

# MEETING NOTICE

NORTH DAKOTA ETHICS COMMISSION

SFN 62343 (2-2024)

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### CONTACT INFORMATION

Name Theodore Roosevelt Medora Foundation

Address 405 E. RIVER RD

MEDORA, ND, 58645

Email Address mickyh@medora.com

**Phone Number** (701) 955-0342

Are you a registered lobbyist?

**Lobbyist Badge Number** 

**EVENT INFORMATION** 

**Event Name** Theodore Roosevelt Medora Foundation Board dinner

**Event Start Date** Thursday, February 20, 2025

**Event End Date** Thursday, February 20, 2025

**Location** Harold Schafer Leadership Center University of Mary

Sponsor(s)

Theodore Roosevelt Medora Foundation Board of Directors

Type of Event

Private Social and Educational Event

## **Educational Component of Event (describe with detail)**

Will be updating guest on projects going on in Medora.

**Number of Total Projected Attendees** 70

**Number of Projected Attendees who** 

are Public Officials \*

10

**Number of Projected Attendees who** 

are Registered Lobbyists

5

**Total Estimated Cost of Event per** 

Attendee

30

Description of Costs Associated with the Event (e.g. venue rental, educational materials, food/beverage)

Food: \$2080 Alcohol: \$55 Labor: \$200

Reminder: Food and beverage must be for immediate consumption ONLY.

**Additional Comments (optional)** 

**Add Supporting Documents** 

Certification

I certify that the information provided in this meeting notice is true, correct, complete, and of my own personal knowledge. I will fully cooperate in the process regarding this meeting notice.

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Signature (typed name is acceptable) Micky Huntington

Date Monday, February 10, 2025



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### CONTACT INFORMATION

Name Megan Houn

Address

**Email Address** megan.houn@bcbsnd.com

**Phone Number** 

Are you a registered lobbyist? Yes

325 **Lobbyist Badge Number** 

**EVENT INFORMATION** 

**Event Name** NDLA New Legislator Social

Thursday, February 13, 2025 **Event Start Date** 

**Event End Date** Thursday, February 13, 2025

Location **Broadway Grill** 

ND Lobbyist Sponsor(s)

### **Educational Component of Event (describe with detail)**

Lobbyists' role in educating about complex industries, best practices for engaging with lobbyists, entities represented and by whom and how to contact them.(Rescheduled from 2/6)

Number of Total Projected Attendees 75

Number of Projected Attendees who are Public Officials \*

20

Number of Projected Attendees who are Registered Lobbyists

40

Total Estimated Cost of Event per

12

Attendee

Description of Costs Associated with the Event (e.g. venue rental, educational materials, food/beverage)

Meeting space, educational materials, food for immediate consumption.

Reminder: Food and beverage must be for immediate consumption ONLY.

## **Additional Comments (optional)**

## **Add Supporting Documents**



2025 ND Lobbyists Directory Proof \_1.pdf

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**Signature (typed name is acceptable)** Megan Houn

**Date** Wednesday, February 12, 2025



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### CONTACT INFORMATION

Name Matt Wendel

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Fargo, ND, 58102

Email Address mattw@emergingprairie.com

**Phone Number** (701) 840-8769

Are you a registered lobbyist?

**Lobbyist Badge Number** 1625

**EVENT INFORMATION** 

**Event Name** Future of Farming

**Event Start Date** Thursday, February 27, 2025

**Event End Date** Thursday, February 27, 2025

**Location** Grand Farm Innovation Shop

Sponsor(s) Grand Farm

Type of Event Public Social and Educational Event

### **Educational Component of Event (describe with detail)**

Join area farmers, ag technology leaders, RDO and John Deere team members to gain insights about the tools and technology driving the future of farming in the Red River Valley and beyond. Attendees can expect to gain machine learning and automation insights from John Deere, ag technology leaders, RDO product specialists and area growers with first-hand experience with the latest spraying and tillage technology. This interactive event includes a spraying technology panel discussion and keynote delivered by John Deere CTO Jahmy Hindman.

Number of Total Projected Attendees 250

Number of Projected Attendees who are Public Officials \*

10

Number of Projected Attendees who are Registered Lobbyists

2

**Total Estimated Cost of Event per Attendee** 

25

Description of Costs Associated with the Event (e.g. venue rental, educational materials, food/beverage)

Food and beverage will be provided for a social hour.

Reminder: Food and beverage must be for immediate consumption ONLY.

Additional Comments (optional)

**Add Supporting Documents** 

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Signature (typed name is acceptable) Matt Wendel

Date Friday, February 14, 2025