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VI Cyclists Ride in Memory of Paul Gillette on Monday; General VICF Meeting Follows with Executive Board Elections

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Paul Gillette By. THE VI CYCLING FEDERATION

ST. CROIX — The VI Cycling Federation will kick off its 2020 season on Monday at 7:00 a.m. with the 10th Annual Paul Gillette Memorial Ride, the federation said Thursday.

Cyclists dedicate their first ride of the season each year to Paul Gillette because he was a positive figure in the cycling community, a long-standing member of the federation and a man of great character, according to the federation.

Mr. Gillette passed away suddenly in 2011. The 13-mile group ride will commence at 7:00 a.m. from the Cheeseburger's in Paradise parking lot in Southgate and will complete a circle of the east end of St. Croix, the federation said. The event is open to cyclists of all abilities; it is not a race. Helmets and shoes must be worn.

According to the federation, a VICF General Assembly Meeting will be held immediately following the group ride and will include elections of three positions on the executive board, a presentation of the schedule of 2020 events and fellowship with complimentary refreshments for those in attendance.

For more information about the group ride or about how to become involved in cycling, please call 340-513-2707.

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