



Spring 2016

Happy Spring!

Thanks to the many MCSA members who have participated in the effort to move the security legislation, Senate Bills 161 through 164 and their companion bills through the legislative process. We are near the finish line and hope to have all passed and signed by Governor Snyder before the June 2016 recess. Thank you for your continued support.



MCSA's annual meeting and member training is May 12, we will be offering something different this year so be sure to save the date.

As always, it is a privilege and honor to represent you as MCSA's president at functions that benefit our organization. In this newsletter we offer a synopsis of a legislative dinner we hosted. These efforts surely help decision makers appreciate our issues.

As always, feel free to contact me for any reason.

Sincerely,

Dale White  
MCSA President

### **Welcome New Members!**

LeMario Sigmon - D&A Public Safety and Investigations, Inc.  
De-Andre Taylor - D&A Public Safety and Investigations, Inc.

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**If you have not yet renewed your 2016 membership it is now past due!**

Please contact the office if you have any questions about your membership.

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**Save the Date**  
MCSA Annual Meeting and Training  
May 12, 2016

### **March Legislative Report**

Julian Vail, LLC monitors the legislative activity for issues that may positively or adversely affect MCSA members.

The primary work of the legislative committee has focused on the MCSA legislation that is pending before the House of Representatives.

SB 161 through SB 164 along with the House companion bills are pending a vote in the House of Representatives.

Senator Booher has been instrumental in speaking to the House leadership to have a vote soon after the spring break. The House and Senate return to session in the second week of April.

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### **Joint Legislative Dinner Meeting**

On March 16, 2016, the Board of Directors of both MCSA and the Michigan Council of Professional Investigators (MCPI) met at the Hall of Fame Café in East Lansing, MI with several legislators.



Sen. Booher

MCSA builds and maintains strong relationships with Michigan legislators because in the blink of an eye issues that impact members can come to the forefront of public opinion. When legislators meet us face-to-face they know who they represent. There is nothing in the world that surpasses the ability to pick up the phone when seeking clarification on issues. Our efforts are appreciated and recognized.



Sen. Emmons

Michigan legislators were able to shake hands with MCSA members and hear about issues important to MCSA and MCPI. It was also helpful for members to get an update on the legislative process and hear Senator Booher's comments about the pending vote on the MCSA training legislation.

Senator Emmons gave a brief report on the Human Trafficking situation in Michigan and how severe it has become. Representative Runstead spoke about his legislation to regulate the use of personal drones and also the retention of records and videos. There was lively discussion about each topic and everyone in the room recognized the potential impact of these issues.



Rep. Runstead

Both Boards and organization members thanked each of the legislators for attending and sharing their perspectives on issues. Other legislators in attendance were Senator Jones, and Representatives Howrylak, Dianda and Churkin.



Sen. Joens



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• Support MCSA membership agendas?	?	Yes

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