

# GOLDWING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

## WASHINGTON CHAPTER A SEATTLE

This is not the email I wanted to write. At least nowhere near this soon. With a heavy heart I have to say that I'm not healthy enough to be the Chapter Director anymore. I just can't do it as my health is declining and it wasn't "good" when I stepped up to be the CD.

So I'm asking. Is there anyone that is willing to step up to replace me as Chapter Director? If you would even consider it please let me know by Friday. You don't have to say yes and you won't be bound by anything. Just let me know so I can tell District that someone **\*\*\*might\*\*\*** be willing to at least **\*\*\*think\*\*\*** about taking over as Chapter Director. I won't give them any names unless you tell me to.

I can say that when GWRRA was a lot healthier (more members) back in the '80s up to maybe the early 2000s, if nobody from a chapter wanted to step up they would assign someone from another chapter. However, this rarely happens anymore because there is rarely anyone that is willing to step up for their own chapter let alone anyone else's.

My absolute last day as Chapter Director for Chapter WA-A will be April 23rd, 2016. I originally was going to say May 28th, 2016 but realized that if anyone is going to step up, then almost two months is more than enough time to decide that and be vetted by District.

If we have an incoming CD and they want my help and advice I will do that for them in the way that *they* want it. My only interest is that the new CD and the Chapter be as happy and have as much fun as everyone can. After all, why be there if you aren't having fun?

If we don't have a new CD by then, by the laws of GWRRA I am to turn over all our paper work including our photo albums and...well everything. We could use the money in the bank for a big send off party for the Chapter but I ABSOLUTELY hope that it doesn't come to this. Whatever money is left goes to District. PLEASE someone step up to be the new Chapter Director!!!

How much I am around and participate depends on my health. At this point I don't know what that means.

I want to thank everyone in the Chapter for their great love and support for me as Chapter Director. This isn't something I decided on quickly or without a lot of pain in my heart. I love Chapter WA-A. It is more my family than the family that I grew up with.

With all my love,

**Bill Olson**

WA-A Chapter Director  
Since October 2015  
Let's have fun Together!

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From my iPad