

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Tentative Agenda

EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMITTEE

Thursday and Friday, September 9-10, 2004

Meadowlark Room 12, Alerus Center

Grand Forks, North Dakota

Thursday, September 9, 2004

- 1:00 p.m. Call to order
Roll call
Consideration of minutes of June 7-8, 2004, meeting
- 1:05 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of bill drafts relating to authorizing the Attorney General to provide legal counsel to boards of health and the qualifications of local public health officers
- 1:10 p.m. Comments by interested persons and committee discussion regarding the bill drafts
- 1:30 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the State Department of Health and local public health units regarding public health core functions and essential services
- 3:00 p.m. Coffee break
- 3:15 p.m. Presentations by representatives of Grand Forks County and the City of Grand Forks regarding emergency response preparedness and the use of federal homeland security grant funds
- 5:00 p.m. Recess

Friday, September 10, 2004

- 9:00 a.m. Continuation of discussion regarding emergency response preparedness and the use of federal homeland security grant funds
- 9:30 a.m. Presentation by representatives of Altru Health System regarding emergency response preparedness
- 10:15 a.m. Coffee break
- 10:30 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Howard D. Swanson, Grand Forks City Attorney, regarding disaster ordinances and responding to emergencies
- 11:00 a.m. Comments by interested persons and committee discussion
- 12:00 noon Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives Todd Porter (Chairman), William R. Devlin, Keith Kempenich, James Kerzman, Joe Kroeber, Andrew Maragos, Bob Martinson, Jon O. Nelson, Mary K. Nester, Clara Sue Price, Gerald Uglem
Senators Robert S. Erbele, Ralph L. Kilzer, Tim Mathern, Michael Polovitz