FALL SEMINAR

OFFICER TRAINING 2020



JUST WHEN YOU THINK YOU'VE SEEN IT ALL

"Those who expect to reap the blessings of freedom must undergo the fatigue of supporting it" — Thomas Paine

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AND NOW FOR SOMETHING COMPLETELY DIFFERENT

If you recognize that headline, you are either a member of the SPAM Club (Monty Python Fan Club), or you are someone that marches to the beat of a different drum. With our group, either one is a good bet.

We have been wanting to "shake up" the Fall Seminar a bit to try to keep it fresh. Enter the coronavirus global pandemic, and we now definitely have... something completely different.

There is always a desire to keep the presentations interesting. Some times we can bring in something new and different. However, there are some things that remain as standards that all officers in ABATE of Indiana need to know. These will be perennial features of the seminar.

A few hours, or even a whole weekend, likely will not completely prepare someone for every potential situation they may experience as an officer. The semi-

nar does provide a great opportunity to ask questions and network with like-minded people to share ideas.

Our real goal is to make sure that officers know what resources

are available to answer questions, solve problems and help them to better perform their duties. That is where this binder and the Guidebook come in. These materials serve as a sort of "cook book" and include "recipes" for about anything an officer might need to "cook".

The state office, the Board of Directors and former

officers are also willing to offer

assistance and suggestions. We want you to be successful and we want to make your job easier.

For several years, have been facing the challenge of how to get younger riders involved to continue the mission of preserving motorcycling for future generations.

While COVID-19 has complicated

many things and cancelled many events across the state in 2020, perhaps it will get folks interested in fresh-air outdoor activities like motorcycling.

2020 was an unprecedented year filled with surprises and struggles. We are optimistic that 2021 will be a little less "interesting".

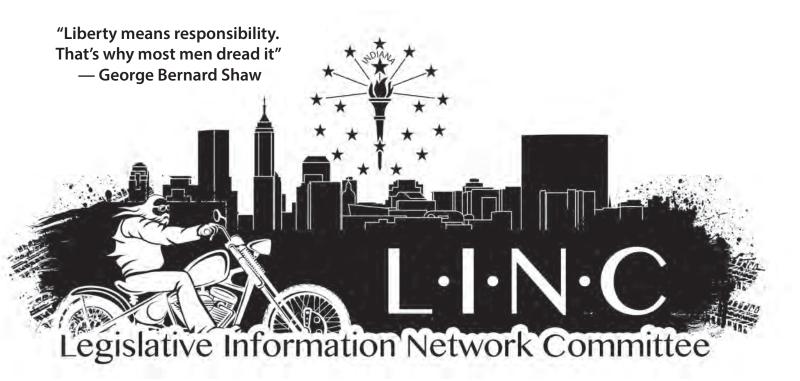
Thanks for all that you do for ABATE of Indiana, and all Hoosier motorcyclists.











The primary mission

of ABATE of Indiana is to protect and promote motorcycling so future generations are able to enjoy the freedom of the road. A very important aspect of this is to support legislation which is positive toward motorcycling and oppose that which is detrimental. We have been successful for many years utilizing grassroots lobbying by keeping our membership and other riders informed about issues important to motorcyclists so they may advise their legislators.

Since Indiana has a citizen legislature, meaning that being a legislator is not their full time job and the Indiana General Assembly meets for only a limited number of days, things can happen quickly. We must be able to rapidly mobilize our troops and suggest the appropriate call to action so that the elected officials can be made aware of motorcyclists' opinions before the issue is called for a vote.

The true purpose of ABATE's Legislative Information Network Committee (LINC) is to make certain that there is a viable, effective and efficient means to get, not only information, but more specifically, the call to action, out to as many people as possible directing them to contact their legislator(s). Communication trees have served this purpose well for a number of years. If one person contacts six others and each of them contact six more and then they each contact another six, we have quickly notified 216 people. If even ten percent of those contacted actually contact their senator or representative, that's 21 constituents and merits considerable attention. The more people we have involved, the greater the number of riders that are likely to reach out to their legislator(s).

Get involved... Fight for your rights. Make a difference. You'll be surprised by how easy it is and how little time and effort it takes. The sense of accomplishment in actually making a difference, is extremely rewarding.

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Legislative Information Network Committee

Who is on the Committee?

Every ABATE member is on the committee.

What is the easiest way to be active on the committee?

Join a communication tree.

What is a communication tree?

A communication tree is a network of active members that can quickly and effectively disperse legislative information by phone, social media and electronic transmission.

We still feel strongly regarding the power of personal dialogue. Direct conversations with a lawmaker on the telephone can indeed be quite influential. Better yet, are personal meetings with legislators. These can be scheduled appointments, or chance meetings at a local parade or county fair. Most of our representatives regularly conduct "third house" meetings within their district. Frequently, there are only a few constituents in attendance at these gatherings and you can gain some valuable one-on-one time with your elected official.

As technology has evolved, so has grass roots lobbying. E-mails are the system of choice for most legislative offices. They can easily log and track activity on an issue to determine how much attention it should receive. In the end, the important thing to remember is to contact your legislator somehow. If you can develop a personal relationship with them so that they actually know who you are, and what you stand for, it becomes much easier to share your opinion and educate them regarding issues of importance to you. That is the epitome of a grass roots lobbyist.

A communication tree is the quickest and most effective method to personally alert members of pending legislation in Indianapolis.

How do I get on a communication tree?

Talk to your county rep or region director and volunteer.



Indiana State House

House Telephone Center	317-232-9600 and 9700
House Switchboard	(R) 1-800-382-9841 (D) 1-800-382-9842
Senate Telephone Center	317-232-9400
Senate Switchboard	800-382-9467
Deaf Line (Local)	317-232-0404
Deaf Line (Long Distance)	800-548-9517
Governors Office	317-232-4567

200 W. Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46204-2785	(800) 382-9467
Indiana House of Representatives	(317) 232-9600
200 W. Washington St.	(800) 382-9482

Indiana State Senate

Indianapolis, IN 46024-2786

For information on the status of a bill or the vote count on a certain bill, call the Legislative Services Agency at 317-232-9856 or visit iga.in.gov, a great reference tool on Indiana government.

(317) 232-9400

How a Bill Becomes a Law in Indiana



IDEA DEVELOPED

BILL DRAFTED

A legislator decides to sponsor a bill, sometimes at the suggestion of a constituent,

makers in the same house may be asked to interest group, public official or the governor. Other law-



BILL INTRODUCED

filed by a legislator in either After a bill is drafted and Representatives, the bill the Senate or House of

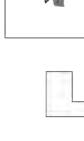
then is read by title for the first time to the legislative body.





or the Speaker of the House of The Senate President Pro Tem COMMITTEE REFERENCE

Representatives refers the bill to a committee for review.



is eligible for passage in On third reading the bill its house of origin. At THIRD READING

After committee approval two days to review it. A legislators have at least the bill is printed and

SECOND READING

bill may be amended by a majority vote of the legislators

amended unless two-thirds of the legislators

agree to changes. Otherwise it passes or

fails without changes.

this stage it cannot be



COMMITTEE ACTION

high volume of bills and the time Committee chairmen schedule bill hearings. Because of the

constraints, not every bill receives a hearing. Committee meetings are open to the public and anyone may ask to speak on a bill.



VOTE

The bill passes when approved by a majority of the members (26 in the Senate, 51 in the

House)



SECOND HOUSE

first house must approve the house. If it is amended the same process in the second The bill goes through the

changes before the bill may be sent to the governor.



COMMITTEE CONFERENCE

If the house of origin disagrees with the amend-

is reached both chambers must again approve tisan conference committee. If an agreement ments the bill goes to a four-member biparthe bill before sending it to the governor.



Once the governor receives a GOVERNOR

bill he may sign it, veto it, or let it become law without his signhe veto is overridden by a majority vote in ature. Vetoed bills still may become law if ooth the Senate and the House.



join as co-sponsors

ie Indiana General Assembl

Citizen Legislature

The Indiana General Assembly is composed of 150 men and women representing many occupations. Members of the Senate are elected for four-year terms, but not all at the same time; 25 of the 50 are elected every two years. All 100 members of the House are elected every two years.

Citizen legislators are representative of their districts, reflecting the varied needs and concerns of Hoosiers across Indiana. Together, legislators discuss their differing views and work collectively to develop public policies which will benefit the entire state.

Our citizen-type legislature was created to provide citizens with an opportunity to participate in the legislative process, thus allowing them to express their ideas and be a vital link between government and the people.

Election Qualifications

To seek election to the State Senate or House, you must be:

- * A United States citizen
- A resident of Indiana for at least two years.
- * An inhabitant of your district for one year.
- Senators must be at least 25 years of age when elected.
- * Representatives must be at least 21 years of age.

Legislative Sessions

The Indiana General Assembly meets for 61 session days in odd numbered years and 30 session days in even numbered years.

The Legislature convenes in mid-November for Organization Day, then reconvenes in early January when regular business begins. Short sessions fall in even numbered years and end no later then March 15th. Long sessions fall in odd numbered years and must adjourn no later then April 29th. Special sessions may be called by the governor.

Between sessions legislators participate in interim study committees where they develop legislative proposals for the following year.

Types of Legislation

Senate Bill/House Bill: Proposed changes to Indiana law are introduced as Senate or House bills.

Senate Joint Resolution/House Joint Resolution: Proposed amendments to Indiana's Constitution are introduced as joint resolutions. A joint resolution must be adopted by two separately elected general assemblies and approved by a majority of Hoosier voters during a statewide general election before the state Constitution can be changed.

Senate Concurrent Resolution/House Concurrent Resolution: Concurrent resolutions address matters of general concern to the Legislature; they deal with subjects as diverse as urging Congress to enact legislation or honoring a high school sports team.

Legislation Status

If you would like to find out the status of a particular piece of legislation during the legislative session, you may reach the Legislative Services Agency at (317) 232-9856 or the Legislative Information Center at (317) 232-9856.

Easy to use computer terminals are available to the public and are located in room 230 of the Statehouse. The terminals are linked to the legislature's bill tracking system.

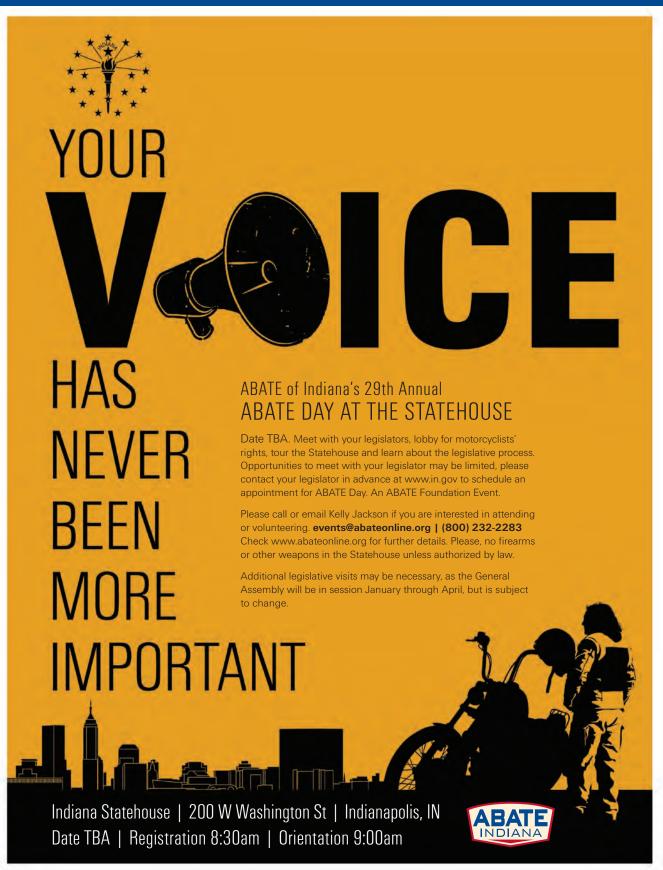
Calendars listing bills that are scheduled for committee hearings and floor action are available at the agency. Copies of most documents are \$0.15 per page.

Contacting Your State Legislators

Legislators value the opinions and suggestions of their constituents.

Indiana State Senate 200 W. Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46204-2785 (317) 232-9400 (800) 382-9467 Indiana House of Representatives 200 W. Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46024-2786 (317) 232-9600 (800) 382-9842

Statehouse Tour Office | 200 W. Washington St. | Statehouse Room 220 | Indianapolis, IN 46204 | (317) 233-5293 For more information, or to schedule a Statehouse tour, please contact the Statehouse Tour Office. touroffice@idoa.in.gov | www.in.gov "At the time of the Fall Seminar, the exact schedule and format of the 2021 legislative session for the Indiana General Assembly is undetermined. The 2020 session ended early related to a scheduling issue with the Big Ten Tournament, and the coronavirus global pandemic. It is critically important to the grassroots lobbying efforts of ABATE of Indiana to maintain a presence at the Statehouse. We will keep you advised of how best to do that in the current environment when more information is available."



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MOTORCYCLE SAFETY

AND EDUCATION

- 2020 Motorcycle
 Safety Fact Sheet
- Legislative Review
- D.I.R.T.
- Dirt Bike School
- L.C.R.P.



"I know no safe depository of the ultimate powers of the society but the people themselves; and if we think them not enlightened enough to exercise their control with a wholesome discretion; the remedy is not to take it from them, but to inform their discretion by education" — Thomas Jefferson

Legislation in unprecedented times

2020 was a "short session" of the Indiana General assembly. In even numbered years, legislators meet for only 30 days. Originally, they convened only in the odd numbered years. Some felt that 20 months or so was too long between sessions. While the "short session" was created to deal with emergencies, motorcyclists have been quite successful in these sessions historically.

The 2021 session will be a general session, sometimes called a "long session", and should see lawmakers gather for 61 days. The word "should" is used, because at this time we are uncertain exactly what schedule or format the session will take related to the COVID-19 global pandemic. This is a budget year and since the only true constitutional requirement of the general assembly is to establish a biennial budget, something will happen. We just do not yet know when, where or how it will happen.

The coronavirus has also changed the way that the federal government conducts business in Washington, D.C. Although the U.S. Congress has been in session, face to face meetings were largely suspended. Despite this, the Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) has had a most productive year and made incredible progress on the key issues concerning motorcyclists at the national level.

Motorcyclists' rights organizations, such as ABATE of Indiana, typically strive toward having fewer laws. This is the origin of the phrase "Educate Don't Legislate". We do work to pass motorcycle friendly legislation, but spend most of our time defending against language that restricts, or is detrimental to, motorcyclists.

A grassroots lobby only works with grassroots support. Our members are what create our strength and influence. The more people we have, the louder our voice. YOU are that voice. It is critical that you respond to the call to action when an issue presents. By contacting your elected officials, you can educate them regarding the subject and truly make a difference.

Notes:		

We spent a couple years getting our ducks in a row and that resulted in a victory this session. House Concurrent Resolution 38 addresses trail access of off-road vehicles (ORV) in the Hoosier National Forest (HNF). This is not a law, but demonstrates to the U.S. Forest Service (USFS) that the Indiana General Assembly supports riders in urging the USFS to reevaluate their plan. You may remember that ORVs were "temporarily" removed from the HNF in the 1970s, and have yet to return. This is a big step toward resolving this issue.



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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 38

2020

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DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION Urging the United States Forest Service to establish an off-road vehicles (ORVs)trail system.

Whereas, off-road vehicles (ORVs) are used by many americans for recreation and work related activities; whereas, many national forests in Michigan, Kentucky, and Ohio allow the use of ORVs on designated forest trails; whereas, currently, the Hoosier National Forest does not allow the use of ORVs on any trails; and whereas, the creation or designation of trails for the general use of ORVs in the Hoosier National Forest would encourage greater outdoor recreation and economic benefits for rural communities near the Hoosier National Forest and Indiana at large: therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the state of Indiana, the senate concurring:

Section 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives urges the United States Forest service to establish an ORV trail system utilizing the full 15,300 acres identified in the off-road vehicle used areas (1987) to allow greater use of the Hoosier National Forest for the recreational and economic benefit of the citizens of Indiana.

Section 2. That the Indiana House of Representatives urges a timely administrative process for the action through an Amendment or similarly appropriate alteration to the current land and resource management plan and travel management plan.

Section 3. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copyof this resolution to Vicki Christiansen, Chief of the United States Forest Service.

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2020 INDIANA MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FACT SHEET

Rider Education Program Statistics

Effective Date (Legislated Voluntary Program): January 1, 1987.

Funding Source: Separate Motorcycle License Plate Fee.

Funding Amount: \$2 per Motorcycle Registration (1987-1992); \$5 per Registration (1993-2001); \$7 per Registration (2002).

Annual Total Funding: \$200,000 (1987-1992); \$570,000 (1993-2001); \$1,000,000+ (2002-).

Students Trained: more than 135,000

Course Locations: Merrillville, Elkhart, Ft. Wayne, Indianapolis, Evansville, Clarksville, Kokomo and Versailles.

• Course Length: 15-18 instructional hours (5-6 hours classroom, 10-12 hours on-cycle training) offered in a variety of scheduling options.

Motorcycle Collisions, Injury, Fatality, and Registration Statistics

	1986*	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Collisions	3,951	3,808	3,683	3,056	2,949	2,810	2,279	2,251	2,410	2,251	1,844	1,899	2,063	2,149	2,279
Injuries	3,729	3,619	3,498	2,748	2,720	2,655	2,152	2,182	2,407	2,260	1,446	1,450	1,580	1,637	1,730
Fatalities	134	131	06	89	82	87	72	29	64	89	69	47	69	29	73
Per 10,000 Registered MCs	10.8	12.6	8.7	7.2	8.5	9.0	7.6	7.0	9.9	6.7	6.4	4.9	9.9	6.2	6.1
Registrations	124,218	104,051	104,012	95,051	96,260	686'36	94,988	95,524	97,017	96,394	96,710	98,252	104,106	108,716	118,796
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	2001	2002	2003	2004**	2002**	**9002	2007**	2008**	**6007	2010**	2011**	2012**	2013**	2014**	2015**
Collisions	N/A	N/A	2,151	2,873	2,906	3,098	3,555	3,822	3,276	3,429	3,551	4,104	3,524	3,407	3,263
Injuries	N/A	N/A	1,753	3,139	3,096	2,593	3,802	2,957	3,486	2,717	2,725	3,286	2,755	2,671	2,607
Fatalities	75	88	81	109	113	108	122	130	111	110	118	151	118	125	107
Per 10,000 Registered MCs	5.9	6.5	5.5	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.4	6.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	7.29	5.30	5.60	4.21

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Per 10,000 Registered MCs	5.9	6.5	5.5	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.4	6.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	7.29	5.30	5.60	4.21
Registrations	128,130	134,881	128,130 134,881 145,948 154,739	154,739	164,423	162,683	190,073	204,386	202,878	164,423 162,683 190,073 204,386 202,878 208,918 214,903 223,989 221,775 221,606 253,921	214,903	223,989	221,775	221,606	253,921
	2016**	2017**	2018**	2019**	based on the 2018 PPI Motorcycle Fact Sheet (ARIES)	ne 2018 PPI	Motorcycle	Fact Sheet	(ARIES)						
Collisions	3,216	3,140	2,681	2,514											
Incapacitating Injuries	2,505	2,285	1,930	562											
Fatalities	100	147	112	107											
Per 10,000 Registrations	3.98	6.67	4.87	4.56											
Registrations	251,032	220,340	251,032 220,340 230,107 234,229	234,229											

* Last year prior to legislated program implementation. **2004 forward contains mopeds, scooters, all two and three wheeled vehicles.

2006 Forward revised to current ICJI reports.

Sources: Indiana Criminal Justice Institute; Indiana State Police Reporting Information Exchange System (ARIES); Indiana Dept of Education

ABATE of Indiana has gathered this information from various sources, but cannot attest to the method of collection, analysis or accuracy of the data

Other Program Activities

awareness of motorcycles, to convince riders not to drink and ride, to encourage the use of protective riding equipment, and to promote proper licensing of all motorcyclists. In addition to conducting training courses, the Indiana Motorcycle Safety Program conducts statewide public information and education campaigns to increase motorists'

Contact information for ABATE of Indiana Motorcycle Safety Division: Jay Jackson, Director, PO Box 665, Bargersville, IN 46106; (317) 422-8040.



2021 DIRT Director Roy Garrett roy@abateonline.org

www.abateonline.org



800-23-ABATE



Effective July 1, 2017, any off-road vehicle rider under the age of 18 is required to wear a DOT helmet anywhere in the state of Indiana. No juvenile fatalities have been reported since the enactment.

ABATE of Indiana represents all motorcyclists. Although we originally concentrated most of our efforts on street riders, we have always been conscious of "all things motorcycle". We also realize that many of us received our introduction to motorcycling by way of the dirt.

Through our legislative activity and the Hoosier Motorcyclists' Roundtable, we found that we were working closely with the off-highway vehicle (OHV) community on a number of issues. In 2010, Discover Indiana Riding Trails (D.I.R.T.) merged with ABATE of Indiana, further demonstrating our mission of representing all riders.

By working collectively, we have been successful in achieving numerous victories for off-road enthusiasts, both policy oriented and legislatively. We insure that dirt riders have a voice on the Indiana Trails Advisory Board and frequently partner with the Indiana Department of Natural Resources on mutually beneficial issues.

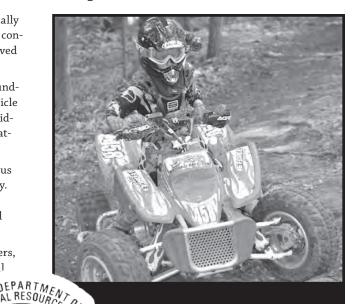
Although not involved in enforcement, we work to educate trail users, motorcycle/OHV dealers, community and civic leaders, and the general public regarding OHV laws, rules and regulations.

ABATE of Indiana offers OHV training at Lawrence County Recreational Park. This educational experience has been used to introduce military personnel, law enforcement and families to proper OHV techniques for a number of years.

The OHV community has also become involved in philanthropic activity and has raised more than \$100,000 for Riley Hospital for Children through the Miracle Trail Ride and Race.

ABATE OF INDIANA'S POSITION ON OHV SAFETY

ABATE of Indiana stresses the critical importance of adult supervision for youth riders of off-highway vehicles (OHV). Operators of any vehicle should always be free of impairments. Use of the appropriate gear and size appropriate machines are also encouraged. Riding or operating an OHV can be a safe, healthy and enjoyable experience for the entire family with proper training and due regard for local and state regulations. However, as with any activity, some risks exist. The off-road community must be aware of the risks and do all that we can to minimize them.



The registration process for your OHV can now be completed at any BMV branch.

-Any OHV purchased after December 31, 2003 must be registered through the Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles. The cost is \$30 for three years.

-Out of state residents may use Indiana facilities for up to 20 days a year.

-Any OHV purchased after December 31, 2009 is required to have a title through the Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

Find out more at www.abateonline.org



DIRT BIKE SCHOOL

Riders spend the entire time performing hands-on training on the motorcycles. At the end of the school, students should have an understanding of the techniques necessary to stay safe, act responsibly and have fun while riding off-road motorcycles.

Since children as young as six years of age can enroll, the Dirt Bike School provides an opportunity for the entire family to participate in this exciting learning experience.



Fun, one-day, hands-on training for anyone six years old or above!



The original "social distancing" activity



Trail riding designed for riders by riders

OHV (Off Highway Vehicle) • ATV (All Terrain Vehicle) • UTV (Utility Task Vehicle)

Come to the scenic hills of Lawrence County Indiana to experience OHV trails designed for riders, by riders. Featuring almost 400 acres of trails, rolling hills, meadows, wooded terrain and scenic ponds!

Spend the day, night or weekend with us. Bring your friends and family to share in the fastest growing sport in America. Primitive and RV camping with hook-ups, shower facilities and shelters on property.

MOTORCYCLES, ATVs and UTVs ONLY!
No Jeeps, Trucks, Sandrails, etc. are allowed on the trails.

Our scenic trails are designed for riders of all skill levels. Some are just challenging enough to help you improve your skills and some will test your abilities and provide the excitement that brought you to the sport. You will always remember the thrill of mastering that new trail.

When you ride our trails, you will not meet or be overtaken by a large vehicle. No trucks, sandrails, or buggies are allowed at LCRP: motorcycles, ATVs, and UTVs only. Enjoy your family riding experience at a safe and secure OHV park without the worry of issues presented by traffic you may encounter elsewhere.

Indiana Motorcycle Safety Memorial

While you're visiting the park, make sure to stop by the Indiana Motorcycle Safety Memorial and walk of remembrance. This memorial is

recognized by the State of Indiana as a state monument and features the names of individuals who have dedicated their lives to the sport of Indiana motorcycling. The memorial is located at the entrance to the park.



OHV Training

Off-road rider training is available at LCRP and Wabash Cannonball Motorcycle Club. This program has been used to train law enforcement and military personnel for years. Riders spend their class time with hands-on training, learning the techniques to stay safe, act responsibly, and have fun while riding off-road motorcycles. Children as young as 6 years old may enroll.

For more information about classes call 800-232-2283.

Location

Lawrence County Recreational Park is located at 99 Moore Lane in Springville, Indiana. 12 miles south of Bloomington, IN. west of State Road 37 at the Judah stoplight (follow the signs). Take the first left behind the station. (GPS Coordinates: Latitude 38.991922, Longitude -86.611486).

Hours

Summer hours (April-October) Thursday-Sunday, 9am-5pm.

Winter hours (November-March) Saturday & Sunday, 9am-5pm.

Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve and New Years Day, and the third full weekend in July for the Boogie®.

Check Icrp.ridetrails.org or call (812) 275-0186 tor special park hours or restrictions related to special events or maintenance.

Admission

ABATE Members	\$10 per day
Non-Members	\$15 per day
Kids under 13	\$5 per day
Annual Pass	\$99 per year
Members Annual Pass	\$75 per year
RV camping (water & electric)	\$40 per night
Camping (primitive)	\$15 per night

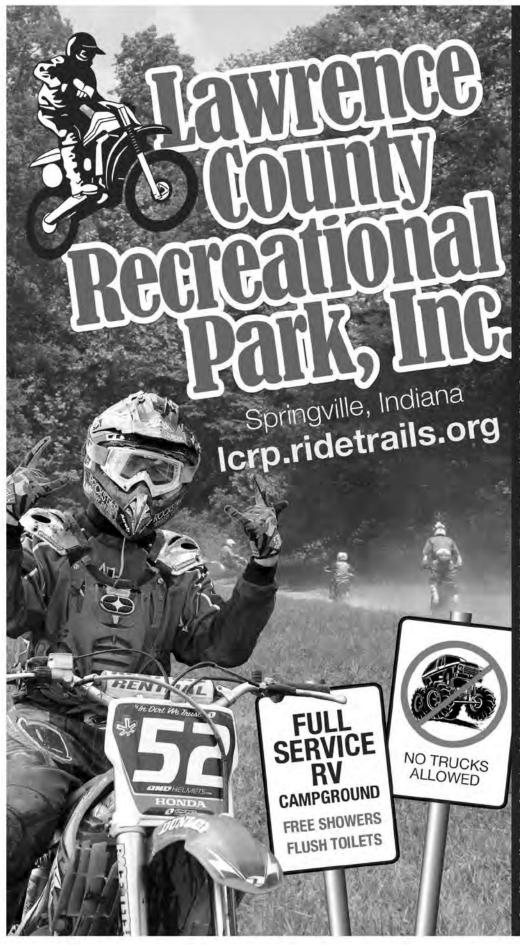
Everyone MUST sign-in and show a valid photo ID before entering the park. If you are not signed-In. you will be considered trespassing and will be subject to arrest. No rainchecks or breakdown refunds will be issued. Anyone under 18 MUST be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Rules of the Park

- Waivers must be signed by all participants before admittance, OTHERWISE, YOU ARE TRESPASSING.
- · Helmets and eye protection are required.
- Underage riders must be supervised.
- · Stay on the trails,
- Be considerate of younger or slower riders.
- Pick up your trash. Pack it in, pack it out.
- Riding permitted during daylight hours only
- 5 mph idle zone in staging areas.
- Impaired riding is prohibited.
- Wristband must be worn and visible at all times.
- We strongly advise the use of safety equipment: boots, gloves, long sleeve jersey, sturdy pants, and compliance with your state OHV laws.
- Lawrence County Recreational Park does not provide any medical insurance.



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Over 60 miles of Trails for the Novice and Experienced Riders

Our scenic trails are designed for all riders. If you're new to the sport, try your skills on the novice route. They're just challenging enough to entertain, but not too intimidating. However, if you are up for a challenge, our expert trails will test your abilities and provide the thrills that brought you to the sport in the first place. Remember that adrenaline rush you got the first time you made that pass that no one else could handle?

Trails for ATVs and Motorcycles

When you ride our trails, rest assured, you will not be overtaken by a large 4-wheeled vehicle. No trucks, buggies or sandrails are allowed at LCRP — Motorcycles and ATVs only. Enjoy your trail-riding experience with the family while feeling safe and secure, knowing you won't be run over by a "monster truck".

While you're visiting the park, make sure to stop by the Indiana Motorcycle Safety Memorial and walk of remembrance. This memorial is recognized by the State of Indiana as a state monument and features the names of individuals who have dedicated their lives to the sport of Indiana motorcycling. The memorial is located at the entrance way to the park.

Park amenities

Primitive and RV camping, shower facilities and port-o-lets on property.

Lawrence County Recreational Park is located at 99 Moore Lane (aka Carl Moore Lane), Springville, Indiana, 12 miles south of Bloomington, Indiana. Take State Road 37 to old State Road 37 at the BP station, turn west and follow the signs.

OPEN APRIL through OCTOBER: Thursday-Sunday 9am to 5pm — Call (812) 275-0186 for trail times.

OPEN NOVEMBER through MARCH: Saturday & Sunday 9am to 5pm — Call (812) 275-0186 for trail times. The shower house will be closed for the season during this time.

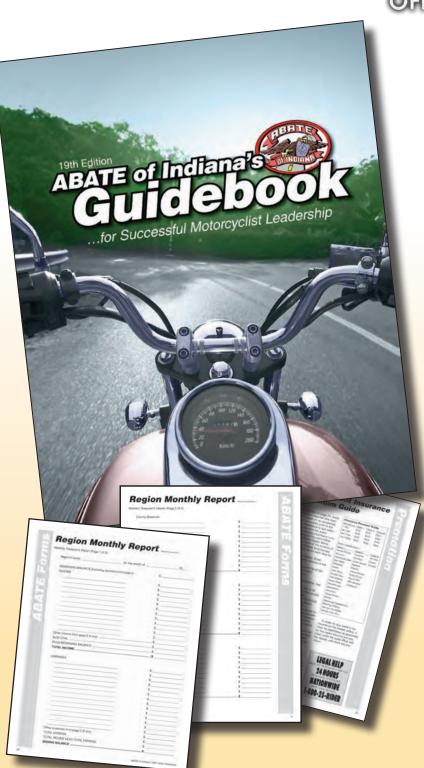
The park is open on the following holidays: Memorial Day weekend, 4th of July weekend, Labor Day weekend

PARK ADMISSION: ABATE Members \$10 per day; Non-Members \$15 per day; Kids Under 13 \$5 per day; Kids 5 and Under FREE

RV PARK FEES: Water and Electric Hookup Site \$40 per night; Primitive Site \$15 per night

www.lcrp.ridetrails.org





ADMINISTRATION AND REPORTING

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You have ABATE to thank!	
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SECRETARY

Secretary: the officer responsible for keeping all the records of the organization, preparing the agenda, handling correspondence, taking and recording the minutes, sending copies of minutes to region secretary/state office and performing other administrative duties that may be assigned by the organization.

In general, the secretary is responsible for (Articles 5 & 6 of Guidebook):

- 1. Keeping all the records of the organization on file.
- 2. Maintaining the official documents of the organization, including the bylaws, rules of order, correspondence, accomplishments, and minutes. Taking minutes at all region/county meetings, handling the correspondence, and preparing the agenda for the meetings unless the director/rep prefers to do this. The secretary should know how to call a meeting to order if the director/rep and assistant are absent.
- 3. Bringing to each meeting: the minutes book, bylaws, rules, agenda, ballots, and any supplies that may be needed.
- 4. Forwarding copies of minutes. The county secretaries are to send a copy of their minutes to the region secretary. Region secretary is to send copies of all region and county minutes to the state office.
- 5. Forwarding informational changes to the state office, such as meeting location, time, etc.

As you can see, the secretary is a *very* important officer in our organization.

LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Part of the records kept by the secretary is the list of accomplishments by the region/county for the year. Some items to track include: number of events; amount of money raised; other charitable events or contributions; participation in Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month; and written contributions to Hoosier Motorcyclist. The secretary should also keep record of sponsors, workers, etc. to be used for awards recognition.

Minutes: the official record of business conducted at a meeting.

It is not necessary to write every spoken word for inclusion in the minutes. We are creating a record of what took place, not an exact written transcript. Minutes do not contain personal comments or opinions about what has happened. It is the responsibility of the assembly (group) to approve and correct the minutes. What the group approves is considered the final wording

of the minutes. If a mistake is found in the minutes at any later time, it can be corrected by bringing it to the attention of the group. This is done by making the motion to amend something previously adopted, or the mistake can be fixed by general or unanimous consent. Many times, the presiding officer, together with the secretary, will review the minutes for accuracy and wording before the secretary puts them into final form. However, neither should insist on a particular wording to change the outcome of decisions made.

When writing the minutes, a good technique is to write so that anyone else reading the minutes would be able to visualize what was done at the meeting. Write the minutes as soon as possible after the meeting while it is fresh in your mind.

REMEMBER

Take up business one subject at a time

Alternate between opposite points of view in a debate

Keep personal attacks out of the debate

Debate only the merits of the question under discussion

Divide a question into two or more questions if appropriate

Do not include non-ABATE topics in your minutes

The following sections explain the contents of each part of the minutes, including how to correct mistakes, how to organize and group material, and the form for signing the minutes:

The Opening Paragraph

The opening paragraph includes the following items:

Call to Order

- ✓ The name of the organization, the date and time, the location of meeting, and the kind of meeting regular or special.
- ✓ The fact that the regular presiding officer and the secretary were present
 or the names of their substitutes.

Approval of the Minutes of Previous Meeting(s)

✓ What action was taken on the minutes of the previous meeting ("approved as read" or "corrected"). Corrections should be recorded in the minutes of both meetings; that is, in the minutes where the mistake was found, and in the minutes of the meeting where it was read. For example, the minutes for the meeting on August 3 would read: The minutes of the meeting on July 3 were corrected to read, "the next scheduled meeting is August 3." The minutes were approved as corrected.

August 3

Example: The next scheduled meeting is August 7.

The Body of the Minutes

The following items are included in the body of the minutes, with or without headings:

Reports of Officers and Committees (when applicable)

✓ The fact that the reports of officers, boards, and standing and special committees were given, and what action was taken, if any. Some minutes include a brief summary of committee reports; some give the entire treasurer's report, and some just give beginning and ending balances.

Special Orders – Election of Officers (when applicable)

✓ When nominations and elections are being recorded, the names of those nominated are included. Then the chair's declaration of each member elected is recorded.

Old Business

✓ The minutes should include unfinished business only if there was unfinished business on the agenda, and should state what action was taken on business that carried over from the previous meeting.

New Business

- ✓ The name of the maker of a motion and the person who seconds it.
- ✓ The final wording of all main motions (with amendments incorporated) and all motions that bring a question back before the assembly. Also, what happened to each motion, whether it carried or failed, including the number of 'yes', 'no' and abstaining votes. However, if the motion was withdrawn,* it is not recorded. If a motion was laid on the table and not taken from the table at the same meeting, this fact should be recorded

- in the minutes. Also, the motions to postpone and to refer to a committee should be included in the minutes, if they were adopted.
- ✓ Secondary motions that are adopted. If the motion to recess is adopted, the minutes should state what time the members recessed and what time the meeting was called back to order.

*Note: If a motion has been postponed to another meeting and then withdrawn, this fact should be noted in the minutes so that there is some record of the disposition of the motion.

Program and Announcements

The following items are grouped together in separate paragraphs and are placed at the end of the minutes:

- ✓ Speaker The name of the guest speaker and the program, if there is one. No effort should be made to summarize points given by the speaker. Guests should present or speak early in the meeting. Whenever possible, include materials distributed by the speaker.
- ✓ Announcements Any important ABATE announcements. For example, if the meeting place and the time are different for each meeting, the chair's announcement of the time and the location is recorded in the minutes.

Other

These items are included in the minutes as they occur:

- ✓ The results of a counted or a balloted vote.
- ✓ The fact that the assembly has gone into a committee and its report.

Adjournment

- ✓ The last paragraph contains the hour of adjournment.
- ✓ The signature of the person who took the minutes.

Note: Non-ABATE business should not appear in ABATE minutes.

APPROVAL AND CORRECTION OF THE MINUTES

The minutes are read immediately after the call to order and the opening ceremonies. They are approved as read or as corrected. They are usually approved by general consent.

Minutes may be corrected whenever an error is found, regardless of the time that has elapsed. Nothing is ever erased from the minutes. Corrections are made in the margin. When material is taken out, a line is drawn through the words that are to be taken out. Crossed out material should still be readable.

When minutes are approved, the word "approved" and the secretary's initials and date of the approval are written next to the signature of the secretary.

FORM OF THE MINUTES:

It is a good idea to have the minutes carefully reviewed for accuracy, spelling, and grammar before putting them in their final form, either handwritten into a bound, page-numbered book, or printed by computer and compiled into a notebook.

SAMPLE AGENDA:

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading and approval of the minutes

Treasurer's report

LINC report

Safety/Education

Old Business

New Business

Announcements

Adjournment

SAMPLE MINUTES

The regular meeting of (name of county) County/Region (number of Region) was called to order at (time) on (date) at (location) by (name of County Rep or Region Director). (Name of secretary) presented the minutes of the (date of previous meeting) meeting; minutes were approved as read.

(Name of treasurer) gave the Treasurer's report. The balance on hand as of (date of last meeting) was \$20; receipts from event sponsorships were \$50; the pre-approved expenditures for the bike-a-thon were \$25; balance on hand as of (current date) is \$45, which will be forwarded to the Region/State by (due date). The Treasurer's report was filed.

Motorcycle Safety Instructor (name) gave a safety and rider education report.

The LINC report was read by (name of LINC Rep) (copy attached).

(Name of member) motioned to relocate the meeting to (name of proposed location) to enable us to allow minor children at our meetings; seconded by (name of member). General discussion followed. Members present voted, 15 "yes", 0 "no"; vote was unanimous; motion carried.

(Name of County Rep) announced the following upcoming events:

(Name of event) @ (location), begins at (time)

Rider education classes are scheduled for (<u>dates</u>). Brochures are on the table for you to take. Registration is available online at abateonline.org.

Meeting adjourned at (time).

Respectfully submitted,

(Name of secretary) (Secretary Signature)

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Region & County Treasurer Guidelines

- All counties should send their treasurer reports to the region. The region treasurer then sends a copy of all county and region reports to the state office, on a monthly basis.
- Only regions are to maintain checking accounts. Counties are not to have a bank account. A copy of all bank statements is to accompany the monthly reports. The state treasurer must be listed as a signatory on all bank accounts.
- The state office is the only entity recognized by the Secretary of State. We are a 501(c) (3), which is a not-for-profit, educational, tax exempt organization.
- Do not pay sales tax on items purchased for ABATE. Use the tax-exempt number provided in handouts.
- When planning your event use the budget form located in the guidebook or on the website. Obtain a receipt for all items purchased and send the original receipt along with the final event budget report to the state office.
- After expenses, including insurance, send all money to the state office; Attn: ABATE
 Foundation, within 14 days of the event. All sanctioned events must pay for event
 insurance.
- If your event is for charity, send the following information to the state treasurer: charity name and address, their federal tax id#, and where to mail the check. The charity's information can be gathered by using the form W-9 in the guidebook.
- If your county or region receives donations, they too should be processed through the state office. Provide the donor with a receipt for their taxes.
- If money is to be returned to the county or region, provide the state treasurer with that information. For recordkeeping purposes we must process all charitable financial transactions through the state office, so we can properly report our figures. If you are in need of money for a program or a project, then request a return when you forward your report.
- As a 501 (c) (3), members of our organization cannot profit from it. If a member is in need of assistance and someone conducts an event for them, it cannot be an ABATE event. Do not process the money raised through any ABATE account. This is a separate event that has nothing to do with ABATE.
- If you are unsure, ask for assistance. The state office is here to support you.

Sales Tax

Any products sold by ABATE of Indiana are required to have sales tax collected and remitted to the state of Indiana. The tax is due at the end of the month following the sale. It is very important that any sales tax collected be sent to the ABATE state office by the 5th day of the month following a sale so that it can be included on the sales tax report sent to the State of Indiana. This includes all items sold. Shirts, cookbooks, photos and any other item sold requires sales tax. Items given away, such as shirts that are given out "while supplies last" at an event do not require sales tax.

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Region Monthly Report Revised October 2012

Monthly Treasurer's Report (Page 1 of 2)

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PLUS BEGINNING BALANCE		
TOTAL INCOME	<u> </u>	<u>00 </u>
EXPENSES		
Event Insurance to state ck#1020	\$_155. <u>00</u>	
Memberships to state ck#1021	\$ <u>95.00</u>	
Event Proceeds to State CK#1022	\$ 1,171.00)
Event Sales Tax to state ck#1023	\$ <u>13.00</u>	
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Other expenses from page 2 (if any)	\$ <i>0.00</i>	
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$ <u>0.00</u> \$ 1,634.0	
TOTAL INCOME LESS TOTAL EXPENSE	\$ <u>940.00</u>	
ENDING BALANCE	\$ 940.00)

Region Monthly Report Revised October 2012

Monthly Treasurer's Report (Page 2 of 2)

County Balances	
County 1	\$_ <i>50.00</i>
County 2	\$_70.00
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EVENT INSURANCE

- All sanctioned events & Tiny Tots applications must have a certificate of insurance (COI) ordered
- A COI for each of these events must either be ordered from the state office, or from the hosting festival/location
- When requesting insurance for a sanctioned event, the following information is required:

Name of hosting facility

Physical address of location, including zip code

Event name

Event date

Expected attendance (see premium guide)

Field Events (yes or no)

Ride mileage

Requested by (contact person for event)

Date of request

 When forwarding a COI from the hosting location, ABATE Foundation is to be listed as additional insured, & the certificate should read:

> ABATE Foundation PO Box 665 Bargersville IN 46106

- The insurance premium guide is located in the guidebook (pg. 33); currently there is no premium due from a county or region for a COI for Tiny Tots application
- Requests for, or proof of (COI), insurance should be submitted a minimum of two weeks prior to the event. (pg. 55)
- Region director's approval is needed for all insurance requests
- If the region director wants the secretary/treasurer to request insurance for an event, he/she needs to make the state office aware of this decision
- No invoices will be sent for insurance. The fees are listed on page 33 of the Guidebook (Tiny Tots is covered by the state office at no charge to the region).
- Payment is due to the state office (not the insurance carrier) within two weeks after the event
- If you have questions, please ASK.

Form ST-105 General Information & Instructions:

Only a current officer of ABATE of Indiana can sign the ST-105. Only use the sales tax exemption for purchases for a qualified ABATE of Indiana event. Never use ABATE's sales tax exemption for personal purchases. All four (4) sections of the ST-105 must be completed or the exemption is not valid and the seller is responsible for the collection of the Indiana sales tax

- Section 1: Name of purchaser, business address, & the Indiana tax id & location # have been completed for you.
- Section 2: The blanket purchase exemption box is already checked. You must write the specific item(s) to be purchased on the description line, after "fundraising items -".
- Section 3: The sales to nonprofit organizations line is already checked. No need to do anything further in this section.
- Section 4: Please read, then sign & print your name and complete current date & title. Give the completed ST-105 to the vendor when purchasing qualified items for ABATE of Indiana events.

Form ST-105 State Form 49065 (R5 / 6-17)

Indiana Department of Revenue

General Sales Tax Exemption Certificate

Indiana registered retail merchants and businesses located outside Indiana may use this certificate. The claimed exemption must be allowed by Indiana code. Exemption statutes of other states are not valid for purchases from Indiana vendors. **This exemption certificate** can not be issued for the purchase of <u>Utilities</u>, <u>Vehicles</u>, <u>Watercraft</u>, or <u>Aircraft</u>. Purchaser must be registered with the Department of Revenue or the appropriate taxing authority of the purchaser's state of residence.

Sales tax must be charged unless <u>all</u> information in each section is fully completed by the purchaser. Purchasers not able to provide all required information must pay the tax and may file a claim for refund (Form GA-110L) directly with the Department of Revenue. A valid certificate also serves as an exemption certificate for (1) county innkeeper's tax and (2) local food and beverage tax.

	Name of Purchaser: ABATE Foundation Inc			
3	Business Address: PO Box 665	City: Bargersville	State: IN	ZIP Code: 46106
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	Sales to a contractor for exempt project	ts (such as public schools, gove	rnment, or nonprofits)	
	Sales to Indiana Governmental Units	(agencies, cities, towns, municip	alities, public schools,	and state universities).
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The Indiana Department of Revenue may request verification of registration in another state if you are an out-of-state purchaser.

Seller must keep this certificate on file to support exempt sales.

Request for Certificate of Insurance

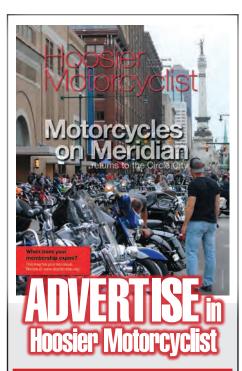
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HOOSIER MOTORCYCLIST, PROMOTING ABATE, AND SOCIAL MEDIA

Notes:	
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ABATE KIDS	
ABATE is looking for a few creative kids to submit their stories or motorcycle-related	
artwork to "Hoosier Motorcyclist" magazine	
for publication. If your child would like to tell us about why they like motorcycles, ABATE,	
or anything related to on-road or off road	
riding (ATVs too), we would like to print them on these pages.	
Please send all submissions to:	
ABATE of Indiana Kids	
P.O. Box 665, Bargersville, IN 46106 hmc@abateonline.org	



lssue deadlines:

First of every month prior to issue date. If a proof for approval is requested we need at least one week prior to deadline. Proofs are granted on request only.

Printing Specifications:

Printing Method	Web Offset
Binding	Saddle Stitch
Screens	110 line max.
Paper	. 50lb. Smooth White Offset

The following are acceptable for reproduction:

- Black & White or Color print photographs only (no negs).
- Black & White line art and some color line art.
- Black & White film negatives (to size)

Distribution

Approximately 20,000 copies of the "Hoosier Motorcyclist" are distributed, 3rd Class Bulk Rate, to thousands of motorcyclists throughout Indiana, across the country and overseas", in addition to approximately 800 through dealerships across the state. Monthly readership is approximately 30,000-40,000. "Includes multiple members at a single household.

Advertising Rates:

AD SIZE (ACTIVE AREA)	WIDTH	HEIGHT	COST
Full Page	7-1/2"	10"	\$440.00
2/3 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	10"	\$320.00
2/3 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	6-3/5"	\$320.00
1/2 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	7-1/2"	\$240.00
1/2 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	5"	\$240.00
1/3 Page (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	10"	\$160.00
1/3 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	5"	\$160.00
1/3 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	3-1/3"	\$160.00
1/4 Page (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	7-1/2"	\$120.00
1/4 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	3-1/2"	\$120.00
1/4 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	2-1/2"	\$120.00
1/8 Page (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	4"	\$64.00
1/8 Page (horiz.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	2"	\$64.00
Business Card (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	3"	\$48.00*
Business Card (horiz.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	1-1/2"	\$48.00*

Discounted Ad Rates:

- Yearly advertisers will receive 10% off their monthly rates with a commitment to twelve (12) issues per year.
- Semi-annual advertisers will receive 5% off their monthly rates with a commitment to six (6) issues per year (they do not have to be consecutive months).

*Business card advertisements are not eliglible for discounts

Ad Placement, Mailing and Shinning Information:

Please mail advertising contracts, space orders, insertion instructions, payment in full, advertising correspondence, and any art to be used on your advertisement to:

Hoosier Motorcyclist c/o Marc Falsetti

P.O. Box 665, Bargersville, Indiana 46106

If you have any questions call Marc Falsetti at 800-232-2283,317-422-8040, Fax 317-422-8373, hmc@abateonline.org, www.abateonline.org

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Sell ads and earn 25% commission per ad each month!

That's right, you can sell advertising for "Hoosier Motorcyclist"
magazine and make money doing it! Interested in earning some
extra money? Contact Marc at hmc@abateonline.org for details

HOOSIER MOTORCYCLIST Submissions Schedule

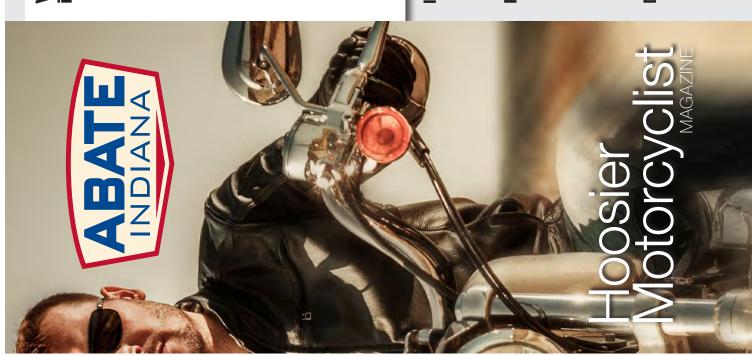
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*Months with asterisks next to them indicate an issue that will feature an event guide. Event guides will contain all sanctioned event flyers that are turned in by the submission deadline.

Please clearly label any articles, photos or letters with any of the information below that may apply:

- · Contact information
- Photographer information
- Region and county
- · Name of event or activity
- · Date of event or activity
- Location of event or activity

Send magazine submission to marc@abateonline.org, fax 317-422-8373 Mail to ABATE of Indiana, ATTN: Marc PO Box 665, Bargersville, IN 46106



Why should I advertise in "Hoosier Motorcyclist"?

Why? If you are involved in motorcycling, selling to motorcyclists, promoting motorcycle events, or sell something that is of interest to the motorcycling public, the "Hoosier Motorcyclist" is directed to your customers. Each month we mail to motorcyclists across Indiana and around the country.

Hoosier Motorcyclist is read by all; blue and white collar; professional and nonprofessional; parents and singles; grandparents and children, etc. All walks of life, with a common bond of the love of motorcycling and preserving their right to ride. ABATE of Indiana has only one objective, and that is the protection and preservation of motorcycling in Indiana. Therefore, the money you spend on advertising in the "Hoosier Motorcyclist" goes directly into this effort. You not only promote your product and services, you also become an important part of promoting the preservation of motorcycling.

There has never been a better opportunity for your business to reach so many motorcyclists throughout the state and across the country, at such a little cost.

You are going to advertise somewhere, why not do it where it helps not only you, but everyone involved, and consequently helps to maintain your market into the future.

ssue deadlines:

1st of every month prior to issue date. If a proof for approval is requested we need at least one week prior to deadline. Proofs are granted on request only.

Printing Specifications:

Distribution:

Approximately 20,000 copies of the "Hoosier Motorcyclist" are distributed, 3rd Class Bulk Rate, to thousands of motorcyclists throughout Indiana, across the country and overseas*, in addition to approximately 800 through dealerships across the state. Monthly readership is approximately 30,000-40,000.

Advertising Rates:

AD SIZE (ACTIVE AREA)	WIDTH	HEIGHT	COST
Full Page	7-1/2"	10"	\$440.00
2/3 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	10"	\$320.00
2/3 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	6-3/5	\$320.00
1/2 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	7-1/2"	\$240.00
1/2 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	5"	\$240.00
1/3 Page (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	10"	\$160.00
1/3 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	5"	\$160.00
1/3 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	3-1/3"	\$160.00
1/4 Page (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	7-1/2"	\$120.00
1/4 Page (vert.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	3-1/2"	\$120.00
1/4 Page (horiz.) – 3 column	7-1/2"	2-1/2"	\$120.00
1/8 Page (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	<u>"</u> †	\$64.00
1/8 Page (horiz.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	5"	\$64.00
Business Card (vert.) – 1 column	2-1/4"	ლ	\$48.00
Business Card (horiz.) – 2 column	4-7/8"	1-1/2"	\$48.00

Discounted Ad Rates:

YEARLY ADVERTISERS will receive 10% off their monthly rates with a commitment to twelve (12) issues per year. SEMI-ANNUAL ADVERTISERS will receive 5% off their monthly rates with a commitment to six (6) issues per year (they do not have to be consecutive months).

*Business card advertise ments are not eliglible for discounts.

Placement, Mailing and Shipping:

Please mail advertising contracts, space orders, insertion instructions, payment in full, advertising correspondence, and any art to be used on your advertisement to:

Hoosier Motorcyclist

Hoosier Motorcyclist c/o Marc Falsetti P.O. Box 665 (51 North Baldwin Street)

Bargersville, Indiana 46106

If you have any questions call Marc Falsetti at 800-232-2283, 317-422-8040, Fax 317-422-8373, E-mail: hmc@abateonline.org



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ABATE of Indiana, Inc. PO Box 665 (51 N Baldwin St) Bargersville, Indiana 46106 317-422-8040 / 800-232-2283

ABATE ARTWORK OWNERSHIP/LICENSING AGREEMENT

Whereas,	("Artist") is a resident of	, County,,
and is providing artwork to ABATE of	Indiana, Inc. and ABATE Foundation Inc.	(collectively "ABATE") per the terms
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Artwork for Exclusive Use a	nd Ownership by ABATE. Artist agrees	to a compensation of to
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Artist Signature	ABATE Signature	
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EVENT FLYERS

FOR SANCTIONED EVENTS ONLY. Flyers can be designed for you at no charge. Only one flyer design will be created per event. This service includes printed flyers that will be mailed to you at no charge (up to 100 flyers). Larger quantities require approval from the region director. Flyers are designed in color and printed in black and white. A digital PDF of your flyer will be emailed to you and made available to download at ABATEonline.org. Standard flyers are 8.5x11. Mini flyers are 4 pocket sized flyers to a page that you can cut apart. Please only request what you need to help the organization keep costs down. The direction of flyers is overseen and executed by our art department. If you would like to direct your own design, you are welcome to design your own flyers and submit them to the office for the magazine.

REQUESTING FLYERS - The sanctioned events list is not a request for flyers. You have to first send a completed request to receive flyers. Requests for a basic flyer should be received a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date you need your flyers. Not two weeks before your event. Requests for more elaborate flyers with custom art, special formats, mailings or other special requests may require a longer time frame to complete or be declined due to cost, complexity or time restraints. All flyers for sanctioned events must have "An ABATE Foundation Event" visible on the flyer. Sanctioned events, can not have anything relating to gaming on the flyer without proper licensing. This includes but is not limited to poker runs, 50/50 drawings, raffles, door prizes or any game of chance. Flyers can feature the ABATE Family Friendly Event logo upon request.

ARTWORK - We will take care of creating artwork for your flyer. We can not use any artwork you provide without a signed artist agreement (available at ABATEonline.org and in your seminar binder). Requests for specific custom artwork may take additional time or be declined due to complexity or inadequate time frames. If you send a flyer request, asking for your shirt art to be used on the flyer, your flyer request will be held until a shirt request as been received and your shirt art is completed.

APPROVALS - We will not distribute or use flyers for promotion without written approval from the region director via mail, fax or email. We will obtain those approvals for you. Further approvals from other officers may be required if requested by the region director.

MAILING - Flyers are mailed USPS First Class or Priority Mail to the person listed on the flyer request or the region director. We can not send any overnight packages. Please contact our Member Services department about region/county mailings far in advance from when your mailing is needed. Mailings take a significant amount of time to process and deliver.

FLYERS IN THE MAGAZINE EVENT GUIDE - Flyers do not run in the magazine every month. Flyers will run in the event guide, featured four times a year in the Hoosier Motorcyclist magazine. Flyers will not run in the magazine in any other month unless advertising space has been purchased from the editor. Turn in a flyer request for a sanctioned event by the magazine deadline for free submission into the event guide. Completed flyers received after the magazine deadline will be placed on a waiting list and utilized on a first come, first serve basis, if openings in the magazine become available.

Event Guide Magazine Deadlines:

- ◆ March 1st deadline is for events in April, May and June.
- ◆ June 1st deadline is for events in July, August and September.
- ◆ September 1st deadline is for events in October, November and December.
- ◆ **December 1st deadline** is for events in January, February and March.

REQUEST FORMS

- ◆ Printed forms can be found in your ABATE guidebook or your seminar binder.
- Digital forms can be found on the ABATE website at ABATEonline.org. Go to the "About" tab and then "Officer Forms". A form can also be emailed to you upon request.
- If you do not use a request form, you will need to include all necessary information in your request. We recommend using a form as a guide for the information to provide. If you are unable to send all of the necessary information, you will be asked to submit a completed request form.

SEND REQUESTS TO - Email art@abateonline.org. Fax 317-422-8373, Attn: Art Dept. Mail to ABATE of Indiana, Inc., Attn: Art Dept., PO Box 665, Bargersville, IN 46106. Please call the office if you have not received a response to your request within one week. Requests in most cases will not be taken over the phone. Information not given in writing is given at your own risk. You will be responsible for mistakes on any requests, information or approvals not given in writing.



SANCTIONED EVENT FLYER

1) Flyers will be created for sanctioned events only. 2) Flyers must be requested at least 2 weeks before you want Region/County the flyer, NOT 2 weeks before the event. 3) For information regarding mailings, contact member Name services at the state office 1-800-23-ABATE. 4) All flyers MUST include "An ABATE Foundation Event" visible within the layout. Phone 5) Raffles, 50/50s, door prizes and similar are considered gaming and require proper license. These will not be Email included on your flyer without licensing. Event name Date Time Location and directions Price Minimum age Do you want the ABATE Family Friendly Event logo used on your flyer? Food, events, camping, games, activities and entertainment For more information contact Miscellaneous information Who should we mail your flyers to? Include name and address. Number of copies requested Standard (8.5x11) Mini (4 to a page)

Flyer Requested by

Flyers/flyer requests that are sent to the state office and received by the deadline will be included in the Hoosier Motorcyclist magazine event guide. The December 1st deadline is for events held in January, February and March. The March 1st deadline is for events held in April, May and June. The June 1st deadline is for events held in July, August and September. The September 1st deadline is for events held in October, November and December.

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SHIRTS AND PROMOTIONAL ITEMS

FOR SANCTIONED EVENTS ONLY. Shirts and other promotional items can be designed for you at no charge and sent to the print vendor of your choice. Designs can be prepared for embroidery, pins, or screen print. Promotional products should be used to increase revenue for the event.

USING THE STATE OFFICE RESOURCES We have vendors that we use for screen printing, pins and embroidery on a regular basis. They provide us prompt, quality service at competitive prices. If you choose to utilize our resources, you will need to provide the state office with a request form. We will take care of creating your art, quotes, preparing your order, getting it approved by your director, placing the order, checking the bill for accuracy, settling any discrepancies with the vendor and billing. If you go through the state office for your order, we will pay the printer on your behalf and then send you a bill for the amount that you will need to reimburse to the State Office. The due date for your bill will be set at 45 days unless other arrangements have been made. Do not pay for your order until you receive a bill.

USING YOUR OWN RESOURCES You may choose to utilize our resources for your artwork, but want to send your art to a different printing company. When sending your art to a different vendor, you will be responsible for obtaining your quotes, processing your order and vendor payment. There may be artwork limitations due to the printer you have chosen and the equipment/software that they use. To avoid problems, provide any requirements your printer may have before your artwork is started. *DO NOT SEND LOW RESOLUTION JPG's TO YOUR PRINTER AS FINAL ART.*

REQUESTING SHIRTS AND PROMOTIONAL ITEMS Only one design will be created per event (some exceptions may apply). Requests for specific custom artwork may take additional time or be declined due to complexity or inadequate time frames. Most projects take less time than what is listed below. Call the state office with your request information to find out details more specific to your project and to pre-schedule your project. Projects that have been pre-scheduled will receive priority.

T-shirts requests for a standard shirt design should be received 6 weeks prior to the date you need your t-shirts. Once an order is sent to the vendor, the average turnaround time is 10 business days.

Embroidery requests for a standard patch design should be received 4 weeks prior to the date you need embroidery.

Pins requests for a standard pin design should be received 12 weeks prior to the date you need your pins. Pins generally have a long production time and can have high minimum quantities requirements.

ARTWORK We can not use any artwork you provide without a signed artist agreement (available at ABATEonline.org and in your seminar binder). Requests for specific custom artwork may take additional time or be declined due to complexity or inadequate time frames. If you send a flyer request, asking for your shirt art to be used on the flyer, your flyer request will be held until a shirt request as been received and your shirt art is completed.

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Do you need a specific color of shirt/product	
Where would you like your artwork (front, back, pocket, right	sleeve)
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Who would you like your order shipped to (name, street addr	ress and phone)
Will you be using one of our vendors or your own?	
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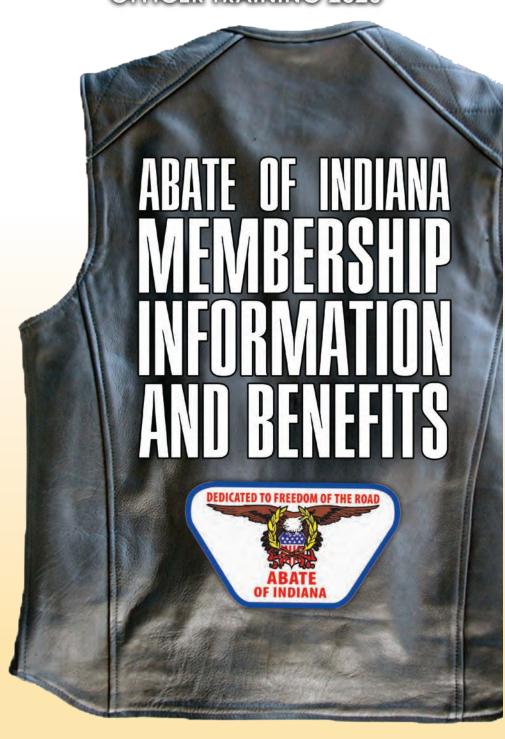
ABATE (American Bikers Aimed Toward Education) of Indiana is a not-for-profit, safety, educational, charitable and advocacy motorcyclist organization. It is our aim to promote safety, protect rights and help others.

ABATE of Indiana represents all Indiana riders, both street and off-road. ABATE has a full-time staff, 350 volunteer officers, and about 100 certified safety instructors, dedicated to serving the interests of all motorcyclists.

ABATE of Indiana's motorcycle safety program has received numerous national awards of excellence and many of the instructors have received the nation's highest honors. More than 135,000 students have graduated since it's inception in 1979, resulting in a dramatic decrease in motorcycle fatalities which continues today.

In 1976 ABATE was responsible for the repeal of the state's mandatory helmet law and continues to defend the equal rights of motorcyclists - preserving their freedom of choice. ABATE of Indiana believes education, not legislation, is the key to creating a safer environment for motorcycling.

In addition to promoting motorcycle safety and education, ABATE has also been involved with collecting money for charities and those in need. Over the years, ABATE has raised nearly \$4,300,000 for the Muscular Dystrophy Association! Tons of food and truck loads of toys are donated each year at Christmas time, through toy collection programs. In addition, ABATE has contributed hundreds of thousands of dollars to various local state and national charities, and has been instrumental in raising \$6,772,012.87 for Riley Hospital for Children in Indianapolis.



Notes: ABATE to thank! Ridden without a helmet. 2. Ridden without eye protection. 3. Ridden without a reflective vest. ABATE of Indiana encourages 4. Ridden in a group larger than three. safe and responsible motorcycling. 5. Ridden a bike with ape hangers. but believes that riders should have Modified your engine in any way. the greatest input in that decision. 7. Modified your drive train in any way. 8. Modified your transmission in any way. Modified your exhaust in any way. 10. Modified your suspension in any way. 11. Put non-OEM tires on your bike. 12. Worked on your own motorcycle. 13. Had someone who wasn't an authorized dealer/service provider work on your motorcycle. **14.** Purchased, considered purchasing, or gone for a ride in a Polaris® Slingshot® or other autocycle. 15. Turned left at a poorly calibrated red light. 16. Ridden in HOV (high occupancy vehicle) lanes in any state. 17. Enjoyed the same road rights as other motor vehicles. 18. Have motorcycle insurance through State Farm. 19. Never dealt with motorcycle only checkpoints. 20. Got a motorcycle endorsement without mandatory safety training. 21. Received your motorcycle endorsement without taking the riding test. 22. Enjoyed motorcycle safety training at an affordable price. 23. Not paid a \$10 motorcycle only tax on each motorcycle registration. **24.** Enjoyed the protections of "moped" registration. 25. Enjoyed having to pay for a motorcycle endorsement once for life instead of with every license reneg 26. Ridden dirt bikes on state-owned land with a friend from out-of-state. If you have been riding on our dime, it's time to provide your two cents worth JOIN ABATE TODAY! www.abateonline.org/join

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- ★ A membership card. ★ FREE ABATE patch for your first year, and a year pin thereafter. ★ FREE motorcycle awareness bumper sticker.
- * Reduced admission to over 180 ABATE of Indiana sanctioned events every year. A weekend hardly goes by without an ABATE sanctioned event occurring somewhere in the state. There are events for adults as well as families.
- * One year subscription to "Hoosier Motorcyclist" news magazine.
- ★ One free personal classified ad in the "Hoosier Motorcyclist" news magazine every month.
- ⋆ No Cost \$3,500 Accidental Death and Dismemberment benefit for ALL active members through American Income Life Insurance.
- * ABATE Legal Services provides 24 hour, nationwide accident investigation teams. With attorneys who ride and believe in motorcyclists' rights and life-style. All current members receive a free will preparation.
- * Insurance discounts through ISU Underwood Insurance Agency -- offering ABATE members the absolute lowest insurance rates, for even the hard to insure motorcycle and rider.
- * Access to Motorcycle Rider Education Classes -- ABATE offers one of the highest-rated rider education programs in the country. Using nationally recognized curriculum, this program instructs beginning and/or experienced motorcyclists to ride with tremendous confidence.

All benefits subject to change

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Dear ABATE of Indiana Member,

As a member of ABATE of Indiana, you have a no-cost **\$3,500 Accidental Death & Dismemberment** benefit. This benefit and others listed below are provided jointly through ABATE of Indiana and American Income Life Insurance Company.

Please return the card enclosed so you may receive your certificate of coverage and name your beneficiary. If you do not name your beneficiary, the \$3,500 would be paid to your estate and may be taxable.

Those who return the card will also receive a Health Services Discount Card for you and your family at no cost that provides household discounts up to 60% on prescriptions, hearing care, vision care/products, and chiropractic care. Optional discount dental is available.

You can also receive Child Safe Kits for your children and grandchildren at no cost. These kits help you gather vital data, photos and fingerprints for authorities in the event of an emergency.

Ride Safe Ride Free,

Jay Jackson
Executive Director

An AlL representative will contact you to deliver your certi cate of coverage and no-cost bene ts, witness your bene ciary designation and review other supplemental insurance bene ts that may be available to you and your family. If you have questions, please call American Income Life Insurance Company at 1-800-495-1213.

Please return the enclosed card right away or respond online at www.ailife.com/benefits/sgg6a

Total amount in AIL policies paid to our members families since implemented. \$\$1,038,448.56.



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Dear ABATE Officer

American Income Life Insurance Company supports working families and in partnership with your organization, we provide a group Accidental Death and Dismemberment Benefit for all members. A notification of benefits letter will be sent from your organization to all members and enclosed with the letter will be a response card with which the members can designate their beneficiary intent. All members who return the card will be contacted by an American Income Life representative for delivery of their no cost benefits. Members will have the option on a voluntary basis to purchase additional supplemental insurance benefits.

The following have been implemented for effective communication ensuring the success of the program. Our levels of communication include:

- Attending State Conventions
- · Office Orientation for Administrative Staff
- Orientation for Phone Bank Staff (if applicable)
- · Assisting with processing of death claims

Read-Off Letter - A letter from the organization will be read to all members we visit, prior to showing them additional insurance benefits they can purchase on a voluntary basis. This letter lets the members know the benefits are being presented on a voluntary basis and there is absolutely no obligation whatsoever.

Zero Tolerance Policy – AIL has a zero tolerance policy. This policy is our commitment to ensure all members are treated respectfully. If you receive concerns from any of your members, we ask you to document the information and provide it to me, your AIL representative. My contact information is below. Upon receiving the information, I will immediately begin a full investigation of the incident in an effort to resolve all concerns you may have.

To further ensure our program is positively received by your membership, AIL provides ongoing training for all representatives visiting your members. The training includes an explanation of our relationship with your organization; what commitments have been made, and your expectations.

Also, enclosed for your convenience, is a document entitled "Frequently Asked Questions" which will be helpful to you in answering any questions that may arise.

As your representative for American Income Life, I am committed to making sure the service for your organization is of the highest standard. Please contact me at the phone number or email address listed below if you or your members have any questions.

Sincerely,

Tami Williams 317-828-1183 tswilliams@ailife.com





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Frequently Asked Questions by **ABATE** Members

When a notification of benefits is mailed out, you may receive phone calls from your members with questions. Your positive response will be very helpful in promoting goodwill between American Income Life Insurance Company, ABATE, and your members.

1. What is this all about? Is this legit?

All members are provided a fully paid group Accidental Death and Dismemberment benefit through the co-operation of ABATE and American Income Life Insurance Company. This is at no cost to ABATE or the member.

2. Do we have to return the (yellow) card to receive the bene its?

No, all members are covered for the Accidental Death and Dismemberment benefit whether or not they return their card. If members do not return the card they will not be able to take advantage of the Family Health Services Discount Program or the Child Safe Kit. Members who return their cards can designate their beneficiary intent, receive the Health Services Discount card information, Child Safe Kit(s), and receive a follow-up courtesy visit including additional information on voluntary supplemental insurance benefits for which you may qualify.

3. Are they going to sell me insurance?

American Income offers members additional supplemental insurance benefits. It is a voluntary program.

4. Am I covered only at work?

No, the coverage is 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and will provide coverage for all activities anywhere in the world.

5. How did they get my name?
You were sent a letter and enclosed with your letter was a (yellow) reply card that was sent back to American Income Life Insurance Company. Someone in your home would have sent back the card. AIL contacts only those who voluntarily return the completed card.

6. Someone called and said they are from ABATE:

They are with American Income Life Insurance Company and they are contacting you to set an appointment to deliver the no-cost benefits and your certificate of coverage for the Accidental Death and Dismemberment benefit.

7. Someone dropped by the house:

They are with American Income Life Insurance Company and they dropped by when visiting other members in the area. They probably could not reach you by phone and are trying to set a meeting to deliver the no cost benefits and your certificate of coverage for the Accidental Death and Dismemberment benefit.

I had an appointment with AIL and they never showed up:

The policy is for the agent to contact you and let you know they are running late and give you the option to reschedule. Do you have the agent's name? I will find out what happened, and have the appointment rescheduled.

If a member calls with a question other than what is listed above, please refer them to me so that I can make sure their question is answered. I appreciate your assistance in making this program a positive experience for your members.

> Tami Williams **AIL Public Relations** 317-828-1183 tswilliams@ailife.com



ABATE Legal Services

Wherever the road may take you...

We're always riding at your side!

What is the ABATE of Indiana Legal Services Plan?

The ABATE of Indiana Legal Services Plan is a program which provides legal services, accident investigation assistance, emergency medical information, professional motorcycling education, and legal education to members of ABATE of Indiana, Inc. and their families who are involved in personal injury accidents.

Who operates the ABATE of Indiana Legal Services Plan?

The ABATE of Indiana Legal Services Plan is operated by ABATE of Indiana, Inc. (ABATE). ABATE maintains a "Plan Service Center" in Indianapolis. The Plan Service Center has a national toll-free (24 hour) emergency hotline, which members may use for assistance wherever they are. The ABATE of Indiana Legal Service Plan is administered by the "Plan Administrative Committee."

Who may participate in the plan?

All ABATE of Indiana members, their spouses, and their dependents may participate in the ABATE of Indiana Legal Services Plan. We also extend our services to prospective ABATE members.

What benefit does the plan offer to members?

Legal Services

Injured ABATE members pay only 28 ½% of total recovery and expenses as approved by client, consistent with and conforming to applicable state law. Elsewhere, you may pay 33%, 40% or even 50% of your recovery. And, ABATE members are not charged for recovery of damage to your motorcycle, and have access to a 24-hour toll-free telephone number.

Accident Investigation

If a member in the plan becomes involved in a personal injury accident, the member may immediately notify the ABATE Plan Service Center and the Plan will then provide the services of an accident investigator. The accident investigator will obtain copies of policereports, locate and interview witnesses, photograph the scene of the accident, and provide other necessary investigative services.

Accident Notification

If a participant in the plan becomes involved in a personal injury accident, the member may utilize the national toll-free telephone number to contact the Plan Service Center. If so requested, the Plan Service Center will immediately notify the member's relatives concerning their personal injury accident.

Motorcycle Safety and Legal Educational Programs

The Plan will also provide educational programs, seminars, and information concerning motorcycling safety and the legal rights of the motorcyclist. For motorcycle safety class information call 317-422-8040.

Who may I contact if I have other questions about the ABATE of Indiana Legal Services Plan?

Call 800-25-RIDER. These ABATE attorneys are motorcyclists.

What should I do if I am involved in a motorcycle accident or personal injury accident?

- **1** Immediately contact your legal representative and discuss with him the full facts of your case.
- **2** Never give a statement to anyone other than as is required by the law, before you consult with your legal representative.
- **3** Always (if you are physically able) obtain, or have someone obtain for you, the names, addresses and telephone numbers of witnesses to your accident.

All current members receive a FREE will preparation at abatelegal.com

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Motorcycle Riders Foundation Motorcycle Statistics Fact or Fiction

Analysis A number of inconsistencies and erroneous conclusions have been uncovered in examining recent data related to motorcycle crashes and fatalities published by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), as well as by news outlets reporting on such data. If the information is presented in a questionable manner, then the theories and conclusions derived from the information may be questionable.

Solution Since much of the data is incomplete and without context, the conclusions based upon that data are flawed. The only true solutions to motorcycle safety are proactive measures, which prevent a collision from occurring at all, rather than reactive steps that may or may not offer some level of injury mitigation only after a crash has already taken place. Rider education, which prepares the motorcyclist to interact with other roadway users by learning and practicing the skills necessary for hazard avoidance and developing a strategy to deal with real world traffic, is the primary component of a comprehensive motorcycle safety plan. Additionally, educating all motor vehicle operators to be alert and free of impairment as they share the road with others is critical in deterring crashes caused by inattention.

Training and Awareness are the Keys... Examples of how the motorcycling community works to address and implement these measures are as follows:



Lobby for state legislated rider education programs and work with state program coordinators to develop, promote and improve training courses.

Present

"Share the Road" programs to driver education classes, civic and social organizations and public meetings.

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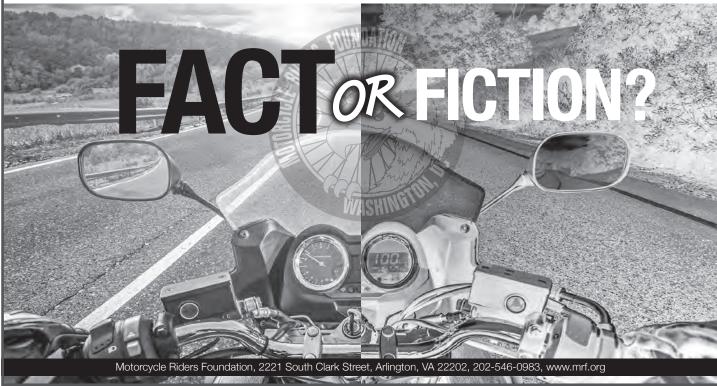
"Right of Way" legislation that provides prosecutors more opportunities in cases where a motorist's negligence causes injury or death to

Create Mo-

torcycle Safety and Awareness Month to remind all motor vehicle operators of motorcyclists' presence on the road.

Straight" messages within the motorcycling culture encouraging everyone to ride and drive free of impairments.

For more information contact the Motorcycle Riders Foundation, 202-546-0983, legislative@mrf.org





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Incomplete Data When the authors of a report put forth only some of the data available to them, while ignoring additional important data on the subject of the report, it calls into question the integrity of the results of that report. None of these facts are intended to argue against motorcycle helmet use, but rather to demonstrate that a mandatory motorcycle helmet law is not the quintessential solution to motorcycle safety.

Fact While many point to the recent rise in motorcycle fatalities as proof that the U.S. needs stricter motorcycle helmet laws, there is no evidence to support this premise. For the past two years, traffic fatalities as a whole have been on the rise. According to NHTSA, motorcycle fatalities rose 5.1% between 2015 and 2016. However, their same data shows that motor vehicle fatalities as a whole rose by 5.6%. Like motorcyclists, passenger car occupant fatalities rose 5.1% between 2015 and 2016. SUV occupant fatalities rose by 5.2%, and van occupant fatalities rose by 8.4%. Despite this rise in fatalities for car, SUV, and van occupants, no one is suggesting that that we implement helmet laws for the operators and occupants of cars, SUVs and vans. Why are such suggestions being made with regard to motorcyclists?

Pact Despite assertions to the contrary, there is no evidence to suggest that the presence or absence of mandatory motorcycle helmet laws had any discernible impact on motorcycle fatalities in 2016. In its latest publication concerning motorcycle crashes, NHTSA analyzed motorcycle traffic fatalities for the year 2016. There were 5,286 motorcycle related fatalities in 2016. 2,102 of those fatalities occurred in the 19 states that have a mandatory motorcycle helmet law, as well as in the District of Columbia. 3,184 fatalities took place in the 31 states that either allow adults to choose whether or not to wear a motorcycle helmet, or simply have no law whatsoever on the matter. When we factor in motorcycle registrations we get a more accurate depiction of what those numbers mean. Of the 8,679,380 motorcycles registered in the United States in 2016, 5,199,042 were registered in states that allow adults to make their own choice when it comes to wearing helmets. The other 3,480,338 motorcycles were registered in states that have a mandatory helmet law. That means that the fatality rate per 100,000 registered motorcycles was 60.39 in states with mandatory motorcycle helmet laws, while the fatality rate per 100,000 registered motorcyclists in the states that allow adults to make their own choice was 61.24. That is a less than one percent difference in motorcycle fatality rates between the two groups of states.

Fact There is reason to doubt the veracity of the numbers cited in the latest NHTSA report on motorcycle traffic fatalities, at least when it comes to motorcyclists using the roads and highways on a regular basis. The report starts off by stating that "[F]or the purposes of this fact sheet, motorcycles include two- or three-wheeled motorcycles, off-road motorcycles, mopeds, scooters, mini bikes, and pocket bikes." Data from accidents involving off-road motorcycles, mopeds, scooters, mini bikes, and pocket bikes, should not be used in any serious study of motorcycle fatalities, nor should such data be cited in any serious discussion on ways to reduce motorcycle traffic fatalities; doing so would be comparable to using data from fatalities involving four-wheelers and go-carts to formulate safety strategies for our nation's highways.

Historically, NHTSA has published data on motorcycle crashes and fatalities in a subtly but importantly different way than it has on data concerning motor vehicle crashes and fatalities as a whole. For instance, in its overview of fatal motor vehicle crashes published in October of 2017, NHTSA reported that there were 37,461 people killed in crashes on U.S. roadways during 2016, which was an increase from 35,485 in 2015. They went on to point out that the 5.6-percent increase in motor vehicle fatalities in 2016 is lower than the 8.4-percent increase in motorcycle fatalities, despite the fact that the 5.1% increase in motorcycle fatalities in 2016 is lower than the 8% increase in motorcycle fatalities from 2014 to 2015.

Fact Fatalities due to alcohol impairment are an overall traffic safety problem, not just a motorcycle problem. Because NHTSA issues a yearly report which focuses only on motorcycle fatalities and injuries, it is easy for people to point to that yearly report and conclude that certain factors which contribute to traffic fatalities are unique to motorcyclists. Nothing could be further from the truth. For instance, in its latest report on motorcycle traffic fatalities, NHTSA reports that 25% of motorcyclists involved in a fatality in 2016 were alcohol impaired. They claim that it is the highest percentage of any other vehicle classification. Yet in its overview of fatal motor vehicle crashes published in October of 2017, NHTSA reported that 28% of overall motor vehicle traffic fatalities in 2016 were due to alcohol impairment. That is a 5.6% increase from 2015 according to NHTSA. Passenger cars saw a 3.1% increase from 2015 in fatalities due to alcohol impaired drivers. Light utility trucks saw a 3.6% increase. Vans saw a 23.3% increase, while large trucks saw a 50.9% increase. However, between 2015 and 2016, there was only a 0.1% increase in motorcycle fatalities due to alcohol impaired drivers. The MRF believes that any traffic fatality due to alcohol impairment is one too many. However, it is important to point out that alcohol impaired driving is not a problem unique to motorcyclists.

For more information contact the Motorcycle Riders Foundation, 202-546-0983, legislative@mrf.org



The ouly national motorcycle rights organization dedicated to on-street riders

INTER 2018

Motorcycle Profiling Resolut (S. Res. 154) passed the Senate with unanimous const

SPRING 2018

The MRF holds its 10th Annual advocacy day ride-in to date with over 100 attendees, and 300 meetings with elected officials from across the country;

SUMMER 2017

A legislative measure to address the profiling of motorcyclists is introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives; co-sponsors from six states quickly sign on;

WINTER 2016

A bi-partisan and comprehensive highway bill, The FAST ACT, takes effect and includes the MRF's key

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The MRF successfully advocated for legislative language to prevent federal funding of motorcycle only checkpoints AND played an instrumental role in reestablishing the Motorcyclist Advisory Council;

This just scratches the surface! For more MRF history, visit MRF,

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 Sustaining Membership Club \$100

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The Motorcycle Riders Foundation provides leadership in our Nation's Capital for States' Motorcyclists' Rights Organizations as well as motorcycle clubs and individual riders. The MRF is chiefly concerned with issues at the national and international levels that impact the freedom and safety of American street motorcyclists and is committed to being a national advocate for the advancement of motorcycling and its associated

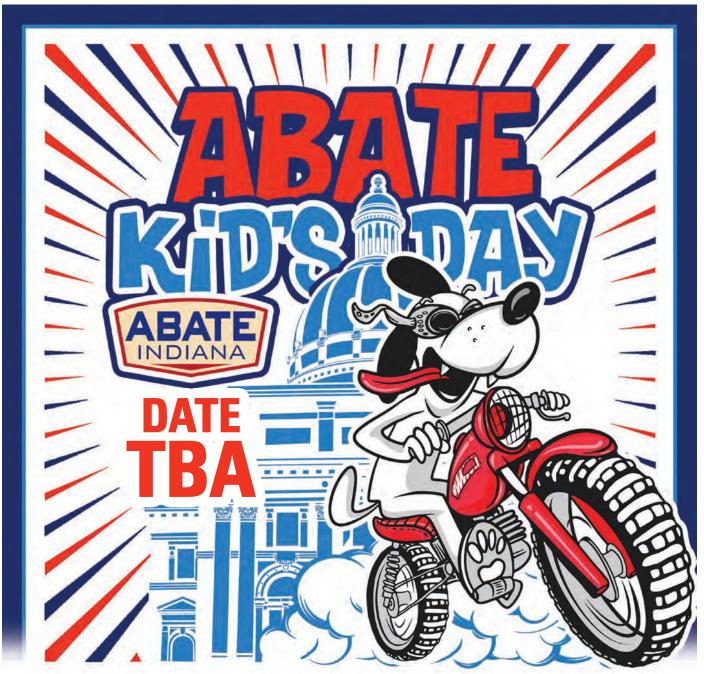
EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS FOR MRF MEMBERS

- Receive regular public policy updates throughout the year
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- \$4,000 policy for Accidental death and dismemberment insurance

WHY IOIN THE MRF?

The MRF and its dedicated team of staff and volunteers bring opportunities to connect with bikers all across America. With a network of over 250,000 individuals, we can mobilize grassroots in all 50 states, implement member driven policies at the national level, and keep our members up to date on the latest and greatest when it comes to laws and regulations that affect your right to ride. Most importantly, the MRF promotes the image of today's biker in a positive way.

"At the time of the Fall Seminar, the exact schedule and format of the 2021 legislative session for the Indiana General Assembly is undetermined. The 2020 session ended early related to a scheduling issue with the Big Ten Tournament, and the coronavirus global pandemic. ABATE of Indiana is very proud of our tradition of educating young people about the legislative process. We expect to continue that in 2021. We will provide updates detailing how we intend to do that in the current environment when more information is available."



ABATE of Indiana's Annual ABATE Kid's Day at the Statehouse

A GREAT EXPERIENCE FOR ALL KIDS WHOSE PARENTS ARE ACTIVE ABATE MEMBERS

MEET AT 9:00 AM AT THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING IN THE ROTUNDA

Kids will learn how government works during this fun and educational experience. Call or email Kelly Jackson at the ABATE office to preregister your child or to volunteer for ABATE Kid's Day 2021. Lunch is on your own. Date subject to change. Check ABATEonline.org for updates. An ABATE Foundation Event.

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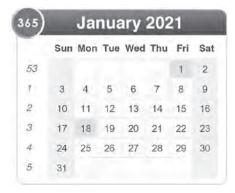
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1 Jan	New Year's Day
18 Jan	Martin Luther King Day
12 Feb	Lincoln's Birthday
14 Feb	Valentine's Day
15 Feb	Presidents Day
16 Feb	Mardi Gras Carnival
14 Mar	Daylight Saving (Start)
17 Mar	St. Patrick's Day
1 Apr	April Fool's Day

2 Apr	Good Friday
4 Apr	Easter
5 Apr	Easter Monday
5 May	Cinco de Mayo
9 May	Mother's Day
15 May	Armed Forces Day
23 May	Pentecost
24 May	Pentecost Monday
31 May	Memorial Day

14 Jun	Flag Day
20 Jun	Father's Day
4 Jul	Independence Day
6 Sep	Labor Day
11 Sep	September 11th
17 Sep	Citizenship Day
24 Sep	Native American Da
11 Oct	Columbus Day
16 Oct	Boss's Day

16 Oct	Sweetest Day
31 Oct	Halloween
7 Nov	Daylight Saving (End)
11 Nov	Veterans' Day
25 Nov	Thanksgiving
7 Dec	Pearl Harbor
25 Dec	Christmas Day
31 Dec	New Year's Eve

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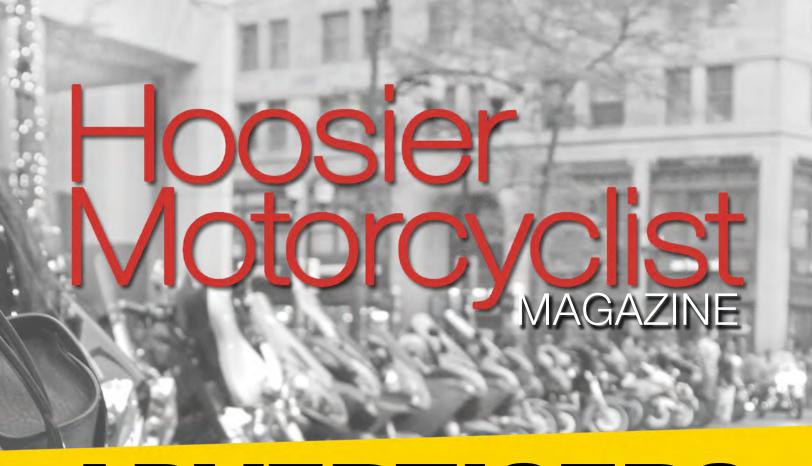
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