

# The POWER of Counties

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**Reaching New Heights**  
34<sup>th</sup> Annual North Central Local Roads Conference  
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# Importance of Partnerships

- MAMA knows best!
  - What can we do for you?
- Member associations are independent
  - Have own boards/committees
  - Contract for services with NDACo
- Built strong relationships over the years
  - work together to accomplish similar goals
    - training opportunities

# SD LTAP Advisory Board





# Workshops and Trainings



SDACHS Office Personnel training

Safety Plan Joint Meeting with McCook County, FHWA, University of North Carolina, SDLTAP, NLTAP, Emergency Management, Sheriff's Office, SDDOT, Highway Superintendents, Township Supervisors and County Commissioners



# Transportation Day



ND County Highway Department Heads meet with Senate Majority Leader Rich Wardner at the State Capitol on Transportation Day



# Operation Prairie Dog



Jason Benson, Cass County Engineer, testifying to legislative committee on the infrastructure needs of local government

Nick West, Grand Forks County Engineer, sharing the importance of permanent funding for future infrastructure planning for local government



# UGPTI Needs Study



Al Heiser, Stark County Highway Superintendent, testifying on the importance of the ND Roads and Bridges Study completed by UGPTI

# Get Involved

- No matter how big or small; it makes a difference
- Testify, join a committee or board, provide technical assistance
- If you are not sure how to get involved-  
**ASK!**



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