



The Ninety-Three

March 17, 2023



Registration for Board of Equalization & County Board Workshops Open Now

Join us at the Younes Center in Kearney this June for the 2023 Board of Equalization Workshop and County Board Workshop!

On Wednesday, June 7, the County Board of Equalization workshop kicks off at 8:30 a.m. with a solid morning of speakers and education.

As the workshop wraps up around lunch, the County Board Workshop begins and rolls into the evening with a banquet, a keynote speaker, an exhibit hall, a game room social, and more.

Register below. We hope to see you there!

County Board of Equalization Workshop

Wednesday, June 7, 2023

[Register Here](#)

[View the Agenda](#)

County Board Workshop

Wednesday, June 7 - Thursday, June 8, 2023

[Register Here](#)

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Opioid Settlement Payment Schedules

Second distribution payment schedules are now available on our website.

A reminder that the sign-on process through Rubris / Brown Greer continues until April 18, 2023.

CYBERSECURITY GRANT FAQ WEBINAR

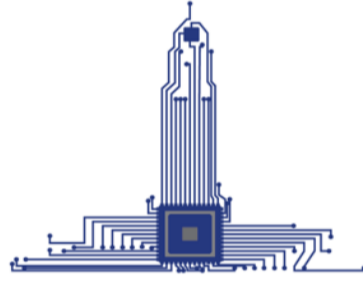
NEBRASKA CYBERSECURITY PLANNING COMMITTEE

This will be a panel discussion webinar with Nebraska Cybersecurity Planning Committee members to answer your questions about the grant, the project proposal process, eligibility questions, and other grant-related topics.

You will be able to submit questions in the group chat, or you are encouraged to submit questions prior to the panel discussion by sending to SLCG@Nebraska.gov

FRIDAY, MARCH

24TH | 10AM CST



[SLCG Website](#)

The State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Committee will host a webinar on March 24th at 10:00 A.M. central to showcase the SLCG application process and answer FAQs. Visit the website for more information.

Nebraska State Telehealth Fund Program (NUSF-57) for Public Health Districts

The Nebraska Telehealth program provides supplemental and secondary funding to health care providers receiving federal support.

To be eligible for state NUSF Telehealth program support applicants are required to demonstrate participation in the Healthcare Connect Fund (HCF) a subprogram of the Federal Communications Commission's Rural Health Care program.

[Click Here for More Information](#)

NACO Photography Contest

Attention all photographers! NACO is hosting a photography contest:

"Discovering Nebraska's Hidden Gems"

NACO will select 12 winning photographs which will be featured in our annual calendar. Each winner will receive a calendar and a NACO swag bag.

Even if your photograph does not win, it may still be featured in a number of NACO publications, including the official website and social media.

[How to Submit Entries](#)

- After reviewing the [rules](#), take a gorgeous, unique, or otherwise spectacular photo of something or someplace in a Nebraska county (but see rules for resolution requirements!)
- [Download](#), complete, and sign the NACO photo release waiver (entrants will retain the copyright to the photo)
- Submit the signed NACO photo release waiver AND the photograph (in .jpeg format) using this [Dropbox link](#)
- Cross your fingers and wait for September 1!

Click [here](#) for a full description of the contest rules.

Questions? Contact Luke Bonkiewicz at Luke.Bonkiewicz@NebraskaCounties.org.

[Click Here for the Website](#)



2023 Outstanding County Board Member Nominations

Nominations for the 2023 Outstanding County Board Member Award are open to county board members who have been in office for at least four (4) terms. Criteria used for selecting the 2023 recipient includes: member will have been active on regional boards, been chairperson of their county board, participated in the legislative process, and appointed to a statewide committee. Regular attendance at NACO educational opportunities, events and meetings is also required. Please keep your answers concise, but be sure to include all pertinent information. Announcement of this award will be made after the Wednesday evening meal at the County Board Workshop in Kearney.

Submit nomination form to candace.meredith@nebraskacounties.org by April 28, 2023.

[Nomination Form](#)

Nebraska Public Service Commission Broadband Outreach

The Nebraska Public Service Commission (Commission), in coordination with the Nebraska Information Technology Commission/Office of the CIO and the Nebraska Broadband Office, will be launching a robust statewide stakeholder engagement process related to the Broadband Equity Access and Deployment (BEAD) and Digital Equity Act programs.

Rachael Surmick, Broadband Outreach Coordinator with the Commission, will be reaching out to local officials about engaging the communities they represent. Engagement efforts will be focused on needs and desires for improved broadband

access and digital inclusion efforts. Recognizing that communities know their needs best, coordination with local governments is key to the success of this work.

If you would like to reach out directly about engagement in your community, contact Rachael at rachael.surmick@nebraska.gov or 531-893-1522.

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