**Emergency Preparedness and Response Symposium Agenda**

**Location:** 1720 Burlington Drive Ste A, Bismarck, ND 58504  
**Start Time:** 10:00 AM

**10:00 AM - 10:20 AM: Welcome and Introductions**

* Opening Remarks
* Introduction of Speakers and Attendees

**10:20 AM - 10:50 AM: North Dakota Health and Human Services (NDHHS) Emergency Preparedness and Response (EPR) Unit**

* Overview of NDHHS EPR Initiatives
* Recent Achievements and Challenges
* Q&A Session

**10:50 AM - 11:20 AM: North Dakota Department of Emergency Services (ND DES)**

* Current Emergency Services Programs
* Strategic Plans for Upcoming Year
* Q&A Session

**11:20 AM - 11:50 AM: North Dakota Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (NDVOAD)**

* Role of Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster Response
* Collaboration Opportunities
* Q&A Session

**11:50 AM - 1:20 PM: Lunch Break**

* **Note:** Meal not provided. Participants are encouraged to explore local dining options.

**1:20 PM - 2:00 PM: Attendees Sharing Capabilities in Disaster**

* Open Floor for Attendees to Discuss Their Organization’s Capabilities
* Opportunities for Collaboration and Partnership

**2:00 PM - 2:30 PM: Tour of Warehouse**

* Guided Tour of Emergency Preparedness and Response Facilities
* Demonstrations of Equipment and Resources

We look forward to your participation and engagement in making our community more resilient and prepared for emergencies.