

January 17, 2025



The Ninety-Three

NACO Legislative Bill Review Webinar -Register Now

The NACO Board of Directors will take positions on legislative bills on January 23, 2025.

Register for the Webinar Here:

[Webinar Registration](#)

The 2025 County Board Handbook Is Now Available for Order

The 2025 County Board Handbook is available for \$80.00. Please fill out the form linked below if you would like to order a County Board Handbook.

[Order Form](#)



NACO Nebraska County Explorer: Latest Updates

NACO added helpful new data to each county's [Counties Explorer](#) page on the NACO website. Under the "Demographics" tab, data on household size and residential building permits was added. Under the "Education and Employment" tab, data on local business revenues, grain elevator capacity, and railroad mileage was added. All of the Counties Explorer data was also updated to the most recent year available.

[Click to Begin Exploring](#)

2025 County Chair Workshop - Register Now

This workshop is for County Board Chairs and Vice Chairs. Agenda coming soon.

Friday, February 14, 2025 | 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Younes Conference Center North - Crowne Plaza, 707 Talmadge St, Kearney, NE 68845

Deadline to pre-register: February 7, 2025 by 5:00 PM

Registration fee: \$0

Walk-in registrants welcome after deadline. Agenda coming soon.

[Register Here](#)

Stay Informed with NACO's Legislative Resources

As the legislative session gets underway, NACO is here to help county officials stay informed and engaged. Subscribe to the Legislative Newsletter for weekly updates delivered to your inbox and access the Legislative Report on our YouTube channel for the latest legislative information.

Need more information? Visit the Nebraska Legislature's webpage to find details on specific bills, and watch live streams of Unicameral debates and hearings on Nebraska Public Media.

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Kick Off 2025 with NACO West!

Happy New Year! As we welcome 2025, we're thrilled about the opportunities that lie ahead. The doors to NACO West are open, and our team is dedicated to handling all the details for your meetings, allowing you to focus on sharing ideas and building connections. Whether you need to host an affiliate meeting, educational workshop, training event, or board meeting, NACO West is here to meet your needs. While virtual meetings offer convenience, there's nothing quite like the energy of in-person interactions! Let's make 2025 a year full of new ideas, partnerships, and opportunities.

Click the button below to discover how we can make your meeting a success.

[Click Here!](#)

Seeing is believing - stop by and see how we will elevate your next event. We can't wait to see you!

Become a 2025 NACO Business Member

Connect your company with county officials across Nebraska

Support from our valued NACO Business Members enables us to provide high-quality educational programs and resources to Nebraska county officials.

Benefits	Elite \$2000/Year	Premium \$750/Year
Your company on our website	✓	✓
Opportunity to provide offers to the NACO Network	✓	✓
First notification of any sponsorship opportunities, including annual conference	✓	✓
Your logo in our weekly online newsletter for the year	✓	✓
15% discount on a sponsorship or booth at the 2025 NACO Annual Conference (December 2025, Kearney)	✓	✓
15% discount on NACO West Office Jack Mills Training Center rental in Ogallala, NE	✓	✓
One social media announcement of membership	✓	
One educational article in our weekly online newsletter highlighting your company's services	✓	
Your logo scrolling on our NACO home page for the year	✓	
Monthly Elite Member spotlight on the NACO home page	✓	
Complimentary Exhibit Booth at the 2025 County Board Membership Workshop (June 2025, Kearney)	✓	

Ready to maximize your opportunities with NACO in 2025? Scan Here to Apply!



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Savi Available to NACO Benefit Services Groups



**Looking for support
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As a Nebraska County employee, you and your family now have access to Savi - a straightforward financial wellness benefit to keep your student loans on track.*

**Create your free account at
nacobenefits.bysavi.com to see if you
qualify for a lower monthly payment or
student loan forgiveness**

*To receive your coupon code for Savi Essential (typically \$70), please email candace.meredith@nebraskacounties.org. Coupon codes are available exclusively to Nebraska County employees.

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NAEM Emergency Manager Award Nomination Deadline Extended

The NAEM Nomination Committee invites your participation in recognizing the outstanding contributions of Emergency Management professionals in our state by submitting nominations for the prestigious "NAEM Emergency Manager Awards" through the Nebraska Association of Emergency Management (NAEM).

The NAEM awards program is an excellent opportunity to celebrate the dedication, innovation, and leadership demonstrated by individuals and teams working tirelessly to ensure our communities' safety and resilience. As an elected official, your nomination carries significant weight and reflects your commitment to supporting those who safeguard our citizens during times of crisis.

Award Categories:

Emergency Manager of the Year

New Emergency Manager of the Year

Deputy Director or Administrative Assistant of the Year

Emergency Management Support Nomination

Lifetime Achievement Nomination

We encourage you to nominate individuals with exceptional skill, leadership, or innovation in their emergency management efforts. The nomination process is straightforward and involves providing details about the nominee's achievements and their impact on the community.

Key Details for Submission:

Deadline: Extended to January 31st

Submission Link: NAEM Award Nominations

Submissions Directed To: ggoebel@otoecountyne.gov

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