

NORTH DAKOTA COMMISSION
ON LEGAL COUNSEL FOR INDIGENTS

December 4, 2024

1:00 P.M. – 3:00 p.m.

Bismarck Public Defender Office, Basement Conference Room

410 E. Thayer Avenue

Bismarck, ND 58501

or

Microsoft Teams (Call In Number:1 701-328-0950,,466344096#)

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Approval of minutes from last meeting held on September 24, 2024
- 3) Old Business:
 - a) Update on Jamestown Administrative Office and Public Defender offices
 - b) Update on Contracts and Contractors
 - c) Update on Financial Status and Budget
 - d) Update on Group and Committee Work
 - i) Commission's Workgroup on Counsel at Initial Appearances
 - e) Update on pre-trial service program
 - f) Interim and Next Legislative Activity
 - i) Re-Entry Study bill leading to elimination of application fee and reimbursement for counsel
 - ii) North Dakota Judges Association
 - iii) Meetings with interested parties
 - iv) Emancipation of a minor
 - g) Training: Upcoming and Past
 - i) Winter CLE / Admin Training
 - ii) Opioid Conference in Bismarck
 - iii) NACDL Mid-Winter meeting in Charlotte
 - iv) Summer CLE May 14 and 15
 - h) Review of Comments to Preliminarily Approved Policies
 - i) Commissioner Conflict of Interests
 - ii) Application for Public Defender Services
- 4) New Business
 - a) Annual Report of the Commission
 - b) Partners for Justice Opportunity
 - c) IV-E and Federal/State Grants
 - d) Legislative Meetings
- 5) Kudos
- 6) Miscellaneous
- 7) Next Meeting Date and Time