

November 19, 1997

MEETING NOTICE

Representative Bill Oban, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **BUDGET COMMITTEE ON LONG-TERM CARE**.

Date, Time, and Place: Tuesday, December 16, 1997, 10:00 a.m., School for the Deaf, 14th and College Drive; UND-Lake Region, 1801 North College Drive; Academy Village, 1209 Seventh Street NE; and Heartland Care Center, 620 East 14th Avenue, Devils Lake
Wednesday, December 17, 1997, 9:00 a.m., Senior Citizen Center, 202 Fourth Avenue, and Odd Fellows Basic Care Home, 1124 Second Street, Devils Lake

Agenda: Budget tours of the School for the Deaf and UND-Lake Region; presentations by the Task Force on Long-Term Care Planning regarding basic care rate equalization, home and community-based services availability, long-term care financing, and American Indian long-term care needs; presentations by the Legislative Council staff of a memorandum comparing congregate living, assisted living, basic care, nursing home care, swing beds, subacute care, and acute care and a memorandum on the intent of basic care rate equalization legislation; presentations by representatives of the Department of Human Services on long-term care services provided in the Devils Lake region and the Lake Region Human Service Center 1997-99 biennium budget, on rates for long-term care and home and community-based services, and on quality control measures for home and community-based service providers; presentation by a representative of Senior Meals and Services, Inc., on its expanded case management pilot project; and other presentations

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.

Special Note: Highway 57 south of Devils Lake is closed at the narrows and Highway 20 from mile marker 77 to mile marker 97 is under construction and open daily with flaggers and pilot cars. As weather changes, Highway 20 may be closed at certain times of the day. Since Highway 57 is closed and Highway 20 may be closed depending on weather, you may want to consider alternate routes. Please check the road conditions report for the most current highway information.

Committee Members: Representatives Bill Oban, Grant C. Brown, Mike Callahan, Ron Carlisle, James O. Coats, Jeff W. Delzer, Gereld F. Gerntholz, Shirley Meyer, Lynn J. Thompson; Senators Bill L. Bowman, Aaron Krauter, Evan E. Lips, Harvey Sand, Russell T. Thane

Staff Contacts: Chester E. Nelson, Jr., Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor
Paul R. Kramer, Senior Fiscal Analyst

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

Sincerely,

John D. Olsrud
Director

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