## **SECC** State Employees Compensation Commission

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October 2, 2020

The Honorable Doug Burgum Governor, State of North Dakota 600 East Boulevard Avenue State Capitol, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Bismarck, ND 58505

Dear Governor Burgum,

Pursuant to North Dakota Century Code 54-06-25, the State Employees Compensation Commission (SECC) hereby forwards to you its recommendation for state employee salary increases for the 2021-23 biennium.

- 1. The SECC recommends that fully funded family health insurance be provided with no significant changes to the current plan. (Passed unanimously.)
- The SECC recommends state employee salary increases be funded at 2% for each year of the 2021-23 biennium and be distributed based on performance; and that an additional \$1.44 million be provided for equity and compression issues as identified by the agencies. (Passed unanimously.)

Sincerely,

Joe Morrissette, Chair

CC: SECC Members

Joe Morrissette, Chair Jason Sutheimer, Member Conrad Smith, Member Nicole Ralph, Member John Gourde, Member Senator Nicole Poolman, Member Senator Jerry Klein, Member Representative Jason Dockter, Member Representative Mary Schneider, Member