

Notes from the Heartland (Region) Occasional Ramblings and Updates Buick Club of America Please share with your membership

## ONE YEAR ON

It's been nearly a year since I was elected Regional Director and I hope I've lived up to your expectations.

## **BY-LAWS UPDATE**

The by-laws update has been open for comment for a couple months. I recommend we close the comment period as of Friday, 28 February, 2025. Please take the time to review again. If you have any additional comments, please do so before that date.

## JOIN US ON ROUTE 66

There are two Route 66 events in the planning stages. We're planning a dedicated Buick area at the Route66Fest in Springfield, IL, in September 2025 <u>https://route66fest.com/</u> and also a road trip celebrating the Centennial of Route 66 by driving the length of the Mother Road. This trip will likely begin in May or early June, to avoid the heat of summer, and will take roughly two weeks from Chicago to Los Angeles. If you're interested in participating in joining us in Springfield, IL or driving Route 66, either from end to end OR JUST A PART OF IT please let me know at <u>len.woelfel@gmail.com</u>.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Please call me at 630-675-3640 if you'd like more info on any of these events.

- ★ March 7 9, 2025, World of Wheels, Rosemont, IL
- ★ June 5 7, 2025 Heartland Regional Show at the Hilton Garden Inn, 19677 E Jackson Drive, Independence, MO 816-350-3000. Call the hotel directly for our group rate. The Mid-America chapter is spearheading the planning. Look for more information in the Bugle as it becomes available.
- ★ June 18 21, 2025 Riviera Owner's Association International Meet. Springfield, IL
- ★ July 23-26th, 2025, BCA Nationals, Concord, NC. More information in the Bugle.
- ★ August 17, 2025 Riviera Owners Car Show, Woodfire Tavern, Gilmer and Route 83, Long Grove, IL
- ★ September, 2025 is Route66Fest in Springfield, IL. There is a car show there and the organizers will reserve a spot for us. Please let me know by June 30 if you plan to attend.