

AGENDA

NORTH DAKOTA COMMISSION
ON LEGAL COUNSEL FOR INDIGENTS
March 5, 2024

NDCLCI Administrative Office 300 2nd Ave. NE, Ste. 212 Jamestown, ND 58401

or Via Microsoft Teams (Call In Number: 701-328-0950: 101751510#)

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Approval of minutes from last meeting December 6, 2023
- 3) Old Business:
 - a) Update on Administrative Office and Public Defender Offices
 - b) Update on Contracts and Contractors
 - c) Update on Financial Status and Budget
 - d) Update on Group and Committee Work
 - e) Update on Pre-Trial Service Program
 - f) Training
 - g) Legislative Session
 - i) Interim Activity
 - h) Next Legislative Session Potential Legislation
 - i) Clarify the role of the Commission in assigning cases
 - ii) Recording of Custodial Interrogations
 - iii) Cost of Preparation of Court Transcripts
 - iv) Uniform Way of Charging Cases Across Government
 - v) Pay Parity for Prosecutors and Defenders
 - i) Review of Payment of Extraordinary Attorney Fees Policy as it related to Presumed Rate of Reimbursement
 - j) Review of the Guidelines
 - k) Annual Review of the Director
- 4) New Business
 - a) Public Defender Day in North Dakota
 - b) Preparing for the Next Budget
 - i) Employee Compensation Strategy
 - ii) Contractor Pay
 - iii) Positions
 - iv) Fees
 - c) Kudos
- 5) Miscellaneous
- 6) Next Meeting Date and Time