

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Meeting Notice and Agenda

Meeting of: **May 27, 2020**

Time: 1:30 p.m. – Conclusion

Location: General Public Telephonic Information
Dial 1-888-585-9008
Access Code 259-316-322

Re: Rail Service and Safety Stakeholders Discussion

Agenda:

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See attached agenda.

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Opening Comments from Commissioners & Introductions

Class I Railroads: Investment & Service Update

- Lydia Bjorge, Executive Director, Government Affairs, BNSF
- Arielle Giordano, Director, Federal & State Government Affairs, CP

Shortline Railroads: Investment & Service Update

- Red River Valley & Western
- Northern Plains Railroad
- Dakota Missouri Valley & Western
- Dakota Northern Railroad

Round Table Discussion: Producer & Elevator Service

UGPTI Rail Transportation Report

- Denver Tolliver, Ph.D., Director, UGPTI

Overview of Rail Safety Inspection Findings

- Karl Carson, Track Inspector, PSC
- Eric Miller, MP&E Inspector, PSC

Grade Crossing Safety, Pedestrian Safety & Trespasser Prevention

- Tammy Wagner, Regional Grade Crossing Specialist, FRA

Operation Lifesaver Overview

- Valerie Fischer, Operation Lifesaver State Coordinator, NDSC

Round Table Discussion

- Safety Concerns
- Stakeholder Concerns

**** Agenda is Tentative and Subject to Change ****