

NDBA's 2025 Legislative Tracking List

NDBA Priority Bills March 15, 2025		
Bill	Status	Title
HB 1127	House: PASSED House: 78-0 Senate: PASSED Senate: 46-1 NDBA Supports	Bill updates and clarifies sections of the century code relating to the removal of financial institution officers, directors, and employees; creates a new chapter 13-01.2 to address data security for non-banks.
HB 1141	House: DEFEATED House: 39-51 NDBA Opposed	Relating to using public services or property for political purposes. Bill would prohibit state agencies from holding paid membership in organizations if they have endorsed a candidate or supported/opposed a ballot measure in the past 10 years.
HB 1149	House: PASSED House: 92-2 NDBA Supports	Relating to the revised uniform unclaimed property act; and to declare an emergency. Most notable changes address the dormancy period for virtual currency and require the holder of virtual currency to liquidate the asset before turning the proceeds to the state.
HB 1168	House: PASSED House: 88-3	Relating to a legacy earnings fund and limitations on property tax levies by taxing districts except school districts without voter approval. The bill decreases the amount school districts can levy on property by 10 mills and mirrors that change in the foundation aid formula, limits mill levy increases on political subdivisions other than school districts, and creates a bucket for the state tuition fund out of the legacy fund earnings.
HB 1176	House: PASSED House: 81-10 NDBA Supports	Governor's Property tax proposal. The original bill provided the framework for a \$483.4 million property tax credit plan, funded by both the General Fund and the Legacy Earnings Fund to provide a total primary residence credit of \$1,550 per qualifying residence per year for the 2025-27 biennium. As amended in the House, the bill increases the primary residence property tax credit from \$500 to \$1,450 annually and it expands the homestead property tax credit income thresholds and benefit for the renter's refund program.
HB 1259	House: PASSED House: 55-37 NDBA Opposed	Relating to requiring the state to observe standard time year-round.
HB 1278	House: PASSED House: 85-0 NDBA Neutral with Amendments	Relating to the management and investment of money in the state treasury and a cash management and investment board; to provide a report; and to provide a penalty. Amendments maintain much of the cash management responsibilities with the Bank of North Dakota.
HB 1354	House: PASSED House: 94-0	Relating to the definitions of agency and evaluation, the standards of professional appraisal practice, and appraisal and evaluation guidelines. The bill would add appraisers to the list of providers who can perform evaluations for financial institutions.

HB 1378	House: DEFEATED House: 14-78 NDBA Opposed	Relating to the payment of interest on escrow accounts for residential mortgages. The bill requires the payment of interest to a borrower on the funds held in an escrow account on their residential mortgage.
HB 1441	House: PASSED House: 61-30 Senate: DEFEATED Senate: 18-27 NDBA Neutral with NDBA Amendments	Relating to specie legal tender, the taxation of specie legal tender, and United States central bank digital currencies. The bill would allow gold and silver as legal tender in North Dakota and defines money not to include a “central bank digital currency.” NDBA amendment provides no person shall be required to offer or accept specie legal tender for the payment of debt deposits or any other purpose.
HB 1447	House: PASSED House: 87-3 NDBA Supports	Relating to virtual currency kiosks. The bill implements consumer protection: licensing cryptocurrency kiosk operators; requiring posting fraud warnings; clear display of terms and conditions of use of the kiosk, including fees; capping transaction fees; requiring paper receipts; requiring operators to refund fees for fraudulent transactions; and imposing a daily transaction limit of \$1,000.
HB 1507	House: PASSED House: 87-3 NDBA Supports	Relating to the establishment and organization of cooperative financial institutions charter; relating to the application, powers, payment of claims, liquidation, and sale of cooperative financial institutions.
HB 1575	House: PASSED House: 86-5 NDBA Supports	Relating to a legacy earnings fund, a legacy property tax relief fund, a state reimbursed taxable valuation reduction for residential, agricultural, and commercial property, limitations on taxable valuation increases, and voter-approved excess levy authority. This is a legislator sponsored bill that is a state reimbursed, percentage-based, taxable valuation reduction for residential, agricultural and commercial property.
HB 1584	House: PASSED House: 90-0 NDBA Opposed	Relating to pharmacy benefits managers – the bill removes the exemption of a self-funded ERISA health plan from the pharmacy benefits management statutes.
SB 2008	Senate: DEFEATED Senate: 0-46	A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of financial institutions. Will not be needed with passage of SB2028
SB 2014	Senate: PASSED Senate: 46-0 NDBA Supports	A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the industrial commission and the agencies under its control – including the Bank of North Dakota and the Housing Finance Agency. BND provisions include open records request clarification and update to PACE program.
SB 2028	Senate: PASSED Senate: 46-1 House PASSED House: 59-34 Senate: CONCURRED Senate: 43-4 Governor: Signed 2/25 NDBA Supports	Relating to the budget approval process and reports of the department of financial institutions; to provide a continuing appropriation; to provide a report; and to provide an expiration date. DFI budgeting would be under the authority of the State Banking and State Credit Union Boards.

SB 2122	Senate: PASSED Senate: 47-0 House: PASSED House: 93-0 NDBA Supports	Relating to the Uniform Commercial Real Estate Receivership Act and trustees for commercial buildings during foreclosures; and to provide for application.
SB 2123	Senate: PASSED Senate: 47-0 House: PASSED House: 88-0 NDBA Supports	Relating to the Uniform Special Deposits Act; and to provide for application.
SB 2127	Senate: PASSED Senate: 47-0 NDBA Supports	Relating to the Uniform Electronic Estate Planning Documents Act; and to provide for application.
SB 2164	Senate: PASSED Senate: 44-0 House: PASSED House: 93-0 Governor: NDBA Supports as Amended	Relating to the duty of confidentiality and disclosure to the North Dakota protection and advocacy project. Amendment adds the Protection and Advocacy Project to the agency list a financial institution may report suspected exploitation of an eligible adult.
SB 2225	Senate: PASSED Senate: 37-9 NDBA Supports	A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of commerce for a housing for opportunity, mobility, and empowerment program (HOME). The governor's housing plan focuses on local political subdivisions. A community decides the type of housing they need and which contractor they want to build the project. The community, state and developer each put up 1/3 of the cost for the infrastructure. Then, the contractor builds the project.
SB 2229	Senate: PASSED Senate: 44-2 House: PASSED House: 87-4 NDBA Supports	Relating to required disclosures before the sale of a condominium unit or a property subject to a homeowners' association or a condominium project. North Dakota Association of REALTORS bill to address disclosure issues impacting buyers regarding homeowner and/or condo associations
SB 2280	Senate: PASSED Senate: 43-4	Relating to prior authorization for health and dental insurance. Prior authorization requires patients or their providers to secure pre-approval as a condition of payment or insurance coverage of services. The bill was introduced to reduce burdensome requirements that can prevent or delay patients' access to necessary care.
SB 2282	Senate: PASSED Senate: 46-0 NDBA Supports	Relating to an income tax credit for childcare contributions provided by qualified employers. The bill provides an income tax credit against the income tax liability of qualified employers for 30% of the aggregate childcare contributions made toward childcare costs of a qualified employee; limited to the first five hundred dollars in childcare contributions per employee.
SB 2310	Senate: PASSED Senate: 46-0 House: PASSED House: 78-12 Governor: NDBA's Bill	Relating to garnishments. The bill increases garnishment fees from \$25 to \$40.

SB 2356	Senate: PASSED Senate: 47-0 House: PASSED House: 89-1 Governor: NDBA Supports	Relating to the contents of a legal description for a deed and a contract for deed. Intended to prohibit the rejection of recording a deed on the sale of property that has been previously recorded.
SB 2364	Senate: DEFEATED Senate: 20-27 NDBA Opposed	Amends NDCC 41-08 and 41-09 relating to the UCC Article 8 relating to choice of law, the property interest in a financial asset held by a securities intermediary, priority among security interests and entitlement holders, and the law governing perfection and priority of security interests in investment property.