ANALYSES OF THE STATEWIDE MEASURES APPEARING ON THE ELECTION BALLOT NOVEMBER 5, 2024

The following analysis is for the measures appearing on the statewide General Election ballot on November 5, 2024. This publication is required by section 16.1-01-07 of the North Dakota Century Code to enable voters to become familiar with the effect of proposed measures. The full text of each measure is available from the North Dakota Office of the Secretary of State at <u>vote.nd.gov</u>, by phone at 701-328-4146, or from the office of any County Auditor.

As required by section 16.1-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, a copy of the Legislative Council's report on the estimated fiscal impact is available from the North Dakota Office of the Secretary of State at <u>vote.nd.gov</u>, by phone at 701-328-4146, or by writing to the North Dakota Secretary of State, 600 E Boulevard Ave., Dept 108, Bismarck ND 58505-0500.

Analysis of Constitutional Measure No. 1 (Senate Concurrent Resolution 4001, 2023 Session Laws, Ch. 597)

Constitutional Measure No. 1 was placed on the ballot by action of the 2023 North Dakota Legislative Assembly with the passage of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4001 (2023 Session Laws, Chapter 597). If approved, this constitutional measure would amend and reenact sections 12 and 13 of article IX of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to the replacement of outdated terminology describing public institutions of the state.

The proposed amended sections are summarized as follows: the "school for the deaf and dumb of North Dakota" is changed to the "school for the deaf and hard of hearing"; a "state hospital for the insane" is changed to a "state hospital for the care of individuals with mental illness"; an "institution for the feebleminded" is changed to a "facility for individuals with developmental disabilities"; and a "state hospital for the mentally ill" is changed to a "state hospital for the care of individuals with mental illness."

The estimated fiscal impact of this measure is none.

Voting **"YES**" means you approve the measure summarized above. Voting **"NO**" means you reject the measure summarized above.