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## GOVERNMENT FINANCE - TRANSPORTATION STUDY SUBCOMMITTEE

Thursday, March 19, 2026  
Roughrider Room, State Capitol  
Bismarck, North Dakota

10:00 a.m. Call to order  
Roll call  
Consideration of the [minutes of the December 11, 2025, meeting](#)  
Comments by the Chairman

### GRAND FORKS

10:05 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the City of Grand Forks regarding fixed route city transportation services in Grand Forks, relating to:

- Annual revenue sources, including fare collections, fare discounts or contracted rates, federal funding, state funding, property tax revenues, sales and use tax collections, and other local revenues
- Annual expenditures, including operating costs and capital purchases
- Ridership trends, including a comparison to city population growth, usage by major demographic categories, and student ridership
- Route statistics, including mileage, number of stops, bus frequency, number of buses, and a route map
- Operational challenges, including future funding needs and other concerns

### BISMARCK

10:45 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the City of Bismarck regarding fixed route city transportation services in Bismarck, relating to:

- Annual revenue sources, including fare collections, fare discounts or contracted rates, federal funding, state funding, property tax revenues, sales and use tax collections, and other local revenues
- Annual expenditures, including operating costs and capital purchases
- Ridership trends, including a comparison to city population growth, usage by major demographic categories, and student ridership
- Route statistics, including mileage, number of stops, bus frequency, number of buses, and a route map
- Operational challenges, including future funding needs and other concerns

### COMMENTS

11:25 a.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the subcommittee's study of fixed route transportation networks

11:35 a.m. Committee discussion

12:00 noon Adjourn

**A livestream of the meeting will be available to the public at: <https://video.ndlegis.gov>.**

**Committee Members**

Senators: Randy A. Burckhard (Chairman), Justin Gerhardt, Chuck Walen

Representatives: Bert Anderson, Ty Dressler, Austin Foss, Jim Grueneich, Patrick R. Hatlestad, Kelby Timmons

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