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State Rehabilitation Council to meet July 21-22

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota State Rehabilitation Council is meeting Thursday, July 21, from 1 to 5 p.m., and Friday, July 22, from 9 a.m. to noon, at the North Dakota Department of Human Services' Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) office, Prairie Rose Room, at 1237 W. Divide Ave., Ste. 1B, in Bismarck.

On Thursday, the VR Division will provide a state plan update and division report. There will also be updates from Tribal VR programs and the Veteran's Services program through Job Service North Dakota.

Directors of the regional VR offices in Dickinson and Fargo will give regional updates on Friday morning. Afterwards, there will be committee reports and discussion on Section 511 of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA).

A complete meeting agenda is online at www.nd.gov/dhs/info/publicnotice/index.html.

The council promotes the employment and rehabilitation of people with disabilities and works to raise awareness of disability issues through collaboration among individuals, public agencies, private organizations, and businesses.

Council information is available online at www.nd.gov/dhs/dvr/councils-partners/ndsrc.html or by contacting the division at 701-328-8950, toll-free 800-755-2745, Relay ND TTY 800-366-6888, or dhsvr@nd.gov.

Individuals who need accommodations to participate in the meeting can contact Vicki Magill at 701-328-8953, toll-free 800-755-2745, Relay ND TTY 800-366-6888, or vmagill@nd.gov.

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