ND Cares Executive Team

 AGENDA

10:30 a.m. – Noon

**February 1**, 2024

Virtual

Virtual Meeting Call – In: 701-328-0950 Conference ID: 320 849 5 #

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**Chair** – Shelly Sizer **Co-Chair –** Cindy Whitesell

* **OPENING** 
  1. Comments (Shelly or Cindy)
  2. Approve Executive Committee meeting minutes from January 4, 2023.
* **PRESENTATION:** *Sanford Health**Veterans Ambassador Program*, Paul Weckman, US Navy (Ret), Head of Military and Veteran Affairs
* **NEW BUSINESS**

1. Executive Committee Member Updates
   * 1. Co-Chairperson
     2. ND DVA
     3. Regional VA, Fargo
     4. ND Dept. of Health
     5. ND Dept. of Human Services, Behavioral Health Division
     6. ND National Guard
     7. Army Reserve Ambassador for North Dakota
     8. Chairperson

* **OLD BUSINESS**
  1. ND Cares Business Update
     1. Current number of businesses: 24
  2. ND Cares Community Update
     1. Current number of communities: 58
  3. Governor’s Challenge Update
  4. Hidden Wounds Bridge
  5. TRICARE
  6. Other
* **UPCOMING EVENTS**

1. **STAR Behavioral Health Providers:** [**January Training**](https://starproviders.org/providers-tier-training/#search)
2. **VA Virtual S.A.V.E. Training:** Feb 20, Mar 19th 9AM-10:30AM, email Tammy to register [**tammy.monsebroten@va.gov**](tammy.monsebroten@va.gov).
3. **VFW State Mid-Winter Conference:** Feb 16-18, VFW Post 7564, West Fargo
4. **ACOVA:** Feb 8-9, Expressway Suites, Fargo
5. **FirstLink:** [**Feb-Mar Trainings**](https://myfirstlink.org/trainings/)
6. **Western ND Honor Flight:** April (TBD)
7. **VA Fargo** [**Creative Arts Competition**](https://www.va.gov/fargo-health-care/programs/veteran-creative-arts-competition/?fbclid=IwAR3P-BPC4FZyG1LDIHzWzYncH-GM0mtw_Ji8i336Per1qvee7DKzETi_aDo) **Classification Handbook due Mar.**
8. **ND League of Cities Spring Workshop:** Mar 19-20, Clarion Hotel, Minot
9. **Governors Challenge Mortality Review Academy:** Mar 19-21, Pheonix AZ
10. **ND Brain Injury Network**: [**2024 Mind Matters Conference**](https://www.ndbin.org/events/mind-matters), Mar 21-21, Fargo.
11. **Vietnam Veterans Welcome Home Celebration**: Mar. 29, Armed Forces Reserve Center, Minot.

* **NEXT MEETING DATES**

1. Coalition Mtgs 2024: Mar 7, Jun 6, Sept. 5, Dec 5, from 1:00-4:00 pm.
2. Executive Committee Mtgs 2024: Apr 4, May 2, July 11, Aug 1, Oct 3, Nov 7 from 10:30-Noon.