



ABATE OF ARIZONA

State Officers Meeting

Date: May 1, 2016

Site: American-Italian Club 7509 N. 12th St #200 Phoenix, AZ

Officers Absent: Teresa, Judy, Leo, JR

Guests: Nolan

Call to Order with Moment of Silence: Sgt. of Arms- Vic 10:30 am

REPORTS:

MINUTES: -waived Vic 2nd Johnny D

MEMBERSHIP -565 members 44 business members. We are seeing a drop, but a lot of people wait to renew at Too Broke. Larry talked to Ben about double Masterlink being sent out. Some glitches in the patch/pin system are being worked out.

Jim B brought up we need to do a business member audit for the Masterlink. We need to find out if the businesses are getting enough or too many and adjust the numbers accordingly. Chapter membership should take care of this.

PAC- Johnny D is going to NCOM. He has 7 designated lobbyists going to Bikers on the Beltway. We really need a lobbyist for ABATE.

Johnny D voiced his appreciation to Woody for setting up the survey.

Unsure about lane splitting being on the 2017 agenda

SAFETY – May motorcycle awareness month proclamation has been secured. Teresa will be teaching more Accident Scene Management Classes in July for anyone interested.

EVENTS/RUN – Vacant Jim B needs the list of members that are being converted to lifetime so a poster can be created. We need to remind the chapters that we need volunteers to sign up for Too Broke for Sturgis

MERCHANDISE - Vacant For personal reasons Sweet Pea has resigned as merchandise.

COMMUNICATIONS - unavailable

NEW BUSINESS: Vic is going to write an article for the Masterlink about Motorcycle Day at the Dome. We need to have more of the gold liberty bell pins made for next year. Every legislature got letters in their inboxes.

OPEN DISCUSSION: When it comes to social media think twice before posting stuff with connection to ABATE.

Jim B brought up we really need to push for attendance at Meeting of the Minds to show a strong presence.

NEXT MEETING: June 5, 2016

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ADJOURNED: motion Jim S 2nd Vic 11:45 am