

THE WALSH COUNTY **RECORD**

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The Walsh County Record has been publishing public notices for our subscribers since I became publisher of the paper over 40 years ago. I can attest to the fact that the public continues to consume their news through print media. We officer public notices in every issue, every week and every year.

News sources have changed with social media, but transparency is only possible when using all available sources. Confining public notices to government websites will decrease transparency and jeopardize the public's trust. NDNA currently offers web web publication of notices on ndpublicnotices.com in addition to print media.

I urge you to vote NO on SB2069 as it will undermine public trust and limit access to public notices. An informed public is a trusting public.

Thank you for your consideration.

Jackie L. Thompson

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