

# CLASSIFIEDS

## HELP WANTED

Director of Student Life – ND School for the Deaf/Resource Center – Devils Lake. Performing and/or directing duties associated with the Residential Programming for deaf, hard of hearing, and deafblind students. Must have experience performing more complex case management, program development, crisis intervention, and counseling. This position requires managing the work of others. Full-time 11-month position with paid health insurance full-time state benefits. \$5,299-\$6,182 per month. For more information, visit [www.omb.nd.gov](http://www.omb.nd.gov) or call (701) 665-4400. Closes 3/2/26.

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NEED NEW WINDOWS? Drafty rooms? Chipped or damaged frames? Need outside noise reduction? New, energy efficient windows may be the answer! Call for a consultation & FREE quote today. 1-877-200-2734

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# AGC of North Dakota offers scholarships to high school seniors

The Associated General Contractors of North Dakota has scholarships available for High School Seniors pursuing a career in the exciting and rewarding field of Construction. These scholarships are for the 2026-2027 school year. The deadline is April 22, 2026. Scholarship details and applications are available at <https://www.agcnd.org/scholarship>

\$1,500 Scholarships available at North Dakota State University and University of Mary for Construction Management or Construction Engineering

\$1,500 Scholarships available at Minnesota State University Moorhead for Construction Management

\$1,500 Scholarship available at Bismarck State College for Heavy Equipment Operator

\$750 Scholarships available at Bismarck State College for Construction Technology, Welding Technology, Heavy Equipment Operator, Engineering Technology, HVAC, Diesel Technology, or Other Construction Related Majors

\$750 Scholarships available at North Dakota State College of Science for Construction Management Technology, Civil Engineering &

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CASH PAID FOR HIGH-END MEN'S SPORT WATCHES! Rolex, Breitling, Omega, Patek Philippe, Heuer, Daytona, GMT, Submariner and Speedmaster. These brands only! Call 1-833-641-6634

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DONATE YOUR VEHICLE to help find missing children and prevent abduction. Fast free pickup, running or not, 24 hr response. No emission test required, maximum tax deduction. Support Find the Children, call: 1-833-545-0694.

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HAVE A NEWS RELEASE or other information that needs to reach all ND newspapers? ND Newspaper Association can help! One call does it all. 701-223-6397.

Land Surveying Technology, Building Construction Technology, Architectural Drafting & Estimating Technology, Diesel Technology, or Welding Technology

"The AGC of ND is continually looking to partner with the next generation of industry professionals and is proud to assist with the financial aspect with our scholarship program" states AGC of ND Executive Vice President Russ Hanson.

The AGC of ND, an association of more than 400 contractors, suppliers, and construction-related companies, has awarded more than \$1.4 million in scholarships since 1964.

# Legal Notices

## Notice

### FEDERAL / STATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED MERGER

Notice is hereby given that First United Bank, Park River, North Dakota has made application to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and the Commissioner of the North Dakota Department of Financial Institutions for written consent to merge with First State Bank of Cando, Cando, North Dakota. It is contemplated that all offices of First United Bank and First State Bank of Cando will be operated as First United Bank.

Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his or her comments in writing with the Regional Director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at its regional office at 1100 Walnut St, Suite 2100, Kansas City, Missouri 64106. Comments by interested parties must be received by no later than February 23, 2026. The nonconfidential portions of the application are on file in the regional office of the FDIC and are available for public inspection during regular business hours. Photocopies of the nonconfidential portion of the application file will be made available upon request.

You are further notified that Section 13-02-13-03.1, North Dakota Administrative Code provides that any bank or party may submit to the Commissioner or the North Dakota State Banking Board written comments concerning the application or a written request for an opportunity to be heard before the board, or both. Comments must be mailed to or received by the Commissioner or State Banking Board, Department of Financial Institutions, 1200 Memorial Highway, Bismarck, ND 58504 not later than February 23, 2026. You may also request a copy of the application at the above address. You are also advised that per Section 13-02-13-04, North Dakota Administrative Code, the State Banking Board or Commissioner shall examine and consider all relevant factors including: 1) whether proper notification has been given to all shareholders; 2) whether at least two-thirds of the shareholders have ratified the plan of reorganization or merger; 3) whether the resultant bank has adequate capital; 4) whether the needs of the community to be served will still be met; and 5) the adequacy and competence of management.

Eide Bailly LLP, Bismarck, ND  
January 24, February 7 and 14, 2026

## Towner County Commission

### TOWNER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING MINUTES January 6, 2026

The Towner County Commissioners met in regular session on January 6, 2026 at 8:00 a.m. in the meeting room of the county courthouse. Chairman Lance Teubner called the meeting to order. Present were Vice President David Lagein and Commissioners Doug Berg, Bob Hallaway, and Scott Boe.

Agenda:  
Commissioner Lagein moved, seconded by Commissioner Boe, to approve the agenda. All Commissioners voted aye, motion carried.

Minutes:  
Commissioner Hallaway moved, seconded by Commissioner Berg, to approve the minutes of the December 2, 2025 regular meeting and December 2, 2025 special meeting. Motion passed with no dissents.

Public Comment:  
None

Reorganization of County Commission – Election of Officers:  
Auditor Mindy Reimer opened nominations for Chairman. Lance Teubner was nominated. Commissioner Lagein moved, seconded by Commissioner Hallaway, to cease nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Teubner. All commissioners voted

aye; motion passed.

Chairman Teubner opened nominations for Vice-Chairman. Dave Lagein was nominated. Commissioner Boe moved, seconded by Commissioner Berg, to cease nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Lagein. All commissioners voted aye; motion carried.

Reorganization of County Commission – Committee/Portfolio Reorganization:

Commissioners discussed the various committee assignments. No changes to the commissioner portfolio from prior years. Portfolio assignments as detailed below.

Towner County  
2025 Commissioner Portfolios  
Commissioner; Department; Committees  
Boe; Tax Director; North Central Planning, Veterans Service Officer Supervisor  
Lagein; Roads; Weed board, Public health, Zoning, NDSU Extension  
Hallaway; Recorder, Clerk of Court; Weed board, Airport authority, Building Maintenance Committee  
Berg; Auditor, Treasurer, Emergency Manager; Zoning, Social Services, Ambulance South

Teubner; Facilities Maintenance; Building Maintenance Committee, Economic Development, Public Housing, 4H Committee  
Department reports:  
Road Department – Kevin Rinas:  
Supervisor Rinas asked regarding charging for maintenance in conjunction with the road agreements. The Commission discussed. The Commission directed State's Attorney Frey and Supervisor Rinas to redo all the road agreements with a maintenance cost-share included.

Rinas reported that he is looking at a truck in Fargo. It is the same specs as the current truck but with low miles.

Rinas reported that the cost of blading has increased to \$110 for summer blading and \$130 for winter blading. There was an increase of \$10 for each.

Rinas reported that a farmer has some issues with the ridge building for snow-catch. Rinas will look into the land owner(s) and seek a remedy.

Chairman Teubner asked about old highway 281 and its maintenance. Rinas said that it will get gravel in the spring/summer.

Sheriff Department – Sheriff Andrew Hillier  
Sheriff Hillier reported that they have begun utilizing the CAD software. He made a special thank you to Ronda Bertsch and Lori Beck for the hours of training they completed related to the program.

Hillier has heard no update on the latest Stonegarden grants.

Facilities Maintenance – William Voight  
Facilities Manager Voight reported that there were issues with the heaters at the Armory, but they have been fixed. He continues to move snow. Manager Voight was thanked for continuing to do a wonderful job around the facilities.

Visitors and Delegations:  
None  
Old Business:  
Annual Wellness Reimbursements  
Tabled until February.

City of Cando Policing Contract  
Official notice has been received from the City of Cando terminating the policing contract effective March 1, 2026. The Commission discussed. Chairman Teubner reported that he had been approached regarding an 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. style police contract.

The Commission and Sheriff Hillier discussed how and if that could work with the general consensus being no.

The next steps were discussed. After significant discussion, it was decided to remain open to discussion with the City of Cando, but no pursuit will be conducted.

County Office Building – Capital Project  
The Commission discussed the potential County Office Building. It was determined that the Building Committee will meet with the Towner County Medical Center Board representatives to move forward with research as to the structural integrity of the building and the feasibility of modifying it to fit the County's needs.

Auditor Reimer presented that she did contact the WDEA regarding grants available, and the WDEA does not offer grants to non-ol counties. This is not an avenue of funding

available for a new building.

State's Attorney Frey reported that there has been discussion that the PRC will be increased. There was discussion on how much of any increase would be absorbed by utilization of the PRC.

Towner County Outreach Nights  
Auditor Reimer presented on the outreach nights. Outreach nights have been scheduled as follows: January 14 in Egeland, January 21 in Rocklake, January 28 in Hansboro, February 25 in Bisbee. Auditor Reimer will contact the City of Cando to schedule an outreach night.

New Business:  
Tax Properties – County Deeds  
Commissioner Boe moved, seconded by Commissioner Berg, to deed the foreclosed properties back to the respective cities. Motion passed with no dissents.

Handbook Update  
Probation Policy  
Commissioner Hallaway moved, seconded by Commissioner Boe, to adopt the Probationary Employment Period policy as written. Motion passed with no dissents.

Holiday Policy  
Commissioner Lagein moved, seconded by Commissioner Hallaway, to adopt the Holiday policy as amended with the verbiage removed after the 4th of July and 25th of December. Motion passed with no dissents.

Golf Course License Renewal  
Commissioner Lagein moved, seconded by Commissioner Boe, to approve the gaming permit and liquor license for the Cando Golf Course as presented. Motion passed with no dissents.

Financial Report:  
Year-End Amendments  
Commissioner Boe moved, seconded by Commissioner Berg, to approve the budgetary amendments as presented. Upon on a roll call vote, motion passed with no dissents.

Year to Date Financial Review  
Auditor Reimer presented the year-to-date financial review showing the current, unrestricted cash balance as of December 31, 2025 was \$8,726,057.56.

Monthly Bills  
Commissioner Boe moves, seconded by Commissioner Hallaway, to approve the bills as presented. Upon on a roll call vote, motion passed with no dissents.

202271 J & M TRUCK SALES, INC 54,900.00  
202272 A & W STANDARD 79.95  
202273 ADVANCE 678.32  
BUSINESS METHODS 678.32  
202274 ALL SEASONS 48.75  
WATER USERS ASSOC 1,188.00  
202275 ASURE SOFTWARE 6,308.44  
202276 BUTLER MACHINERY 726.62  
202277 CANDO HOME & HARDWARE 726.62  
202278 CAPFIRST 63,640.00  
EQUIPMENT FINANCE 10,131.02  
202279 CAVALIER COUNTY 265.83  
202280 CHERYL STUTZ 38.00  
202281 CHRIS DOEHLER 92.70  
202282 CITY OF BISBEE 620.14  
202284 CITY OF ROCK LAKE 137.00  
202285 CURTIS JUNTUNEN 72.00  
202286 D & R TIRE & REPAIR 157.50  
202287 DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION 2,786.29  
202288 DOROTHY CLARK 10.00  
202289 FIRST STATE INSURANCE 50.00  
202290 H E EVERSON COMPANY 25.50  
202291 HOUTCOOPER IMPLEMENT294.84  
202292 INFORMATION 1,182.10  
TECHNOLOGY DEPT 7,450.00  
202293 IRONHIDE EQUIPMENT INC 78.00  
202294 JENNA MARTIN 1,209.84  
202295 JOSHUA E FREY 350.16  
202296 KIMBEL MIDWEST 968.39  
202297 LEGACY BISBEE STATION7,300.00  
202298 LYNN SCHMIESS 30.00  
202299 MANNING NAVCOMP INC 367.20  
20300 MEARS AUTO PARTS 269.85  
20301 NATIONAL ASS OF STATE AGENCIES 39.00  
20302 NATIONAL ASSOC. OF COUNTIES 450.00  
20303 ND 911 ASSOCIATION 100.00  
20304 ND ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES 6,348.00

20305 ND COUNTY AUDITORS ASSOCIATION 400.00  
20306 ND COUNTY RECORDERS ASSOC 500.00  
20307 ND DAWN CENTER 500.00  
20308 NDSU EXTENSION SERVICE 6,625.00  
20309 NORTH CENTRAL PLANNING COUNCIL 12,553.00  
20310 NORTH DAKOTA TELEPHONE CO 710.61  
20311 NORTHERN PLAINS ELECTRIC 4,429.87  
20312 OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL 263.00  
20313 OTTERTAIL POWER CO 192.30  
20314 POMS TIRE SERVICE, INC143.50  
20315 PRAIRIE TRUCK AND TRACTOR 333.11  
20316 PROGRESSIVE AGRICULTURE FOUNDATION 125.00  
20317 RAMSEY COUNTY 10,000.00  
20318 SIDWELL 12,089.10  
20319 STONE'S MOBILE RADIO 224.18  
20320 TOWNER COUNTY RECORD HERALD 185.60  
20321 TOWNER COUNTY RECORDER 100.00  
20322 TOWNER COUNTY TREASURER 799.43  
20323 TURTLE MOUNTAIN COMMUNICATIONS 48.15  
20324 TURTLE MOUNTAIN STAR 69.00  
20325 TYLER TECHNOLOGIES INC 5,369.86  
20326 UNITED TELEPHONE MUTUAL AID 306.46  
20327 WELLS FARGO BANK 2,269.22  
20328 WOLD ENGINEERING P C 19,430.00  
20329 ND STATE TAX COMMISSIONER 465.10  
20330 CHRIS SOLSETH 81.20  
20331 HACTC 3,990.00  
20332 LORI BECK 32.99  
20333 Marco 143.52  
20334 ND ATTORNEY GENERAL 15.00  
20335 STONE'S MOBILE RADIO 94.12  
20336 TIM PETERSON 268.25  
20337 VISA 10.00  
20338 ADVANCE BUSINESS METHODS 548.44  
20339 CHERYL STUTZ 347.52  
20340 H E EVERSON COMPANY 342.06  
20341 HAYDEN ANDERSON 95.98  
20342 KENDALL BREHM 14.00  
20343 NDEMA 50.00  
20344 NDSU 114.80  
20345 OTTERTAIL POWER CO 319.21  
20346 ROBERT BERANEK 21.98  
20347 STONE'S MOBILE RADIO 500.63  
20348 TURTLE MOUNTAIN COMMUNICATIONS 48.93  
20349 TYLER TECHNOLOGIES INC 1,500.00  
ACH ENTITY PAYMENT 1,020,945.26  
ACH PAYROLL 127,752.34  
ACH PITNEY BOWES GLOBAL FINANCIAL SERVICES 2,785.34  
ACH VERIZON WIRELESS 589.86  
ACH ND PERS BC/BS 20,691.70  
ACH ND PERS (LIFE INS) 426.62  
ACH COLONIAL LIFE 1,340.47  
ACH ND PERS (RETIREMENT) 26,557.78  
ACH U.S. DEPT OF THE TREASURY 42,918.59  
ACH ND PERS DEFERRED COMPENSATION 6,504.54  
ACH JP MORGAN CHASE 3,106.77  
Meeting Schedule:  
The next meeting was set for February 10, 2026.

The meeting adjourned by motion.  
ATTEST:  
Lance Teubner  
Commission Chairperson  
Mindy S Reimer  
Auditor/Treasurer  
February 14, 2026

St. Jude Novena  
To St. Jude, Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in Miracles, near kinsman and Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need.  
To you I have recourse from the depths of my heart and humbly beg to who God had given such great power to come to my assistance.  
Help me in my present and urgent petition. In return I promise to make known your name and cause you to be involved. St. Jude, Pray for us and all who invoke your aid.  
Amen  
Say three (3) Our Fathers, three (3) Hail Mary's and Glory Be.  
Publication must be promised. My request has been granted.  
Say this Novena on nine (9) consecutive days.

Rock Lake Boosters  
Coyote Hunt & Raffle

Friday, Feb. 20, 2026  
• Coyote Team Registration: 6-8pm  
at Rock Lake School  
• Pulled Pork Sandwiches & Salad: 6 - 8pm  
• Rules Meeting: 8pm  
• Gun Awarded: 8pm  
Before Calcutta opens  
• Calcutta Auction Opens: 8pm  
Open to Public  
• Door Prizes  
Must be present to win  
• Gun Boards

Saturday, Feb. 21, 2026  
• Steak & Shrimp Fry: 5 - 8pm  
at Rock Lake School 130/person & 55 Kids' Meals  
• Check In for Coyote Teams: 7pm  
• Calcutta Tourney Ends: 8pm  
• Side Contests End: 8pm  
• Silent / Bucket Auction & Gun Boards  
• Door Prizes: 8:30pm  
Must be present to win

Sunday, Feb. 22, 2026  
• Coyote Hunt Ends: noon  
Winners Announced @ 1:30pm  
• Prize Drawings: 1pm  
• Lunch Served @ 11am  
Provided by Rock Lake Fire Dept.  
Free Will Offering

Coyote Hunt Prizes  
1st: \$1000  
2nd: 2 - \$300 Scheels Gift Cards  
3rd: 2 Yeti Coolers • 4th: \$400 • 5th: 2 - \$300 A&H Certificates  
6th: 2 Range Finders • 7th: \$150 Redneck Hunting Gift Cards  
8th: 2 Cases 12ga shells • 9th: 2 - AT .223 • 10th: Binoculars  
11th: \$150 • 12th: \$150 • 13th: \$100 • 14th: \$100 • 15th: \$100

Limited to 1000 sold • Tickets \$25  
For more information, call Jesse @ 370-2408 or Gerald @ 382-9616

Additional Side Events  
Big Dog / Little Dog  
Longest Tail  
Closest to Average Weight  
Calcutta: Saturday 6am - 7pm  
Rabbit Hunt: Saturday 6am - Sunday Noon  
Thermal Calcutta: Starts @ Saturday 8pm  
Hardship Prize  
18 & Under Hunt

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## ABBREVIATED NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES RELATING TO N.D. ADMINISTRATIVE CODE CHAPTER 75-09.1-11 SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER TREATMENT VOUCHER SYSTEM

TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota Department of Health and Human Services will hold a public hearing to address proposed amendments to N.D. Admin. Code chapter 75-09.1-11 relating to definitions, requests for reimbursement of medical expenses, voucher applications, and training at 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 18, 2026, in Bismarck, N.D. in Room 210, located on the second floor of the Judicial Wing of the State Capitol.

Copies of the proposed rules are available for review at human service zones offices and at state-operated behavioral health clinics. Copies of the proposed rules and the regulatory analysis relating to these rules may be requested by telephoning (701) 328-2311. Written or oral data, views, or arguments may be entered at the hearing or sent to: Rules Administrator, North Dakota Department of Health and Human Services, State Capitol - Judicial Wing, 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 325, Bismarck, ND 58505-0250. Written data, views, or arguments must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 30, 2026.

ATTENTION PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: If you plan to attend the hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Department of Health and Human Services at the above telephone number or address at least two weeks prior to the hearing.  
Dated this 27th day of January, 2026.

## REDUCE YOUR 2026 PROPERTY TAX BILL BY UP TO \$1600!

### Eligibility requirements for the Primary Residence Property Tax Credit:

- Must own a home in ND and reside in it as your primary residence
- One credit per household, no age or income restrictions
- Must apply and be approved annually to receive the credit



Application Deadline: April 1, 2026  
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