

Sample Article for Legislator Publication

Automotive safety and dependability. Those words strike a cord with motorists. A neglected vehicle can be dangerous to drive; when maintenance is neglected, vehicle owners can face high repair costs and compromise the safety of their family.

Results of recent vehicle check-ups across the country during April and October Car Care Aware months revealed that nearly nine out of 10 vehicles need service or parts. In fact, an analysis of 1,000 vehicles inspected showed that 88 percent needed parts replacement, service or fluids. The top problems were motor oil, windshield wipers, air filters, belts/and hoses and lights.

This unsatisfactory condition of vehicles reinforces the need for consumer education about the benefits of regular vehicle care, maintenance and repair. That is why (name of organization) strongly supports the Car Care Aware consumer education campaign aimed at promoting the benefits of regular vehicle care, maintenance and repair to consumers in (name of state).

The automotive aftermarket industry in (name of state) provides consumers with choices for quality replacement parts as well as options for where they can purchase their auto parts and have their vehicles repaired in every community in this state.

So if you are looking for improved fuel efficiency, gas mileage, and safety of your vehicle, look no further than a member of (name of organization). Our members are committed to helping you locate the parts and services your vehicle needs to keep it running clean, safe and dependable.

To locate a member today, contact the (name of organization) at (website name) or call (phone number).

