Governor's Office organizational chart

PEOPLE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Dennis Daugaard
Governor

All Cabinet has direct access to Gov.

Kristie Hauck
Executive assistant

Linda Daugaard
First Lady

Linda Fridley
Mansion

Doreen Kayser
Scheduler

Governor's Executive Committee

Liza Clark
Chief Financial Officer

Cabinet: Finance & Management
Revenue
Functions: State budget process
Board of Internal Controls
Liaison: State Auditor
State Treasurer

Nathan Sanderson
Dir. of Policy & Operations

Cabinet: Agriculture, Housing, Public Safety
Game, Fish & Parks, Transportation
Environment & Natural Resources
Human Resources, Administration
Functions: Policy process
Energy policy, Oil & gas
Cabinet and staff meetings
Administrative rules
Office management
Liaison: Cmsr. of School & Public Lands
Public Utilities Commission
Governors associations
Federal and Congressional offices
Local governments

Tony Venhuizen
Chief of Staff

Cabinet: Education, Tourism, Corrections
Information & Telecom
Labor & Regulation
Functions: Communications and speeches
Criminal justice policy
Workforce initiatives
LTF/Action issues
Press spokesman, open government
Boards and commissions
Constituent services
Liaison: Secretary of State, Attorney General
Regents and Tech Institutes
UJS and Judicial appointments
Science & Technology Authority

Matt Michels
Lieutenant Governor

Cabinet: Military, Veterans' Affairs
Tribal Relations
Functions: President of the Senate
Governor's representative
Special projects
Liaison: State Legislature
SD Investment Council
SD Retirement System

Kim Malsam-Rysdon
Sr. Advisor to the Governor

Cabinet: Social Services
Health
Human Services
Functions: GECo chair and agenda

Scott Stern
Cmsr. of Econ. Development

Cabinet: Economic Development
Functions: Job creation and economic growth
Liaison: Ellsworth Development Authority
Energy Infrastructure Authority

Matt Konenkamp
Policy Advisor

Environment & NR
Public Safety
Oil & gas, Railroads
PUC, Water issues
Governors associations
Federal liaison
Local government liaison

Hunter Roberts
Policy Advisor

Agriculture
Game, Fish & Parks
Transportation
Energy policy
Cmsr. of School & PL

Patrick Weber
Policy Advisor

Labor & Regulation
Education, Housing
BOR & Tech. Institutes
Information & Telecom
Corrections

Kelsey Smith
Policy Advisor

First Lady's initiatives
Human Resources
Workforce initiatives
KMR policy/liaison
LTF/Action issues
Office budget and HR
Support staff meetings

Support staff

Morgan Ness
Executive Assistant

Correspondence

Kelsey Pritchard
Communications Dir.

Press relations
Speechwriting
Constituent mail
Website & Social media
Weekly column

Grace Beck
Deputy Policy Advisor

Tourism
Boards and commissions
LG policy/liaison
Assist gov's associations
Speechwriting

Rachel Graves
Executive Assistant

Capital for a Day

Bailey Carlsen
Constituent Service

Communications assist
Cabinet & staff mtgs.

A. J. Franken
General Counsel

Chief legal advisor
UJS liaison
Risk management
Clemency
Indian gaming/trust land

Ellie Bailey
Dep. General Counsel

Vetoes and bill analysis
Orders and extraditions
Red tape repealer
Assist on legal matters

Doreen Kayser
Scheduler

Support staff

Kristie Hauck, Governor's EA
Rachel Graves, Lt. Governor's EA
Morgan Ness, Sanderson/THV EA
Judy Davis, receptionist
Sheila Bonrud, legislative assistant
Travis Dovre, fiscal officer
Jeff Wilson, human resources

The Governor's Values

- Servant-leader
- Honest, genuine, willing to admit mistakes
- Hard working and self-starting
- Respectful of all people (no behind the back complaining)
- Frugal and unpretentious
- Committed to good stewardship

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