



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 1/11/2017

The list below is of positions that have expired and/or members have resigned prior to the completion of their term.

<u>Board</u>	<u>Member/Position</u>
Abstractors Board of Examiners	Abstractor – County with a 1st Class City as their largest City
Accountability and Disclosure Commission	2 nd or 3 rd Dist–Non-Republican–Apply to Legislature
Boiler Safety Code Advisory Board	Public Member
Boundary Commission	3 rd District
Child Abuse Prevention Fund Board – The “Area of Expertise” represented and the “District” are not tied to each other.	(District 1) (Business Community and Volunteers in child abuse and neglect prevention services)
	At Large – Professional Provider of child abuse and neglect prevention services
Commission for the Protection of Children	Juvenile Case Attorney
Climate Assessment Response Committee	Crop Producer
Board of County Highway & City Street Superintendents	Municipality Rep under 5,000
	Metropolitan or First Class City Rep
Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	Hard of Hearing Representative
Conveyance Advisory Committee	Public Member – Douglas County
Board of County Highway and City Street Superintendents	Metro Rep – District 2
Early Childhood Education Endowment	Endowment Provider
	Nominated by Endowment Provider
	Early Childhood Professional Representing a Rural At Risk County
Early Childhood Interagency Coordinating Council	Parent (1)

	Public Schools
	Service Provider – Elementary
	Head Start
	Service Provider – Public Health
	Child Care Center
	Public Schools
Educational, Health & Social Services Finance Authority	Social Services Institute Representative
	Health Care Institute Representative
Board of Emergency Medical Services	Consumer – 3 rd District
	Consumer – 1 st District
	First Responder – District 2
	Physician – District 1
	Training Agency – District 3
	EMT – District 3
	Member at Large – District 2
	Consumer – District 1
Enhanced Wireless 911 Advisory Board	Wireless Representative
EPSCOR.IDEA Committee	Private Sector (3 Positions)
Equal Opportunity Commission	Member (2 positions)
Fire Safety Appeals Board	Fire Insurance
Foster Care Advisory Committee	Public At Large
Geographic Information System Council	Federal Representative
	Member at Large (2 positions)
	NACO Representative (2 positions)
Governor’s Council to Keep Nebraska Beautiful	Member (2)
Governor’s Residence Advisory Commission	2 nd District
Commission on Housing and Homelessness	Member
Nebraska Humanities Council	Member
Invasive Species Council	Member at Large – Agricultural Land Owner
	Member at Large
NIFA – Nebraska Investment Finance Authority	Ag Production – District 3 – Democrat
	Builder/Developer – District 2 – Democrat
Commission on Latino Americans	Member
Jail Standards	County Commissioner – County with Jail
	Lay Member
	Police Chief
Judicial Nominating Commissions	See beginning on page 3 below
Nebraska Coalition for Juvenile Justice	Youth Member – Under the age of 24 and previously in the Juvenile System (2)
	Mental Health Representative
	Youth Counselor
	Secure Youth Facility
	Alternative to Youth Detention
Long-Term Restrictive Housing Work	Nonprofit Prisoners Rights Advocacy Group – Former Inmate

Women's Health Initiative Advisory Council

Physician Assistant – Rural

OBGYN

Mental Health

Statewide Health Volunteer Agency

Creighton University Representative

Additional Member (2)

Nebraska Workforce Development

Chief Elected Official – Mayor (2)

Governor's Youth Advisory Commission

2 Openings

Judicial Nominating Commissions

The Governor appoints the lay members of the Judicial Nominating Commissions (JNCs). Lay members cannot be 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. No more than half of the members can be of any one political party.

Judicial Nominating Commission – Supreme Court – Chief Justice

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - Supreme Court – 1st District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2 (Lancaster and Seward Counties)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission – Supreme Court – District 2 (Eastern Middle portion of Douglas County)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican (2)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - Supreme Court – 3rd District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2 (Boyd, Holt, Wheeler, Knox, Antelope, Boone, Pierce, Madison, Platte, Cedar, Wayne, Stanton, Dixon, Cuming, Dakota, Thurston, Burt, Washington, Western and Upper Douglas and Western Sarpy Counties)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - Supreme Court – 4th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2 (Lower Eastern Douglas County and Eastern Sarpy County – see map for further details)

Lay Member – Non-Republican (2)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - Supreme Court – 5th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Hall, Adams, Webster, Nance, Merrick, Hamilton, Clay, Nuckolls, Polk, York, Fillmore, Thayer, Saline Jefferson, Colfax, Butler, Saunders, Cass, Otoe, Gage, Johnson, Pawnee, Nemaha, Richardson)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission – Supreme Court – District 6

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

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican (2)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission Court of Appeals – 1st District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Lancaster and Seward Counties)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission Court of Appeals – 2nd District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Eastern Middle Douglas County – see map for further details)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission Court of Appeals – 3rd District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Western and Upper Douglas County, Western part of Sarpy County, Boyd, Holt, Wheeler, Knox, Antelope, Boone, Pierce, Madison, Platte, Cedar, Wayne Stanton, Dixon, Dakota, Thurston, Cuming, Burt, Dodge and Washington Counties)

Lay Member- Non-Democrat (2)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission – Court of Appeals – District 4 (Eastern Sarpy County and lower eastern Douglas County) - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) – Meets: As Needed

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Judicial Nominating Commission Court of Appeals – 6th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Counties west and including Keya Paha, Rock, Garfield, Greeley Howard, Buffalo, Kearney and Franklin Counties)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat (2)

Judicial Nominating Commission – County Court – District 1 - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) – Meets: As Needed - (Clay, Nuckolls, Fillmore, Thayer, Saline, Jefferson, Gage, Johnson, Pawnee, Nemaha, and Richardson Counties)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission – County Court – District 3 - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) – Meets: As Needed - (Lancaster County) - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) – Meets: As Needed

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission – District Court – District 3 - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) – Meets: As Needed - (Lancaster County) Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Judicial Nominating Commission – County Court – District 4 - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) – Meets: As Needed - (Douglas County)

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - District Court - 4th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2 (Douglas County)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – District 5 (Boone, Nance, Merrick, Hamilton, York, Seward, Butler, Saunders, Polk, Platte, Colfax)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat (2)

Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – District 6

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

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican (2)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat (2)

Judicial Nominating Commission – County & District Court – 7th District –

(Knox, Antelope, Pierce, Madison, Wayne, Stanton and Cumming Counties)

Lay Member – Non-Republican (2)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat (2)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - County Court - 10th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Phelps, Harlan, Kearney, Franklin, Adams, Webster, Clay, Nuckolls and Fillmore Counties)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - District Court - 10th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Phelps, Harlan, Kearney, Franklin, Adams and Webster Counties)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - County & District Court - 11th District - Term: 4 Years/Limit 2

(Arthur, Keith, Perkins, Chase, Dundy, Hooker, McPherson, Lincoln, Hayes, Hitchcock, Thomas, Logan, Frontier, Red Willow, Dawson, Gosper, and Furnas)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - Separate Juvenile Court – Lancaster County

Lay Member – Non Republican (2)

Lay Member – Non-Democrat (2)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Judicial Nominating Commission - Separate Juvenile Court – Sarpy County

Lay Member – Non Republican (2)

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Democrat

Alternate Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat (2)

Judicial Nominating Commission – Workers’ Compensation Court - Term: 4 years (8 years Maximum) –

Meets: As Needed

Lay Member – Non-Republican

Lay Member – Non-Democrat