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Message Comes At Colorado 600, A Five-Day Ride-And-Trail Symposium

AMA President and CEO Rob Dingman, AMA Vice President for Industry Relations and Corporate Member Programs Jim Williams and AMA Government Affairs Manager Royce Wood took part in the Colorado 600 in August to talk with participants about threats to trail riding.

The Colorado 600 is a five-day rideand-trail symposium that traverses the mountains of southwestern Colorado.

Each day, riders ride trails and learn about issues facing trail riders.

Riders heard from the AMA, the Colorado Off-Highway Vehicle Coalition (COHVCO) and the Colorado Trails Preservation Alliance (TPA) about the political and regulatory threats to trail riding in the United States.

AMA Board Chairman Stan Simpson, one of the organizers of the ride, also spoke about the importance of being involved in motorcyclists' rights organizations.

"The ride was fantastic, and the riders seemed truly interested in the threats to

responsible motorized recreation that we face," Wood said.

"Thanks, too, to Don Riggle for his hard work at the event, and for sharing his extensive activist expertise with the riders," he said.

Riggle, the TPA director of operations, is the trail boss and trails coordinator for the Colorado 600, and arranges all the routes,

assigns the guides and oversees the trail

All proceeds from the Colorado 600 ride support the TPA, which is a nonprofit organization focused on preserving motorized, single-track trail riding.

> AMA President and CEO Rob Dingman addresses the crowd at the Colorado 600.

