



Thank you for applying to serve on one of Nebraska’s many boards and commissions. On behalf of the people of Nebraska, we deeply appreciate your willingness to serve our state. The inscription over the north entrance to our State Capitol is a valuable reminder of engaged citizens like you: “The Salvation of the State is Watchfulness of the Citizen.” Working together, we can build a state government that creates an environment that will grow Nebraska and move our state forward.

Please review the opportunities available and consider applying for an appointment.

**Board and Commission  
Vacancies**

Sincerely,  
Pete Ricketts  
Governor

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**List of boards and commissions with unfilled vacancies as of 1/20/2015**

The list below is of positions that have expired and/or members have resigned prior to the completion of their term. Boards and commissions with openings in January through June 2015 are also provided on the website.

<u>Board</u>	<u>Member/Position</u>
Accountability and Disclosure Commission	3 <sup>rd</sup> District – Submit applications go to the Legislature
Advisory Committee on Aging	Blue River Area on Aging
Arts Council	3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Children’s Commission	Court Appointed System Advocate Volunteer Rep
County Attorney Standards Advisory Council	County Commissioner (2)
Brd of County Highway and City Street Supts	3 <sup>rd</sup> District - Municipal Rep – pop < 5,000
Advisory Committee on Developmental Disabilities	Consumer
Developmental Disabilities Planning Council	Primary
Dry Bean Commission	Grower District 3
Early Childhood Education Endowment	Provider Rep
	Rural At Risk Rep
Early Childhood Interagency Coordinating Council	Service Provider – Mental Health
	Parent
	Professional Development
Education, Health and Social Services	Private Hlth Care Institution in the state
Financial Authority	Private Social Services Institution in the state
Elementary & Secondary School Finance Authority	Finance
	Banking
	CPA
Board of Emergency Medical Services	Consumer – District 3
Equal Opportunity Commission	Member

Exchange Stakeholder Commission	Consumer Interests
Geographic Information System Council	Omaha Metro Rep
Governor's Council to Keep Nebraska Beautiful	Members (6)
Governor's Residence Advisory Commission	2 <sup>nd</sup> District – Non-Republican (2)
Board of Health	Public Member
	Dentist
	Chiropractor
Nebraska Commission on Housing & Homelessness	Member
Commission on Indian Affairs	City of Omaha
	Santee Tribe (2)
	Northern Panhandle
Invasive Species Council	Member at Large – Agricultural Land Owner
Nebraska Coalition for Juvenile Justice	3 <sup>rd</sup> District – Private Non-Profit Organization serving Juvenile Offenders and their families
	Alternate to Incarceration
Governor's Council to Keep Nebraska Beautiful	Member (6)
Natural Gas Fuel Board	All Position Open
Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Comm	3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Nebraska Oil and Gas Commission	Member
Center For Nursing	LPN
	Community College Education Rep
	RN
Commission for the Protection of Children	Youth Provider Rep
	School Rep
	Parent group Rep
Commission on Public Advocacy	5 <sup>th</sup> District (Southeast area of NE minus Lancaster & Seward Counties)
Public Employees Retirement Board	Judge Representative
Advisory Council on Public Water Supply	Operator < 5000
SERC (State Emergency Response Comm)	City Representative
	Public Health
ServeNebraska	Additional Member
	Youth – Age 16-25
	Disabilities
	Older Adults
	Community Based Agency
United Nations Day	Chair
Women's Health Initiative Advisory Council	Epidemiologist
	Geriatric RN or Physician – District 1
	Community Public Health Representative – District 3
	Physician Assistant – Rural
	Foundation Representative
Workers Training Board	Public Member

Workforce Investment Board

Business Representative (2)

Labor (2)

Youth

Other

Governor's Youth Advisory Council

High School Youth – 4 openings

### **Judicial Nominating Commissions**

The Governor appoints the lay members of the Judicial Nominating Commissions (JNCs). Lay members cannot be attorneys or married to attorneys. Attorneys are appointed to the Commission by the judicial branch. JNCs interview applicants for judge positions and forward names for consideration to the Governor.

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission – Court of Appeals – 1<sup>st</sup> District**

(Lancaster & Seward County)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission - County and District Court – 2nd District**

(Otoe, Cass, and Sarpy Counties)

Lay Member – Non Republican

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission – County Court – 3<sup>rd</sup> District**

(Lancaster County)

Lay Member – Democrat or Republican or Independent

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission – District Court – District 4**

(Douglas, Sarpy Counties)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

#### **Judicial Nom Comm – Supreme Court – District 6**

(East Side of Sarpy Co. and lower east side of Douglas County)

Alt Lay Member - Non-Republican (Sarpy Co.)

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – District 5**

(Boone, Nance, Merrick, Hamilton, York, Seward, Butler, Saunders, Polk, Platte, Colfax)

Lay Member (non-Democrat)

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – District 6**

(Cedar, Dakota, Dixon, Thurston, Burt, Dodge, Washington)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

#### **Judicial Nominating Commission – Supreme Court – District 6**

(West of and including Keya Papa, Rock, Garfield, Greeley, Howard, Buffalo, Kearney, Franklin )

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

**Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – 9<sup>th</sup> District** - (Buffalo and Hall Counties)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

**Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – District 12**

(Sioux, Scotts Bluff, Banner, Kimball, Dawes, Morrill, Cheyenne, Sheridan, Garden, Deuel, Grant)

Lay Member - Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

**Judicial Nominating Commission - Supreme Court – Chief Justice**

Lay Member – Non Republican

**Judicial Nominating Commission - Separate Juvenile Court – Sarpy County**

Lay Member – Non Republican