

State of the Organization 2012

Well folks another year has passed and as required in the By-Laws this is the current state of our organization. On January 1st of 2012 we are down by 36 members. Believe it or not this is a heck of a lot better than last year. With all of the things that have happened in the last year I am surprised that the number was not higher. A big thank you is due to all of the members who stayed with FORR and also those whom asked their fellow riders to join us.

Our finances are in better shape this year than in January of last year with the exception of the PAC Fund which is down about \$450 dollars. If we would have had 50 more people at Homecoming that number would also have improved.

We are still trying to improve on the website and have added Facebook to our communications system. Facebook has been helpful in recruiting new members as well as getting more old members more involved in with our group.

Regardless of the reason you joined FORR® whether it was for the party, the riding, the rallies, riders education, or the belief that riders should decide or just because your buddy did! Your continued support again made us the strongest Motorcyclist's Rights Organization in Missouri. We shall, with your help, continue to **guard the rights of all motorcyclists, inform them of motorcycling related laws good or bad, provide them rider education, help promote safety, and accept others in the true spirit of brotherhood that is the core of our motorcycling community from the beginning. .**

It has been an honor and a privilege to have served as your Central Committee Chairman for the last 6 years. May your road be free of hazard, your bikes never leave you stranded, and your companion always be with you.

Faithfully submitted,

Former CC Chairman Mark Chapman