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SECRETARY OF STATE ANNOUNCES 2024 SD ECONOMIC REPORT

(Pierre, S.D.) – Secretary of State Monae L. Johnson is excited to announce the 2024 South Dakota Economic Report, produced through a collaborative effort with Dakota Wesleyan University.

Although the South Dakota Economic Report was originally released in 2011, it had ceased publication in 2019. In an effort to offer “insights into the economic landscape of South Dakota,” Secretary Johnson partnered with Dakota Wesleyan University to make this valuable economic data available to the public once again. This is only the first of many forthcoming reports that will provide the people of South Dakota with regular updates on the state’s economic health.

According to Secretary Johnson: “As the custodians of all business entity filings, the Secretary of State’s Office plays a crucial role in deciphering the state’s economic pulse.” By making extensive use of data provided by the Secretary of State’s Office, particularly business filings, Dr. Tracy Dice and her students were able to analyze important economic trends and observe the “resilience and adaptability of South Dakota’s entrepreneurial spirit.”

Secretary Johnson invites everyone to read the 66-page South Dakota Economic Report, which can be found on the Secretary of State’s website at <https://sdsos.gov/general-information/publications/default.aspx>.