



December 5, 2017

Mr. Darin Bergquist, Secretary
Department of Transportation
Becker-Hansen Building
700 East Broadway
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Dear Secretary Bergquist:

The Government Operations and Audit Committee has scheduled a meeting for December 18, 2017, in room 362, in the State Capitol Building, to review various issues involving state government.

The Committee requests that you be present on December 18, 2017 to discuss:

- The operations of the State owned rail line leased to Dakota Southern Railway Company (you may invite the owner of Dakota Southern Railway Company)
- The sources and uses of funds in the Railroad Administration Fund
- The sources and uses of funds in the Railroad Trust Fund

If you plan to present handouts, please provide them to Tim Flannery five days before the meeting so this information can be forwarded to Committee members in advance of the actual meeting date. This is the seventh item on the agenda and the meeting is scheduled to begin at 8:00 a.m.

If you have any questions, please contact Tim Flannery with the Department of Legislative Audit at 773-3595.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Deb Peters".

Senator Deb Peters, Chair
Government Operations and Audit Committee

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jean Hunhoff".

Representative Hunhoff, Vice-Chair
Government Operations and Audit Committee

Cc: Nathan Sanderson, Governor's Office
Liza Clark, Bureau of Finance and Management