



JULIAN VAIL, LLC NEWS & NOTES



DECEMBER 11, 2009



UPCOMING EVENTS

**Michigan Corn Growers
Assoc. Board Meeting**
Dec. 16, 2009
9:00 a.m. DeWitt, MI

MCSA Board Meeting
December 16, 2009
11:00 a.m.
Julian Vail Office

Lansing AG Club
December 16, 2009
Radisson Hotel, Lansing
7:00 a.m.

MCPI Quarterly Meeting
January 5, 2010 5:00 p.m.
Doubletree Hotel, Novi

**MABA
Winter Conference &
Trade Show**
January 11-13, 2010
Lansing Center

**MSUHA
Equestrian Show & Polo
Match**
January 16 & 17, 2010
8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
MSU Arena-Exhibit Area

2009 MICHIGAN LEGISLATIVE SCHEDULE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

- Tuesday, December 15 - 10:00 a.m.
- Wednesday, December 16 - 10:00 a.m.
- Thursday, December 17 - 10:00 a.m.

SENATE - TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

- Tuesday, December 15 - 10:00 a.m.
- Wednesday, December 16 - 10:00 a.m.
- Thursday, December 17- 10:00 a.m.

MICHIGAN SOYBEAN ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES 2010 BOARD

Michigan Soybean Association held their 2009 Annual meeting on Wednesday, December 9, at Schuler's Restaurant in Marshall at which time they elected their 2010 Board of Directors and Officers.



2010 Board of Directors

Congratulations

District 1: Steve Gazdag (Bonnie), District 2: Andy Welden, District 3: Richard Janssens (Mary), District 4: Jim Wilson (Rene) *President*, District 5: Ron Weisenberger (Pamella), District 6: David Williams, District 7: *Vacant*, District 8: (at Large) Bill Spike (Deb), Herb Smith *Vice President*

PUBLIC DEFENSE REFORM LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

Representative Constan and Representative Amash introduced defense reform legislation (House Bill 5676) in the Michigan State House of Representatives! Much debate on the bill is anticipated. Your questions and comments are welcome. Please feel free to email us at info@mijustice.org.

Date: Monday, December 14, 2009.

9:00 a.m. U.S. House Judiciary Committee Briefing on Solutions to Indigent Defense.
1:30 p.m. Michigan House Judiciary Committee hearing on public defense reform legislation.
Wayne State University Student Center Ballroom, Second Floor, 5221 Gullen Mall, Detroit
For parking details and other information, visit www.mijustice.org.

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MICHIGAN FARM MARKET & AGRI-TOURISM ANNOUNCES 2010 BOARD

At their Annual meeting, held at the DeVos Center in Grand Rapids, the MI-FMAT Association elected their 2010 Board of Directors. They are: Caroll Harper, Chuck Goodman, Howard Taylor, Karey Robinette, Steve Klackle, Richard Hobson, Edward Carpenter, Steve Tennes, Jan Earl, Doug DeLeo, Abby Jacobson, Kevin MacRitchie, Kim Overhiser & Doug Westendorp.

Congrats New Board



COMMITTEE & SESSION

Committee: **Energy & Technology**

Location: 519 House Office Building, Lansing, MI Date: Tuesday, 12/15/09, 8:30 a.m.

HB 4838 (Meekhof) Land use; zoning and growth management; production of ethanol in zoned agricultural land; authorize.

Chair: Representative Jeff Mayes

Committee: **Regulatory Reform**

Location: 326 House Office Building, Lansing, MI Date: Wednesday, 12/16/2009, 9:00 a.m.

HB 5121 (Haugh) Gaming; bingo and charitable gaming; millionaire parties conducted by nonmembers of charities; increase fees and provide for expedited license.

HB 5536 (Johnson) Occupations; other; licensing and regulation of bail bond agents and certain related personnel; provide for.

HB 5537 (Johnson) Criminal procedure; bail; certain requirements for bail bond agents and bail bond runners; provide for.

Chair: Representative Bert Johnson

"A wise and frugal government, which shall leave men free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and shall not take from the mouth of labor the bread it has earned - this is the sum of good government."

Thomas Jefferson

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