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MOTORCYCLE OHIO TO PRESENT SAVED BY THE HELMET AWARD

Presentation will be made during annual safety awareness event

- What:** Motorcycle Ohio, part of the Ohio Department of Public Safety's Office of Criminal Justice Services, is gathering with partners to raise motorcycle safety awareness. Motorcycle Ohio will also be presenting the Saved by the Helmet Award to Ohio State Highway Patrol Sgt. Reggie Streicher, who was recently injured while wearing his helmet.*
- Who:** John Born, Director, Ohio Department of Public Safety
Karhlton Moore, Executive Director, Office of Criminal Justice Services
Lt. Colonel Kevin Teaford, Ohio State Highway Patrol
Rob Dingman, President and CEO, American Motorcyclist Association
Motorcycle riders, enthusiasts and local law enforcement motorcycle units have been invited to attend as well.
- Where:** Quaker Steak and Lube
8500 Lyra Drive (off Polaris Parkway)
Columbus, OH 43240
(Rain location – inside Quaker Steak and Lube)
- When:** Wednesday, May 14, 2014
3 p.m.
- Why:** Motorcycle Ohio is committed to providing education and raising awareness for motorcycle safety. The motorcycle riding season is already underway and May is Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month. Now is the time to get the word out that motorists must watch out for motorcyclists and motorcyclists must always ride sober, motorcycle endorsed, alert, with the right gear and trained.

**Sgt. Streicher is unable to attend; therefore, Lt. Col. Teaford will be accepting the award on his behalf.*

