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Response deserved, internalize the passion and maximize the full potential!! State Representatives, Jimmy Boy Edming and Tom Weatherston are working to introduce "The Highways of Honor" Legislation.

This puts into State Statute the naming of three highways:

1. Hwy 45 -Biker Lifestyle Highway (would be the 45th highway/bridge to be named in State Statute).

2. Hwy 8 - Mideast Conflict Highway, to include the Persian Gulf War, Operation Desert Storm/Desert Shield, Afghanistan, Iraq and the Current War on Terror.

3. Hwy 35 - Way of the American Eagle.

The Bill is being drafted and expected in two weeks. It will then be circulated to all 128 members of the Legislature for Co-author and co-sponsorship. Members then will have 1 or 2 weeks to sign on to and share this important Legislation. According to State Statute, no taxpayer dollars can be used for the informational signs on the named highways and bridges. Volunteer groups, businesses, families and individuals must fund these signs, whether erected on private property or at county/state waysides or rest areas - the WDOT would like to share this information. It is possible for directional signs to be placed by the WDOT.

There are absolute awesome coalitions possible to help maximize monumental momentum! Veterans, Patriots, Indian tribes, Law-enforcement firefighters, EMTs - -- all kick started by Bikers!

Representative Edming was one of five Bikers to take 200# stones to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, D.C. - 1998 on his Harley. He was also one of seven to complete the world's first Iron Butt Association (IBA) In-state Saddle-sore (1,000 miles plus within 24 hours).

Representative Weatherston is a Vietnam Veteran and motorcycle safety instructor. He is an active member of a number of Veteran motorcycle and fraternal type organizations. The Representatives staffs - Darla and John can be contacted for Legislative insight.

The Biker Lifestyle Committee, TRUTH (Trustees of the American Heritage) and Wheels of Liberty have been working since October 10 with the Wisconsin Departments of Transportation, Tourism and Veterans Affairs. Being developed are policies and publications that command knowledge and respect for Veterans, Patriots and Bikers.

Committee members are: Brian "Doc" Murray, Jim "Big Bird" Shutes P.E., Doug



Kienast- Graybeard Productions, Dan Steffans -Wisconsin Chief Architect, Tony "pan" Sanfelipo, Mike Hupy- Hupy & Abraham SC, Steve Johnson and Dave Zien.

Dramatic impacts upon tourism, economic development, and historic, cultural ethnic and religious preservation will evolve. There are so many exceptional facts, feats and individuals in Wisconsin that the world deserves/needs to know about! The Wheels of Liberty website, www.wheelsofliberty.com may be accessed to learn about the 21 proposed signs for Wisconsin. There are 15 proposals just for the Biker Lifestyle Highway that are included in the "Why the Mystique flyer". The Free Rider Press may also have updates. Dave Zien

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