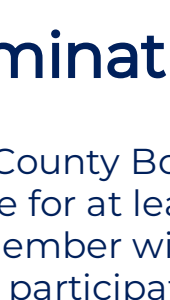




The Ninety-Three

April 7, 2023



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 the recipient 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](#)



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. Treasurers and Attorneys have been approved for 3.0 credit hours for attending the workshop. Assessors will earn 2.5 hours.

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.

We have a NACO Hotel Block at the Crowne Plaza \$139.95 a night and Hampton Inn \$149.95.

Register below. We hope to see you there!

County Board of Equalization Workshop

Wednesday, June 7, 2023

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County Board Workshop

Wednesday, June 7 - Thursday, June 8, 2023

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Register for the Clerks, Register of Deeds, and Election Commissioner June Workshop

Registration is now open for the upcoming workshop for Clerks, Register of Deeds, and Election Commissioners, scheduled to take place in June 14-16 at the Younes Center South in Kearney.

This is an excellent opportunity for Clerks, Register of Deeds, and Election Commissioners to stay updated on the latest developments and best practices in their fields while networking with peers from across the state.

View registration details below!

[Register Here](#)

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Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and Inflation Reduction Act Funding Webinar

U.S. EPA Region 7 will host a webinar designed to share information about upcoming Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and Inflation Reduction Act funding.

Register below and join EPA Region 7, USDA, FEMA and HHS to learn more about these upcoming grants and how they can be used to make impacts in your community.

Nebraska – April 12, 1:00 p.m. CDT:

https://usepa.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_HW7LyTxYQeCuPe7YNANXlQ

Be sure to visit the [EPA Funding Announcements from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and Inflation Reduction Act](#) website for more information on current and upcoming funding opportunities.

Investing in America's Heartland

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Millions of dollars in funding and grants are available for Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska communities.

Please join the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 7 for your state's webinar to learn more about the historic funding available through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and the Inflation Reduction Act.

There are current and approaching funding opportunities that we'll help you prepare to access.

Please join us to learn how you can take full advantage of the funds available through these pieces of legislation.

All events begin at 1:00 p.m. CDT.

To register, please select the appropriate hyperlink below

Missouri – April 4 ([click here for registration & webinar](#))

Kansas – April 5 ([click here for registration & webinar](#))

Iowa – April 11 ([click here for registration & webinar](#))

Nebraska – April 12 ([click here for registration & webinar](#))

For more details on funding opportunities, visit us online at:

<https://www.epa.gov/inflation-reduction-act/epa-funding-announcements-bipartisan-infrastructure-law-and-inflation>

New Application Deadline: Friday, April 14

2023 NACo ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

CELEBRATING 53 YEARS OF INNOVATION

NACo invites counties, parishes and boroughs to share innovative programs through the 2023 NACo Achievement Awards. Recognizing innovative county government programs. One outstanding program from each category will be selected as the "Best of Category."

The new application deadline is Friday, April 14 at 11:59 p.m. EDT.

Click the link below to find resources to help you begin your application and explore past winners.

[Achievement Awards Webpage](#)



Cybersecurity for Government Leaders + Nebraska Association of County Officials Webinar

In 2021, the National Cybersecurity Center (NCC) launched Cyber for State Leaders (featured in [Governig](#)), a cyber hygiene training for state leaders. The NCC offered briefings in all 50 states and trained 1,342 state leaders as a part of the program. While reaching out to only state leaders, we were bombarded with requests from government leaders at the local level and their staff to join the training as well.

Looking towards the 2023 training program, we wanted to expand the training to be more inclusive of all government leaders and their staff.

Cybersecurity for Government Leaders was born.

Cybersecurity for Government Leaders will include nonpartisan trainings intended to prepare government leaders and staff to be vigilant against cyber threats by offering to educate on the ecosystem of cybersecurity, common types of cyberattacks and best practices on how to protect individuals against cyber threats.

Webinar Details

Date: April 27th

Time: 10:00am- 11:00am Central Time

[Zoom Webinar Registration Link](#)



County Justice Reinvestment Grant

The County Justice Reinvestment Grant SFY 2024 Solicitation is now open to applicants.

The application is available on the [Nebraska Crime Commission Website](#).

All application submissions must be submitted through Amplifund.

Application Deadline: Wednesday, May 3rd, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. CDT

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HIGHWAY 61 & DIAMOND SPRINGS TRAIL, OGALLALA, NE

MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW



Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant

The fiscal year [2023 Notice of Funding Opportunity \(NOFO\)](#) for Safe Streets and Roads for All grant is live on [Grants.gov](#) and open for applications. The application deadline is 5:00 p.m. (EDT) Monday, June 10, 2023.

See the links below for more details:

[Safe Streets and Roads for All \(SS4A\) Grant Program](#)

[Fiscal Year 2023 Grant Application Webinars](#)

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DEADLINE TO SUBMIT AUGUST 1ST

- 1** Download and sign the waiver on our website.
- 2** Submit the waiver and your photograph to our Dropbox.
- 3** Cross your fingers and wait for the winners to be announced on September 1st.



Scan for the website

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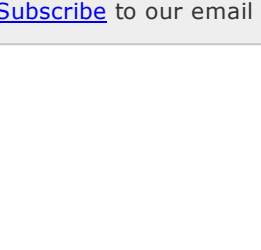
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