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State Council on Developmental Disabilities to meet June 18

BISMARCK, N.D. – The N.D. State Council on Developmental Disabilities will meet Wednesday, June 18, 2014, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Central Time) in the Pioneer Room of the Capitol in Bismarck, N.D.

The council promotes choice, independence, productivity, and inclusion for North Dakotans with developmental disabilities, and supports projects and activities that maximize opportunities in these areas for consumers and families.

The meeting agenda includes election of council officers, an update on the status of the 2015 requests for proposals and small grants, council executive director report, review of conflict of interest statement, presentation by 2014 grantees KAT Communications and Family Voices of North Dakota, public comments, member announcements, and council executive director evaluation. A complete agenda is online at www.nd.gov/dhs/info/publicnotice/index.html.

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The council consists of 20 members appointed by the governor and includes people with disabilities, parents, guardians or immediate relatives of individuals with disabilities, and state agencies and other providers involved in providing services and supports to people with disabilities. Information about the council is online at www.ndcpd.org/SCDD/.

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