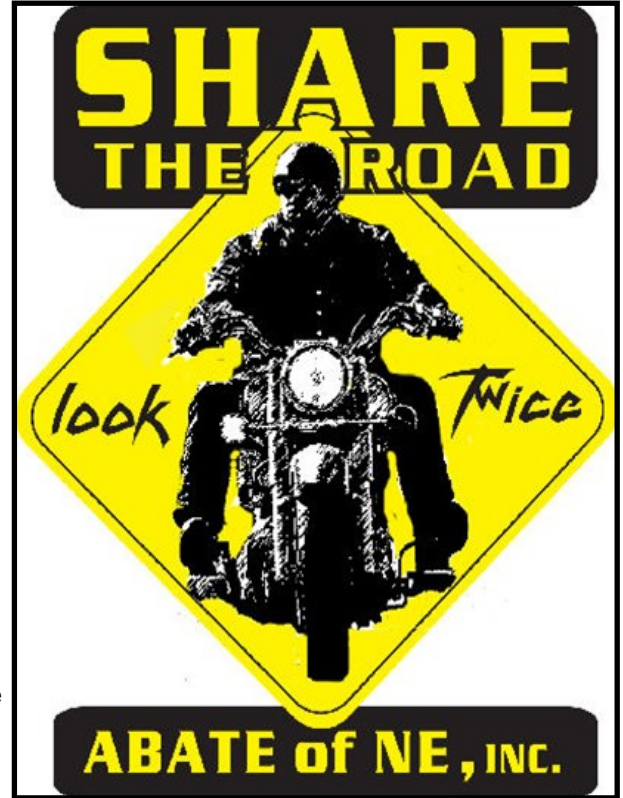
SHARE THE ROAD is a motorcycle awareness program that promotes driver awareness and increases understanding of how motorcycles behave in traffic. ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. provides trained volunteers to present this program to the public. We believe that education and training are the best ways to prevent, and thereby reduce, motorcycle/automobile accidents.

Research shows that three fourths of crashes involving a motorcycle also involves another motor vehicle, which is usually at fault. Considering crash statistics and the increasing number of motorcyclists, the key to a safer riding mix is learning to SHARE THE ROAD.

Motorcycles are very different from automobiles - they are much smaller in size & are harder to see than automobiles. The failure of motorists to see motorcyclists in traffic is the most common cause of crashes. Car drivers who are involved in an accident with a motorcycle often do not see the motorcycle prior to the accident, or until it is too late to avoid having the accident.

The greatest risk area for a conflict between a motorcycle and a automobile is at an intersection...whether it is in the middle of an urban area, a driveway on a residential street, or anywhere where traffic may cross your path of travel. Over one half of motorcycle/car accidents are caused by drivers entering a rider's right-of-way. Cars that turn left in front of motorcyclists, including cars turning left from the lane to the right, and cars on side streets that pull into the motorcyclists lane are the biggest dangers.

The fact remains.....the best way to prevent any accident is through Education, Safety, and Motorcycle Awareness Programs like SHARE THE ROAD.



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Want to know what you can do to SAVE A LIFE?

Do you know someone at a radio station, TV, or any Media outlet?

Get the message out May was Motorcycle Awareness month but every month should be! You can get these to stations in your area, the more it is broadcast the more likely someone will take a second look.

The life you save may be your own!

(30 sec)

The question isn't can you hear me now.... the question is can you SEE me now?!!!

Do you watch for motorcycles? Motorcyclists are watching for you. When sharing the roadways with other vehicles, including motorcycles, please take a moment to LOOK TWICE before making a left turn or pulling out onto a roadway. LOOK TWICE Save a life!

Let's make 2023 a record-breaking year!! Let us bring the number of accidents down for motorcycles and vehicles! This message is brought to you by A.B.A.T.E. of Nebraska, Inc.

(30 sec)

The question is not can you hear me now... the question is can you SEE me now?!

How many times can one honestly say?

They didn't see the motorcycle coming their way.

The highways and roads are for us all to share

STOP, look TWICE, please take a moment to be aware.

May is Motorcycle Awareness Month.

Please join A.B.A.T.E. of Nebraska in making 2023 safe and enjoyable for everyone traveling our busy roads and streets.

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Automobile drivers please Look twice before turning as motorcycles are smaller and harder to see. Be aware. Save a LIFE.

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Motorist should never try and share a lane with motorcycles. Please don't share be aware. May is Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month.

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Poor road conditions and bad weather are unsafe for motorcycles compared to an Automobile. Please Look twice and be aware.

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When you talk to them ask them to put them on all summer ... Motorcycles run all year in Nebraska no reason to stop this campaign in May!

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What is ABATE?

ABATE stands for "American Bikers Aiming Towards Education".

ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. works for you, the motorcycle enthusiast.

ABATE is a rights organization consisting of motorcycle enthusiasts throughout the State of Nebraska. Our goals and purposes are to encourage favorable legislation for motorcyclists. These are accomplished through a monthly newsletter, a website, promotion of safety education programs (designed to help prevent fatal and personal injury accidents), lobbying at the State Legislature and voter registration programs.

A great many restrictive laws pertaining to motorcycles and riders have been enacted by uninformed or misdirected legislative bodies. ABATE of Nebraska, Inc.'s goal is to keep our legislature informed of our feelings as motorcyclists, about such proposed legislation. Preventing unfair legislation is much easier than struggling to get an unfair law repealed. ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. also works with motorcycle rights organizations across the county to stop unfair legislation aimed at motorcyclists.

ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. does not advocate that you ride without a helmet, but we feel that as a responsible adult, you should have the right to decide whether or not to wear one.

ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. provides the neutral ground which allows us to stand beside and support each other in unity, with respect to safeguarding our rights and to be individuals with different views. A concept that we are united with a common interest and now a common ground on which to stand.

RIDING FREE!

Who is ABATE and Why Join?

ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. members are motorcyclists who share the same ideas about freedom of the road, a free lifestyle and have a strong desire to keep it that way.

But ANY motorcyclist who cares enough about his or her personal freedom should join. Any motorcyclist who does not become involved is guilty of complacency, which can be deadly in this day and age. The motorcyclist who does not become involved then loses his or her right to complain when laws are passed that are an infringement on their personal freedoms.

The 'RIGHT TO RIDE' is a publication of ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. that is available on our website to all active members. It contains legislative and other motorcycle related news as well as a calendar of events.

The ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. website (www.abateofne.com) is a FREE online source for ANYONE, regardless of membership.

When you join ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. you have the distinction of working with and being a member of the primary biker rights group in the state.

ABATE also offers an Accidental Life Insurance Policy of \$2000 free of charge as an active member.

Most insurance companies also give discounts for being a member of ABATE and also give an added discount for completing our 'Share the Road' program.

So, join ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. today and become involved. Together our voices mean something and have the weight and strength of numbers.

REMEMBER - United we stand, divided we fall.

ABATE of Nebraska, Inc. Supports:

ABATE Organizations Nationwide
Motorcycle Rider's Foundation
American Motorcyclists Association
National Coalition of Motorcyclists
Nebraska Motorcyclists Association
Midwest Motorcycle Training

There are five (5) types of memberships:

FULL MEMBERSHIP: This entitles you to the monthly newsletter, membership card, membership patch, discounts to many of our events as well as other rights group's events, full voting privileges and can hold an office.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP: This is for our younger freedom fighters 18 years of age or younger and **MUST** be sponsored by an adult. It includes a membership card, membership patch and discounts to events. It does **NOT** include the monthly newsletter and Associate Members cannot vote or hold an office.

SUPPORTING BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP: This membership entitles you to everything in the Full Membership package - along with a "Supporting Business Membership Certificate" for display in your business along with a **FREE** mention of your business in every monthly issue of the 'RIGHT TO RIDE' newsletter. ***ABATE also has a **CHROME Business Membership**. See our website for details***

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP: This is a one-time fee, which entitles you to everything in the Full Membership package - along with a "Lifetime Member Patch", a "Lifetime Membership Card" and lifetime access to the 'Right to Ride', the monthly state newsletter.

HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP: Once a **FULL** member achieves twenty (20) consecutive years as a member, that member will receive an "Honorary Lifetime Membership Patch", "Honorary Lifetime Membership Card", and lifetime access to the 'Right to Ride' along with not being required to send in yearly dues any longer.

Don't put it off! Become a member TODAY!
The people who are making the laws aren't putting anything off!

Promoting Safety Share the Road Safeguarding Rights
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