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To our Craft Brewing Community,

One of the most important things that businesses can do is to seek out and support under-represented stories and worthwhile projects that help build the very communities in which we live. Led by craft brewing trailblazer Celeste Beatty of Harlem Brewing Company (NYC) and the team at Métier Brewing Company (Seattle), the *Bronze Thunder Twins IPA* project is proudly endorsed and sponsored by Yakima Chief Hops.

Together with the living legacy of Hall of Famers and Negro Leagues Baseball legends Josh Gibson and "Buck" Leonard, we invite you to join us in a world-wide collaboration that celebrates community, our shared history, and what unites us — like Beer and Baseball.

Josh Gibson and Buck Leonard teamed up for 9 years to make the Homestead Grays a powerhouse in the Negro Leagues during the 1930's and 40's. Gibson's tape-measure home runs and catching prowess behind the plate, and Leonard's leadership from first base and line-drive power, left an enduring legacy for baseball fans that lives to this very day.

Proceeds from our collective sales of the Bronze Thunder Twins IPA will benefit the Josh Gibson Foundation (Pittsburgh, PA) and the Buck Leonard Association for Sports & Human Enrichment (Rocky Mount, NC). This is not only an opportunity to honor the trailblazers of the Negro Leagues, but also to support inner-city youth programming and local communities where Gibson and Leonard lived and grew into Hall of Famers.

This campaign will present many fun and engaging opportunities for brewers who participate, as we give fans across the country many good reasons to hoist a pint in honor of the *Thunder Twins*. We hope you'll join us.

Let's Play Ball!

Steve Carpenter Yakima Chief Hops

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CELEBRATING Negro Leagues Baseball TRAILBLAZERS

A global awareness & fundraising campaign benefitting inner city education enrichment and athletics programs.

Starring: THE JOSH GIBSON FOUNDATION & BUCK LEONARD ASSOCIATION

Directed by: HARLEM BREWING COMPANY with MÉTIER BREWING COMPANY Executive Producer: YAKIMA CHIEF HOPS





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HELP TELL THE STORY OF NEGRO LEAGUES BASEBALL



Your Ticket to Local **Craft Breweries, Beer-Lovers** & Baseball Fans!



SPONSORED SOCIAL MEDIA CONTENT: 2 ORIGINAL POSTS

*New opportunities may be added or substituted at all levels.



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"It's bigger than baseball!" —SEAN GIBSON, Executive Director, Josh Gibson Foundation

"Thunder Twins IPA is proudly endorsed and sponsored by Yakima Chief Hops!"



—STEVE CARPENTER, Yakima Chief Hops



"Like The Thunder Twins, Baseball and Beer, are a dynamic duo!"

-CELESTE BEATTY, Harlem Brew South

From Rocky Mount to Seattle, it's our time to brew this beer, and beyond time for the Thunder Twins legacy to be known.



-RODNEY HINES, Métier Brewing Company



"With a tremendous sense of joy and gratitude, we acknowledge all those who choose to join us!"

-ROSE HUNTER, CEO, Buck Leonard Association





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