



INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

Thursday, October 21, 2021
Harvest Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

9:30 a.m.

Call to order

Roll call

Consideration of the [minutes of the August 25, 2021, meeting](#)

STUDY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY UNIFICATION

9:35 a.m.

[Presentation](#) by a representative of the Information Technology Department (ITD) regarding:

- Fees and rates charged by ITD to state agencies for services provided and how information technology (IT) unification has affected rates
- Federal requirements of internal service fund agencies, how ITD manages the balance of the ITD operating service fund, and examples of rate reductions from prior bienniums
- Service level agreements entered with state agencies, services and rates agreed to, how the quality of services is measured, and the types and number of Help Desk requests from unified and nonunified agencies, including a comparison of the number of requests

10:45 a.m.

[Presentation](#) by a representative of the Department of Trust Lands regarding benefits or concerns of IT unification, any cost-savings realized as a result of IT unification, and a comparison of ITD invoices and bills for services provided to the Department of Trust Lands prior to and after IT unification

11:00 a.m.

[Presentation](#) by a representative of the Department of Transportation regarding benefits or concerns of IT unification, any cost-savings realized as a result of IT unification, and a comparison of ITD invoices and bills for services provided to the Department of Transportation prior to and after IT unification

11:15 a.m.

Presentation by a representative of the Insurance Commissioner's office regarding the potential benefits, issues, and concerns of IT unification, and the agency's interest in being included in future IT unification initiatives

11:30 a.m.

[Presentation](#) by a representative of the Department of Public Instruction regarding the potential benefits, issues, and concerns of IT unification, and the agency's interest in being included in future IT unification initiatives

LARGE PROJECT REPORTING

11:45 a.m.

[Presentation](#) by a representative of ITD regarding the most recent [quarterly summary status report](#) on large IT projects and the project startup and closeout reports completed in August and September 2021

Startup Reports

- [Department of Mineral Resources - Oil and Gas Risk-Based Management System, Release 3](#)

- [Office of Management and Budget - Statewide Budget System](#)
- [Information Technology Department - Statewide Interoperable Radio Network, Phase 1, Group 3 and Phase 2, Group 3](#)

Closeout Reports

- [Department of Mineral Resources - Oil and Gas Risk-Based Management System, Release 2](#)
- [Department of Human Services - Electronic Visit and Verification System](#)
- [Information Technology Department - Enterprise Service Management Program](#)
- [Information Technology Department - Statewide Parcel Dataset](#)

11:50 a.m. [Presentation](#) by representatives of ITD regarding an update of changes made by the State Information Technology Advisory Committee related to the process of prioritizing and reviewing large IT projects

12:15 p.m. [Presentation](#) by a representative of the Department of Human Services regarding the status of the early childhood integrated data system project and the child care licensing project and how the systems will be integrated

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EDUCATION-RELATED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

1:15 p.m. [Presentation](#) from Mr. Hadi Partovi, Founder and CEO, Code.org, regarding the value of cybersecurity education for students and the workforce

1:30 p.m. [Presentation](#) from Ms. Rosi Kloberdanz, Director, EduTech, Information Technology Department, regarding the status of elementary and secondary education IT activities and plans for the 2021-23 biennium

STUDY OF GOVERNMENT CYBERSECURITY

1:45 p.m. [Presentation](#) by representatives of ITD regarding:

- The effects of changes made in Senate Bill No. 2007 (2021) related to the Veterans' Home IT, including the effect on state and local cybersecurity and STAGEnet
- Revenue received from state agencies and political subdivisions for IT services
- Potential alternative cybersecurity funding sources and any proposed legislation needed related to political subdivisions potentially paying their share of the cost of government cybersecurity

2:30 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the following political subdivisions regarding cybersecurity services provided by ITD, cybersecurity needs, the feasibility of paying for the local share of government cybersecurity services, and any preventative cybersecurity threat controls implemented, such as multi-factor authentication or zero trust security procedures:

- [Ward County](#)
- [City of Fargo](#)
- [Bismarck Public Schools](#)

3:15 p.m. [Presentation](#) by a representative of the Veterans' Home regarding IT initiatives and activities undertaken as a result of changes made in Senate Bill No. 2007 (2021) and the agency's plans for IT and cybersecurity services during the 2021-23 biennium, including cost associated with those services

OTHER

3:30 p.m. Comments by interested persons

3:35 p.m. Committee discussion

3:45 p.m. Adjourn

A livestream of the meeting will be available to the public at: <https://video.legis.nd.gov>.

Committee Members

Representatives: Glenn Bosch (Chairman), Sebastian Ertelt, Keith Kempenich, Corey Mock, Nathan Toman, Robin Weisz

Senators: Cole Conley, Kyle Davison, Richard Marcellais, Dave Oehlke, Kristin Roers

Citizen Member: Shawn Riley

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