

Sun., Oct. 7, Paw Paw Eagles,

Pledge of Allegiance, Treasurer's report. LEGISLATIVE: Gary said nothing new since legislators are just getting back in session. Eric brought copies of info from Dondi and Joe W. brought an article from the Sturgis paper about possible laws requiring anti-lock brakes on motorcycles, some like them some don't. MRF: Bear encouraged everyone to go to the MRF website and take action on the issue of profiling. MEMBERSHIP: A couple of renewals bringing our region to 90 members.

DISCUSSIONS/REPORTS: PAC ride, besides the weather not cooperating AGAIN there were a few bikes and vehicles. A fair amount of money was raised from donations and participants, thank you Melissa for putting it together. CAMPOUT/PUBCRAWL was a good time and Gary cleared all of Terry's brush keeping the bonfire going. UAW POKER RUN was able to provide two truckloads of food to the women's shelter in Three Rivers. Half of the riders were ABATE members from several regions, THANK YOU. CALENDARS are here and ready for sale at \$10 apiece. See Terry to sign out packs of ten. Patty G. did the work on these and they look great...THANK YOU PATTY.

CHRISTMAS PARTY (Dec. 15) tickets are available to sell, \$10 per person. Joy started a signup sheet for the food that will be needed. Everyone is welcome not just ABATE members. Several members have their rooms reserved for that night, see the flyer for details if interested. SEMINAR, Jan 18-20, we have the raffle items and voted to put together a package for the silent auction. It is in the same place as last year. OFFICER NOMINATIONS, Road Captain - Melissa M accept, Dan decline but would help Melissa, Mike H (co-captain) accept; Sgt at Arms - Hank S accept, Joe W decline; Legislative - Gary accept; MRF - Bear accept; Secretary - PINKY decline, Linda S decline, DI decline, Tammy D not present; Treasurer - Joy accept; Products - Joy and Gary accept; RC - Terry decline, Dan decline, Eric decline with addendum (will help whoever is RC); Member Of The Year - Bear, Melissa M, Gary & Joy, Joe W, Patty G.

Our Dec 2 membership mtg will include our usual holiday potluck as well as voting for officers. Today's incentive WOULD have been won by Tim G, but now rolls over to next month. Mike won the 50/50. Next mtg is Sun. Nov. 4, 1 pm, Paw Paw Eagles, M40, Lawton. You don't have to be an ABATE or Eagles member to attend.

Respectfully submitted by PINKY