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Washington State Traffic Incident Management Coalition

On behalf of the thousands of volunteer EMS & fire service responders from across Washington State, the Washington State Fire Fighters' Association (WSFFA) is pleased to acknowledge its endorsement of the National Unified Goal (NUG).

The NUG emphasizes the collaborative effort of National transportation officials, traffic incident response groups, fire, EMS, communications, and tow & recovery operators. All have all agreed incident management efforts can, and should be improved. The NUG and its eighteen key strategies will serve us all in that roadmap to success.

At the heart of the NUG is responder safety and the goal that everyone goes home. Collectively, we are certain that personal commitments and partnerships forged will deliver on safer environments for responders, improved incident operations, and congestion relief for the traveling public.

To that end, the WSFFA is dedicated to insuring the education of first responders that result in improved incident operations upon our State's roadways.

Sincerely

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