**OHIO STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION HOUSE OF DELEGATES**

**Resolution No. 05 – 2020**

**Introduced by:** Hancock County Medical Society

**Subject:** Helping Retired Physicians Stay Involved

**Referred to:** Resolutions Committee No. 1

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**WHEREAS**, Retired physicians have a wealth of knowledge to share; and

**WHEREAS**, When physicians retire from their full time practice of medicine, they must obtain tail coverage for claims made medical liability insurance; and

**WHEREAS**, The insurance carrier will not charge the physician for the cost of tail insurance, if the physician retires; and

**WHEREAS**, Physicians may want to volunteer their time to free clinics and other health care settings, but have no liability insurance; **therefore be it**

**RESOLVED**, That the OSMA work to develop a roadmap/handbook for retired physicians who want to contribute to their community by volunteering their services at low income clinics and other healthcare settings and need accurate information about volunteering as a physician including medical liability coverage.

**Fiscal Note:** $ 1,000 (Sponsor)

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