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## LEGISLATIVE PLANNING COMMITTEE TO MEET

**PIERRE** – The Legislative Planning Committee, chaired by Representative Scott Munsterman (R-Brookings), will meet on Monday, September 19, 2016, in Room 413 of the State Capitol, at 10:15 a.m. (CDT). The committee will continue work on the performance management review process that was assigned to the committee in legislation enacted this year. Through the review process, the committee will provide the Legislature with a consistent stream of data to use to evaluate the efficiency and effectiveness of state agencies. At this meeting, the committee will follow up with representatives from the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Game, Fish & Parks, and the Department of Environment & Natural Resources. The committee will also hear from Mr. Larry Zimmerman, Secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs, who will discuss workforce development for veterans and their families. In addition, the committee will hear from the heads of the Research Parks at both SDSU and USD, who will discuss research parks and their impact on the state's economy. The meeting is open to the public.

In addition to Representative Munsterman, committee members are Senator Mike Vehle (R-Mitchell), Vice Chair; Senator Gary Cammack (R-Union Center), President Pro Tem and Executive Board Chair; Representative Dean Wink (R-Howes), Speaker of the House; Senators Terri Haverly (R-Rapid City), Ried Holien (R-Watertown), Scott Parsley (D-Madison), and Representatives Shawn Bordeaux (D-Mission), Kristin Conzet (R-Rapid City), and Jacqueline Sly (R-Rapid City).

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