To Whom it May Concern,

Annually in March, the North Dakota Music Educators Association holds their Music Educators Convention in accordance with the North Dakota High School All State Festival. This convention exists to raise standards of music education and assist music teachers in better pursuing their profession. Many of the sessions and clinics presented will help to expand teaching techniques of music educators.

NDMEA is requesting your administrative support to send music educators to attend the conference. We are pleased to provide professional development opportunities focused specifically on each aspect of music education, including general music, band, orchestra, and choir.

Attendance at the NDMEA Conference also provides the following benefits to music educators and schools:

- Time for networking with other seasoned educators from across the state
- The opportunity to earn professional development credits.
- The ability to learn new ideas and techniques to share with students and teachers throughout the school.
- The availability to view and evaluate vendor products before purchase

Thank you for taking the time to support music education in the state of North Dakota.

Sincerely,

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Past-President

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