

**The Hagemann Center for Legal & Public Policy Research  
announces a new journal aimed  
specifically at the South Dakota legal community.**

*The South Dakota Journal of Law & Public Policy* will publish essays and articles of interest to South Dakota lawyers and public policymakers. Unlike a traditional law review, the journal will focus on shorter essays and articles. Some of the essays and articles may be written by students or law professors, but the goal is to have a majority of the essays and articles written by lawyers, judges and government officials.

Although the journal will consider traditional law review type articles of thirty to forty pages, it is not intended to be a traditional law review. Instead, it seeks mainly essays and articles of between five and ten pages. The journal specifically desires material from practicing attorneys akin to the legal research generated in the course of their practice of law, whether in civil or criminal litigation, trusts and estates, or business law. The main objective is a focus on legal and policy issues of concern or interest to South Dakota lawyers, judges and policymakers.

The editor-in-chief of the journal will be Tim Gebhart of Davenport, Evans, Hurwitz & Smith, LLP. The publisher will be Patrick Garry, Director of the Hagemann Center for Legal & Public Policy Research. The first issue of the journal will be published in the fall of 2011, and the deadline for submissions of articles or article proposals is April 1, 2011.

All members of the South Dakota legal community are encouraged to contribute essays and articles to this new journal. Inquiries and submissions may be directed to Timothy Gebhart, Editor-in-Chief, *The South Dakota Journal of Law & Public Policy*, c/o Davenport, Evans, Hurwitz & Smith, LLP, P.O. Box 1030, Sioux Falls, SD 57101-1030, [tgebhart@dehs.com](mailto:tgebhart@dehs.com).