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Gov. Doug Burgum and Lt. Gov. Brent Sanford visited the University of North Dakota, part of the governor's commitment to visit all 11 of North Dakota's public colleges and universities as he seeks to transform education, one of his five strategic initiatives. They met with President Mark Kennedy, students, faculty, staff and administrators, learning about the university's research goals and the ways they're working to transform higher education. Earlier in the week, Burgum and Sanford visited Dickinson State University, meeting with President Thomas Mitzel and others.

BURGUM, SANFORD TALK MAIN STREET IN DICKINSON

While in Dickinson, Burgum and Sanford also met with city leaders and community members about how they're working to create a vibrant community to attract and retain a 21st century workforce.



GOV. ADDRESSES TRADE CONFERENCE



Gov. Burgum delivered the closing address at the North Dakota Trade Office's Global Business Connections Conference. The governor highlighted how trade plays a critical role in North Dakota's economy, supporting more than 28,000 jobs in our state, and that our state's exports totaled more than \$5.3 billion last year.





LT. GOVERNOR SPEAKS AT LIGNITE ENERGY CONFERENCE

At the Lignite Energy Council's annual meeting in Bismarck, Sanford highlighted the vitally important role coal plays in our power grid, as well as state funding contributing to Project Tundra, the Allam Cycle, research on carbon capture and enhanced oil recovery and other technologies that will provide a path forward for coal.



TR CENTER CELEBRATES MILESTONE

Burgum and Sanford helped celebrate the 50,000th digital item published by the Theodore Roosevelt Center at Dickinson State University. The center was launched in 2009 and is creating an all-encompassing digital collection of all writings, speeches and photographs connected to Roosevelt. Learn more about the Theodore Roosevelt Presidential Library project at www.trpresidentiallibrary.org.