

at I amriting to share with you that Cheryl Howard nominated the Road User

Safety Task Force for the 2009 Oregon Transportation Safety - Leadership in Community Traffic Safety Award. She highlighted the formation of this Task Force to review bicycle crashes in Bend and provide suggestions for improvements. The Task Force is making a difference with the educational campaign directed at both drivers and cyclists, paying special attention to adult cyclists, training sessions, information guides and the Bicycle Safety Week in July. These efforts are helping both cyclists and motorists understand how to ride and drive more safely.

This year we were pleased to receive many nominations for these awards. Unfortunately the Road User Safety Task Force was not chosen to receive one of the awards. Although you were not chosen, please know that the Nominating Committee was impressed with your efforts and believe that they truly showed Leadership in Community Traffic Safety.

Please accept this certificate as a sign of our appreciation.

Sincerely,

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