

# County Board Chair Workshop



Friday, February 14, 2025

Younes Conference Center North, Kearney | Gold Ballroom 3

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| 8:00 AM  | Registration   |
| 8:30 AM  | Welcome and Pledge - Jon Cannon, NACO Executive Director   |
| 8:35 AM  | Legislative Changes Effective 2025 - Beth Ferrell, NACO Legal Counsel; Elaine Menzel, NACO Legal Counsel   |
| 9:00 AM  | Legislative Updates - Jon Cannon, NACO Executive Director  |
| 9:30 AM  | Meg Mikolajczyk, Nebraska Table Executive Director   |
| 10:30 AM | Break  |
| 10:50 AM | Broadband Readiness - Patrick Haggerty, State Broadband Director; Deidre Boyle, Outreach Coordinator   |
| 11:30 AM | Lunch  |
| 12:15 PM | Planning & Zoning Scenarios and Best Practices - Dave Ptak, DHP Consulting; Chad Nabity, Hall County/Grand Island Zoning Administrator   |
| 1:30 PM  | Break  |
| 1:45 PM  | Jails & Behavioral Health Programs Panel - Michael Myers, Director of Corrections, Douglas County; Beth Reynolds-Lewis, Emergency Systems Director, Region 3; Sheriff Paul Vrbka, York County; Moderated by Mark Schoenrock, Jefferson County Commissioner |
| 2:45 PM  | NACO Resources - Candace Meredith, NACO Deputy Director  |
| 3:00 PM  | Questions and Adjourn  |