House Government and Veterans Affairs Committee

Testimony of Travis R Zablotney HB1463

February 5, 2025

Chairman Schauer and members of the Government and Veterans Affairs Committee:

I ask you to recommend a do not pass on HB1463. I am Travis Zablotney resident of Minot and Chairman of District 5 NDGOP.

Please consider should legislative district meeting requirements of a private organization be dictated by state century code and the legislators or by the members of a district through the district organizations bylaws?

I believe the latter is correct. The State should have no authority to determine the meeting location of a private organization holding district meetings. If members of the district have issue with meeting locations or for that matter anything else within the operation of the district, they should bring an amendment to the bylaws to be voted on by the members of that district. This one is simple, leave it to the people at the lowest level of the private organization to make this decision.

I STRONGLY URGE A DO NOT PASS ON HB1463

Respectfully,

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