

May 21, 2014

## MEETING NOTICE

Senator Ronald Sorvaag, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE**.

**Date:** Thursday, June 12, 2014

**Time:** 8:30 a.m.

**Place:** Camp Grafton, Devils Lake

**Agenda:** Presentations by representatives of the Department of Veterans' Affairs regarding the status of the service dog training program and veterans' higher education assistance programs; by representatives of the Adjutant General regarding an update on the projected costs for writing, publishing, and distributing a record of all North Dakota veterans since statehood; by representatives of the ND Cares Task Force regarding the activities of the task force; by representatives of the Administrative Committee on Veterans' Affairs regarding potential legislation related to veterans' benefits; by the Legislative Council staff of a memorandum regarding income tax exemptions in other states for veterans' retirement pay; a tour of Camp Grafton; and other presentations, including presentations regarding National Guard programs

**Special Note:** Anyone who plans to attend the meeting and needs assistance because of a disability should contact the Legislative Council staff as soon as possible.

**Committee Members:** Senators Ronald Sorvaag, Ron Carlisle, Richard Marcellais, David O'Connell; Representatives Roger Brabandt, Glen Froseth, Ed Gruchalla, Rick Holman, Karen Karls, George J. Keiser, Curtiss Kreun, Scott Louser, Gail Mooney, Chet Pollert, Vicky Steiner, Alon Wieland

**Staff Contacts:** Alex J. Cronquist, Fiscal Analyst  
Allen H. Knudson, Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor

Any member unable to attend this meeting is asked to notify this office as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Jim W. Smith  
Director

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