

March 11, 2002

## MEETING NOTICE

Representative Amy Warnke, Chairman, has called a meeting of the **BUDGET COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**.

**Date, Time, and Place:** Thursday, April 4, 2002, 1:00 p.m., Northeast Human Service Center, 151 South Fourth Street, Suite 401, Grand Forks  
Friday, April 5, 2002, 8:30 a.m., North Dakota Vision Services - School for the Blind, 500 Stanford Road, Grand Forks

**Agenda:** Budget tours of the Northeast Human Service Center, North Dakota Vision Services - School for the Blind, and Mill and Elevator; presentations by representatives of the Department of Human Services on the status of the department's long-term care needs assessment and nursing facility payment system study, spending for long-term care services under the medical assistance and basic care assistance programs, payments made under the nursing facility bed reduction incentive program, the development of a new reimbursement system for developmental disabilities services providers, the reauthorization of the federal temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) program by Congress, and caseloads and expenditures of the TANF program; and other presentations, including a presentation by representatives of agencies providing family planning services offered under the federal Title X program

**Special Note:** Anyone who plans to attend the meeting and needs assistance because of a disability should contact the Legislative Council staff as soon as possible.

**Committee Members:** Representatives Amy Warnke, Audrey B. Cleary, Jeff Delzer, Pat Galvin, Bob Hunsakor, James Kerzman, Ralph Metcalf, Chet Pollert, Todd Porter, Clara Sue Price, Dale C. Severson, Ken Svedjan, Wayne W. Tieman; Senators Robert S. Erbele, Thomas Fischer, Kenneth Kroeplin, Judy Lee, Michael Polovitz

**Staff Contacts:** Jim W. Smith, Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor  
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Any member who is unable to attend this meeting is asked to please notify this office as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

John D. Olsrud  
Director

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