

ABATE REGION 19 MEETING

April, 2020

I hope everyone is OK in this time of crisis. It truly is a devastating time, but it seems like the good people of Michigan are sticking together (while socially distanced) to come through this. We at Region 19 wish everybody good health.

We can still be thinking about motorcycling (but as I look out on my deck as I write this, it is snowing and hailing) and motorcycle rights. Pete is posting regularly on our Facebook account to keep people informed and wish them good health.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT – As Pete posted on Facebook, you can still contact your Senators about SB528 and get them to support it.

Legislative Officer for Region 19 is open. Please think about volunteering; don't worry, we will help you!!

TREASURER'S REPORT – did not spend anything, nor did we take anything in.

AMA/MRF: The MRF is still pretty active and making sure that the Highway Bill does not get ignored due to the crisis.

BIKE RAFFLE: tickets are available via mail

AWARENESS: As the Governor has just extended the Stay-at-home order until April 30, we will have to postpone our May 2 event that was planned to get the word out.

We will try to have a Motorcycle Awareness event May 16 and we will go bowling at 300 Bowl afterwards.

UPCOMING EVENTS (being optimistic, dates certainly subject to change)

June 3: Freedom Rally Lansing

Field Meet: June 12, 13, 14

Minutes by Vince P.