

Grand Forks Legislative Committee
Friday, April 12, 2019
City Hall, A102

Attendees:

Tangee Bouvette, Paul Houdek, Al Grasser, Becky Ault, Pete Haga, Ryan Brooks, Maureen Storstad, Todd Feland, Brad Gengler, Bret Weber, Mark Nelson, Gary Lorenz, Ken Vein, Candi Stjern

The Grand Forks Legislative Committee participated in the weekly conference call with the North Dakota League of Cities.

The GF Legislative Committee addressed the following bills:

HB 1014 (Industrial Commission Budget)

The city is following this bill because the Infrastructure Revolving Loan Fund (SB 2275) has been added to this bill. The City of Grand Forks supports the Infrastructure Revolving Loan Fund.

HB 1435 (SIRN)

The City of Grand Forks supports this bill, specifically the Senate version of this bill. This bill is currently in conference committee.

SB 2010 (Insurance Commissioner Budget)

The City of Grand Forks is following this bill, specifically following the Fire Insurance Premium payments back to local fire departments.

SB 2020 (Water Commission)

The City of Grand Forks is following this bill because there is funding for our Regional Water Treatment Plant and Red River Valley Water Supply Project in this bill. This bill is currently in conference committee.

SB 2012 (Dept. of Human Services Budget)

This is a very large bill that contains many programs that would have a positive impact on the City of Grand Forks.

All of the bills that the City of Grand Forks is tracking can be found online at www.grandforksgov.com. Search 2019 Legislature on the homepage