



2026 ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA – NORTH DAKOTA SECTION

Canad Inn – Grand Forks, ND

Tuesday, April 14TH- 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

1. Call to Order 11:02 AM
 - a. Welcome remarks (Sattar Dorafshan)
 - b. Introduction of attendees: Vida, Sattar, Zach, Jerath, Ben Williams, Andrew Skov, Alexa, Sam Wilke
2. Approval of Minutes/Agenda
 - a. Approval of Agenda Zach first Jerath second
 - b. Review and approval of the 2025 meeting minutes Zach first Vida second
3. Reports & Updates
 - a. President's Report (Sattar Dorafshan) - We held two meetings in the fall semester and organized two Lunch and Learn events. We also selected the Student of the Year. UND and NDUS continue to support students from K–12 through professional development and outreach opportunities. This year also marked we participated in both regional MRCL and fly-in. Moving forward, we hope to build stronger and more consistent ties between engineering firms and universities.
 - b. Financial Report for 2025 & 2026 Budget (Sattar)
4. Elections & Nominations
 - a. Review of election results
 - i. Vice President Vida
 - ii. Secretary (2 yr) Betsy
 - iii. Treasurer (1 yr) still looking for candidate
5. Special Recognitions & Awards

- a. Lifetime Member Awards (Jerath): Dinesh Katti

6. Committee Reports

- a. Student Chapter Reports Andrew Skov- women participation has 10% increase by activities done by Autumn- looking for the competition steel bridge in next week Minneapolis

7. Project Recaps & Future Plans

- a. Recap of Events Held in 2025 (Sukhvarsh Jerath): Jerath appreciate all members and mention we support students for different competitions and support for members to attend different ASCE conferences.
- b. BrainSTEM Recap (Alexa Ducioame & Mahmut Ersan): Alexa reported all activities done on both GF and Fargo
- c. MRLC Recap (Betsy and Vida): Vida reported and talked about short- and long-term actions
- d. Fly In (Saber and Zach): - Zach updated and mentioned it was a good chance to meet decision makers and mentioned about report card is a MUST as soon as possible for ND
- e. NDSU & UND Welding Class (Zach)
- f. Lunch and Learn (Armstrong)

8. Adjournment 11:52 AM