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Committee on Aging to meet March 11 in Bismarck

BISMARCK, N.D. – The Committee on Aging will meet Friday, March 11, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Central Time, in Bismarck to receive updates on federal and state public policy developments affecting services for older adults.

Members will also receive information about the Department of Human Services' budget allotment and advisory committee funding changes. Marsha Lembke will give a presentation on Marsy's Law on crime victims' rights, and Rebecca LaFavor will provide information on forensic nursing.

A complete agenda is online at <http://www.nd.gov/dhs/info/publicnotice/2016/3-11-committee-on-aging-meeting.pdf>.

The meeting is open to the public and will be held at Edgewood Vista and Edgewood Village, 3124 Colorado Lane, in Bismarck. Attendees should park near the south entrance and enter through Door #1.

Individuals with disabilities who need accommodations, including auxiliary aids, to participate can contact Diane Sundby at 701-328-4601, toll-free Aging and Disability Resource LINK line 855-GO2-LINK (855-462-5465), ND Relay TTY 800-366-6888, or dsundby@nd.gov.

The Committee on Aging is an advisory body for the Department of Human Services' Aging Services Division. It works to gather information on the needs of older persons and to support public policy addressing those needs.

Committee information is available online at www.nd.gov/dhs/services/adultsaging/gcoa.html, or by contacting Aging Services Division Acting Director Sheryl Pfliger at 701-328-4601, toll-free 855-GO2-LINK (855-462-5465), or ND Relay TTY 800-366-6888.

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