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Press Release

ASCCA Past President Allen Pennebaker Selected as NASTF Vice Chair

Sacramento, CA, December 27, 2010: Allen Pennebaker, Past President of the Automotive Service Councils of California (ASCCA), has been elected Vice-Chair of the National Automotive Service Task Force (NASTF). Pennebaker, who served as ASCCA President in 2008 and currently sits as an ex-officio Board Member, owns Orinda Motors in Orinda, California. He takes office on January 3, 2011. Other officers include Ron Pyle of the Automotive Service Association, Chair; and David Lowell of the Associated Locksmiths of America, Inc., as Secretary-Treasurer.

NASTF was established in 2000 to resolve gaps in the availability and accessibility of automotive service information. The following equipment manufacturers (OEM's) have signed the voluntary Automotive Service Information Standards agreement with NASTF, in which they agree to provide service information, tools and equipment information, and training information to aftermarket service providers: Volvo; Subaru; Ford; Toyota; Volkswagen; Nissan; Hyundai; Mazda; Honda; Kia; Suzuki; Mitsubishi; Mercedes; and Jaguar Land Rover. Additional details can be found at <u>www.nastf.org</u>.

Founded in 1940, the Automotive Service Councils of California is the largest independent automotive repair organization in California. Its members represent all areas of the automotive repair industry, including mechanical, auto body, suppliers and educators.

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