

ABATE REGION 19

May 4, 2021

We started our meeting on a very sad note: Patty Rahn, an avid long-time ABATE supporter, both on a Regional (13) level and State level, passed away earlier this week. Our sincere condolences to Jinx.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT – Pete reminded us again to keep contacting our legislators about SB528: go to the Region 19 Facebook site and click on the link there which makes it very easy by auto-filling a form.

Vince Consiglio has volunteered to be our interim Legislative Coordinator; thanks Vince! If anyone would like to learn about this important job, Vince will be glad to show you the ropes.

Treasurer's report: Pete gave the report, which was approved.

The Freedom Rally will be June 2 in Lansing. Meet in Fowlerville as usual, departing from there at 11 AM sharp.

Pete showed us a draft of a Motorcycle Awareness video; this is funded in part by the \$2 that we pay on our bike registrations.

May is Motorcycle Awareness month! Pete will be at the SW corner of 12-Mile and Woodward (Berkeley Square) at 1 PM on May 8; rain date will be May 22 also at 1 PM. Please stop by to chat and/or renew your membership.

The Annual Membership meeting will be at the Field Meet this year June 11 -13; you'll need to attend this meeting if you want to vote for the board and for by-laws. There is no charge to get in Sunday to vote

We will be doing a Summer Ride August 21, mark your calendars! Destination to be discussed that the next meeting

Minutes by Vince P.