

Senate Appropriations Government Operations Division.

Sen. Terry Wanzek, Chairman

SB 2069 -- OPPOSED

CHAIRMAN WANZEK AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

My name is Cecile Wehrman, executive director of the North Dakota Newspaper Association (NDNA). We are **OPPOSED** to SB 2069.

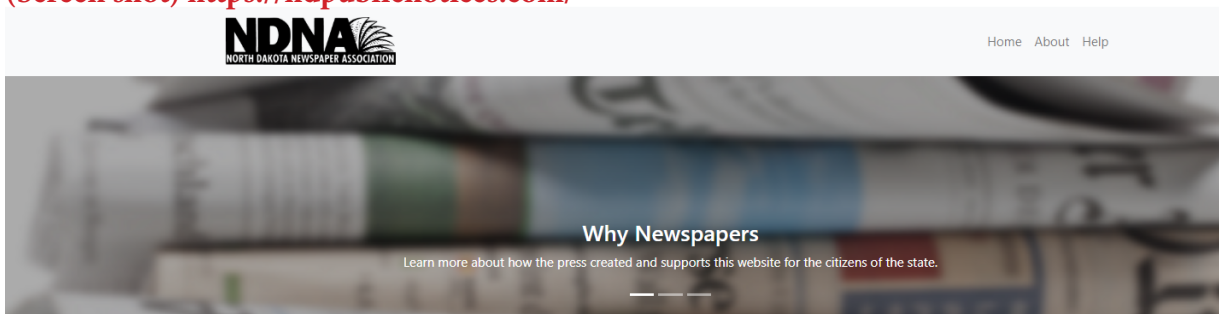
SB 2069 seeks to solve a very rare problem with an expensive solution.

NDNA has operated a statewide public notice website since 2013. All newspapers are already required, according to state law, to post all public notices on the website. It is searchable using an interactive map by county and by city (using search terms). There is NO COST to government or consumers.

Failure to publish notices is EXTREMELY rare. For instance, we haven't missed a PSC publication since September 2023. Of 583 administrative rules notices placed last year, only .03 percent had any issue with timing and all were found substantially compliant by the Attorney General.

We have offered a solution to deal with extremely time sensitive PSC notices so they have a direct upload at the time hearing notices are placed with newspapers. We urge you to deny an appropriation that would duplicate services already available.

(Screen shot) <https://ndpublicnotices.com/>



Search for:

Common Phrases:

County:

City:

Publication:

Search Date: -

Welcome

This website hosts public and legal notices published in newspapers across North Dakota. Here you can perform refined searches of notices made available to the public through newspapers of record.

This website is provided by North Dakota's newspapers as a free service for the purpose of informing and engaging the citizens and maximizing the availability of this information.

To search the notices, simply input the parameters you wish to query. Then click the 'Search' button at the bottom of the form to begin. The process may take a few seconds to display your results.

Notices by County

