

## ABATE of Wisconsin, Inc. Road Hazard Reporting Form

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marked hazards on our roadways. It is the intent of the ABATE of Wisconsin Highway Safety Committee to minimize these crashes by asking our members to make the effort to notify the proper road maintenance department of the hazard in a timely manner. It is our hope that once notified of the hazard, the departments will either repair or clearly mark the area to make it safer for motorcycle operation.

- Please fill out the road hazard reporting form on the right as completely as possible and submit it to whoever is responsible for road maintenance in that particular spot: Village, Town, City, County or State Highway departments. If you are unable to identify who is responsible for the roadway in question your County Highway Department should be able to tell you.
- If you need help with this form, contact ABATE of WI.'s Highway Safety Committee at roadhouse@tds.net
- Be as clear and descriptive as possible. Identify the location through the use of street signs, fire numbers, mile markers, numbers, off nearby power poles, or other landmarks.
- Print your name clearly so you may be contacted for further information if need be.
- Make a copy for yourself
- With every community experiencing budget cuts and shortfalls, letting them know a problem exists is the first step.
- Courteously follow up in a week or so with phone calls and letters. If the hazard is fixed, please remember to thank the highway/road department for their prompt attention to this matter.
- If you are not getting any satisfaction, please contact your ABATE of WI District Director or any member of the HSC at <u>roadhouse@tds.net</u> so steps can be made to contact the responsible party involved.

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## Cut along this line and submit the completed form at the right to the proper Road/Highway Department

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Submitted by:
I may be contacted at the following phone number if more information on the location is needed:
Hazard Description:
Hazard Location/Comments_
State Hwy # County Hwy Town Road
Private Road/Lot Owner:
□ Straight Away □ Intersection □ Railroad Crossing □ Bridge □ Valley □ Hill □ Curve □ S-Curve □ Ramp □ Other:
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Please be advised that a hazardous road condition exists within your jurisdictional responsibility. This form hereby places you on formal express notice of this condition, and your prompt attention is requested. A copy of this report is being kept on file and should any injuries or property damage result from this hazardous condition, legal remedies may be pursued by the effected party.
Date:Signed:

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