

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

Tentative Agenda

ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AND TRANSMISSION COMMITTEE

Wednesday, July 31, 2013
Harvest Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Comments by the Chairman
Review of the *Supplementary Rules of Operation and Procedure of the North Dakota Legislative Management*
- 9:15 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Grant Levi, Director, Department of Transportation, on recent activities of the department and on the study of a four-lane energy corridor on United States Highway 85
- 10:00 a.m. Break
- 10:15 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Lance Gaebe, Commissioner, Department of Trust Lands, on oil and gas impact grants
- 10:45 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Dale Niezwaag, Senior Legislative Representative, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, on transmission in western North Dakota and Basin Electric's carbon capture project and tax credit
- 11:15 a.m. Presentation by Mr. Curtis Jabs, Director, North Dakota Transmission Authority, on transmission issues
- 11:30 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the State Department of Health on federal and state issues related to oil and gas development
- 11:50 a.m. Luncheon recess
- 1:10 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Alan Anderson, Commissioner, Department of Commerce, on recent activities of the department and the EmPower ND Commission
- 1:30 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Lynn Helms, Director, Department of Mineral Resources, on state and federal regulations of the oil and gas industry and an update of the activities of the department
- 2:00 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Jason Bohrer, Lignite Energy Council, on recent activities of the council
- 2:15 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum on the study of a comprehensive energy policy
- 2:30 p.m. Committee discussion
- 2:45 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Senators Rich Wardner (Chairman), John Andrist, Kelly M. Armstrong, David Hogue, Philip M. Murphy, Connie Triplett
Representatives Tracy Boe, Chuck Damschen, Ben W. Hanson, Todd Porter, Mike Schatz, Peter F. Silbernagel

Staff Contact: Timothy J. Dawson, Counsel