

Interagency Notice of Change in control of a Bank Holding Company

Karen L. Schumacher, Drayton, North Dakota, intends to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission, to become a co-trustee of the KodaBank Employee Stock Ownership Plan, Drayton, North Dakota, and thereby join a group acting in concert that collectively controls 10 percent or more of the shares and thereby controls Koda Bancor, Drayton, North Dakota (“Koda”). Koda controls Koda Bank, Drayton, North Dakota. The Federal Reserve considers a number of factors in deciding whether to approve the notice.

You are invited to submit comments in writing on this notice to the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Attention: Applications Officer, Division of Supervision, Regulation and Credit, P.O. Box 291, Minneapolis, MN 55480-0291. Comments can also be sent electronically to MA@mpls.frb.org. The comment period will not end before May 7, 2025 and may be somewhat longer. The Board's procedures for processing applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. Part 262.25. To obtain a copy of the Federal Reserve Board's procedures, or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the notice, contact Mark Nagle, Assistant Vice President, at (612) 751-1563. The Federal Reserve will consider your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the notice if they are received in writing by the Reserve Bank on or before the last day of the comment period.

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Todd Anderson, Drayton, North Dakota, individually, and The Peter and Marie Anderson Living Trust (Peter B. Anderson and Marie Anderson, co-trustees) all of Drayton, North Dakota, intend to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission to retain shares of Koda Bancor, Inc., Drayton, North Dakota (“Koda”) and thereby join the Anderson Family Group, a group acting in concert, that collectively controls 10 percent or more of the shares and thereby controls Koda. Koda controls Koda Bank, Drayton, North Dakota. The Federal Reserve considers a number of factors in deciding whether to approve the notice.

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Cavalier Thrift Store turns spring cleaning into spring donations

The Cavalier Thrift Store was able to donate \$23,000 this spring because of their dedicated shoppers and the generous donations from people doing their spring cleaning.

Donations this spring were made to:

- Dakota Boys Ranch
- Cavalier School-after prom party
- Cavalier Motorcycle Ride-in
- Cavalier Recreation - Missoula Children’s Theater
- Cavalier All School Reunion
- Cavalier CTE- Health Occupations student organization
- FBLA
- Cavalier School- outdoor classroom bridge project
- St. Thomas Daze kids activities
- Drayton-Valley-Edinburg after prom party
- North Border after prom party
- Stray Safe pet rescue
- TEDx - Cavalier
- Quilts of Valor
- Cavalier Ambulance
- Crystal Quick Response
- Drayton Ambulance
- Mountain Quick Response
- Neche Quick Response
- Pembina Ambulance
- St. Thomas Quick Response
- Walhalla Ambulance

The Cavalier Thrift Store is run solely by volunteers and is open on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from 1:00-4:00. Donations can be made during store hours. Please do not leave items outside. Due to insects, rodents, or rain, items left outside may be thrown.

Letter to the editor

Right now, the North Dakota Legislature is considering a slate of so-called “education savings account” bills. Whatever the poll-tested “school choice” label of the

week is, don’t be fooled — they do the same thing in effect: drain public dollars that could support our public schools to subsidize private school tuition. With one bill’s projected cost nearing a quarter of a billion dollars, these schemes shortchange the public schools that partner with parents to serve 93% of school-aged children in our state.

And rural communities? They’ll take the hardest hit. Less than one-third of North Dakota counties even have a private school, but these voucher programs would still rob funding from rural public schools that already face unique and difficult funding challenges. They don’t improve access to education, they just shift scarce resources from rural communities to benefit a few families in our large cities.

Meanwhile, in the same breath,

lawmakers rejected a universal school meals bill that would have guaranteed breakfast and lunch to every student, public and private. Feeding kids is not a partisan issue, and it doesn’t deepen a rural-urban resource divide; it’s a basic responsibility. The people of North Dakota gave that directive to the state legislature when over 80% expressed support for Universal School meals in a statewide poll ahead of the legislative session.

And let’s not overlook the impact of this policy on all families, no matter where their child enrolls: universal school meals would have saved families nearly \$1,000 per child per year - real money that would have stayed in North Dakota pockets, easing the burden on working families.

Public dollars should serve the public good, not fund private tuition for a select few. So let’s be honest: who are our lawmakers working for? There’s still time to get this right. North Dakota families deserve policies that put all our kids first.

Amy Jacobson,
Executive Director, Prairie Action ND

Altru Announces Upcoming Closure of Clinic Services in Drayton

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