

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

Tentative Agenda

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Tuesday, July 10, 2018
Roughrider Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

10:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Consideration of the minutes of the February 22, 2018, meeting

STUDY OF THE PURPOSE AND CONTENT OF STATEMENTS OF INTERESTS

10:05 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the Secretary of State's office regarding:

- Other states with similar statement of interests requirements
- Other states without statements of interests

10:15 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a bill draft [19.0183.01000] to amend North Dakota Century Code Section 16.1-09-03, relating to contents of statements of interests

10:20 a.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study

10:25 a.m. Committee discussion regarding the study

STUDY OF MOVING LOCAL ELECTIONS TO THE GENERAL ELECTION IN NOVEMBER OF EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS

10:30 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the North Dakota School Boards Association regarding the timing of school board elections

10:50 a.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study

10:55 a.m. Committee discussion regarding the study

STUDY OF OFFICE SPACE COST AND VALUE OF PROPERTIES OWNED BY JOB SERVICE NORTH DAKOTA

11:00 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the Office of Management and Budget regarding potential legislative changes necessary to allow the state to be more flexible in purchasing available property

11:10 a.m. Presentation by a representative of Job Service North Dakota of an update regarding agency efforts to lease or sell excess office space

11:20 a.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study

11:25 a.m. Committee discussion regarding the study

OTHER COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

11:30 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the Governor's office regarding the findings and recommendations from the study of operations of the Department of Financial Institutions and the Securities Department, including the feasibility and desirability of combining the agencies into a single department, pursuant to Section 4 of 2017 Senate Bill No. 2008

12:00 noon Luncheon recess

STUDY OF THE DUTIES AND ROLE OF THE NORTH DAKOTA FIREFIGHTER'S ASSOCIATION

1:00 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study

1:10 p.m. Committee discussion regarding the study

**STUDY OF STATUTORY AND REGULATORY
REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDING**

1:15 p.m. Presentation by a representative of the Office of Management and Budget regarding the reports from each executive branch agency receiving federal funds of a plan to operate the agency if federal funds the agency receives would be reduced by 5 percent or more, pursuant to Section 54-27-27.1

1:20 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the study

1:25 p.m. Committee discussion regarding the study

STUDY OF THE STATE'S EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE SYSTEM

1:30 p.m. Presentation by a representative of the State Department of Health regarding:

- The various levels of emergency medical services (EMS) personnel, including necessary training
- Meetings held with stakeholders since February 2018 regarding the rural EMS assistance grant program
- An update on 2018 rural EMS assistance grants, including any changes or potential changes to the grant program
- The department's response to concerns regarding the changes made in 2017 to the rural EMS assistance grant program
- The level of funding the department is requesting for the rural EMS assistance grant program for the 2019-21 biennium

2:15 p.m. Comments by interested persons

2:30 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives

2:45 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives: Scott Louser (Chairman), Lawrence R. Klemin, Kim Koppelman, Marvin E. Nelson, Christopher D. Olson, Dan Ruby, Roscoe Streyle

Senators: Randall A. Burckhard, Joan Heckaman, Dave Oehlke, Ronald Sorvaag

Staff Contact: Alex J. Cronquist, Fiscal Analyst