



Nebraska Democratic Party

State Central Committee Meeting

March 4, 2023

Day of Agenda Packet

UNL's Innovation Campus, 2021 Transformation Drive in Lincoln.

Agenda for SCC Meeting, March 4:

1:40 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. CT

- **Meeting Called to Order at 1:40 p.m.**
 - SCC Meeting (**Auditorium**)
 - We will gavel in at 1:40 p.m.
 - Prayer & Secular rooms will open until 1:55 p.m.
 - Secular (**Room B3**)
 - Prayer (**Room C**)
 - We go to FB live at 2:07 p.m.
 - Message from Mayor Leiron Gaylord Baird
 - Land Acknowledgment, Native Caucus
 - Pledge of Allegiance, Veterans and Military Families Council
- **Actions of the NDP Secretary, Stephanie Matejka**
 - Quorum is 59 and we have 63 delegates in attendance.
 - Seating of Delegates
 - CD Chairs report any actions from their caucus on seating of delegates.

- CD 1
 - LD 2 Sarah Slattery
 - LD 29 Tommy Blanton
 - LD 29 Alternate Roger Eschelman
 - CD 2
 - Bob Meyers Alternate Seated for CJ King
 - LD 9 Morgan Freeman New Delegate
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 - Approval of Minutes
 - Minutes from the winter meeting are [online](#) .
- **Training: Voter outreach and communications with military members and families.**
 - Justin Richmond is a volunteer with the [Truman Project](#), a group dedicated to re-thinking national security. Justin served two tours in Afghanistan as USAID's District Stability Framework coordinator, mentoring joint civilian/military/Afghan teams on stabilization implementation in eastern Afghanistan. Prior to USAID, he served in the U.S. Army as a special operations team leader in the southern Philippines, focusing on stabilization, counterinsurgency, and information operations.
 - Justin is the Founder and Head of Strategy & Innovation of Impl. Project. Before starting Impl. Project, Justin worked as a forward deployed engineer at Palantir Technologies, where he led field implementation during both the Typhoon Haiyan and Typhoon Hagupit responses in the Philippines.
- **NDP Officer Updates and New Business**
 - Jane Kleeb, Chair
 - SCC meeting and training schedule.
 - **Moved Bob Meyers LD 6**
 - **Second Rachel Walter LD 21**
 - **Unanimously Approved**
 - Lincoln: March 4, 2023
 - Training on outreach and communications with military voters.
 - Scottsbluff: July 15, 2023
 - Training on DEIA (Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Accessibility) and Code of Conduct.

- Get your hotel now because rooms will book up quickly because of Oregon Trails Day this same weekend. We will be marching in the parade with the Scotts Bluff County party.

- See details in the packet above.

- Online: Oct. 14, 2023

- Training on candidate recruitment and voter engagement tools.

- Online: Dec. 3, 2023

- Training on the Delegate Selection Plan—how to run as a delegate to the National Convention in 2024.

- Additional in-person and online trainings will be scheduled.

- Omaha: March 2024

- Online: May 2024

- October: Grand Island 2024

- Online: December 2024

■ Fundraiser schedule:

- Lincoln: Salute to State Senators, April 5, 2023
 - <https://secure.actblue.com/donate/salute23>
- Burwell: Doris Morgan BBQ, June 2023
- Omaha: Ben Nelson Gala, September 29, 2023

■ NADC (Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Committee) Appointment.

- Janet Chung was selected from a group of names submitted to the NE SOS to serve on the NADC.

■ Let's also welcome Larissa Schultz, the new Nebraska Young Democrats President.

- National Young Dems Convention in Las Vegas in June
- State Convention in April

- Ron Kaminski, Vice Chair and Charlene Ligon, DNC Committee Member
 - Updates from ASDC.
 - Went to my first meeting. Focused on Party Building.
 - Proposal to move state party chair and vice chair terms to 4 years is moving forward. We already adopted this policy at the last state convention.
 - The Secretary of Labor, Marty Walsh was in Lincoln for a ribbon cutting.
 - Updates from DNC.
 - DNC Fall Meeting Update – October 4-7 in St. Louis.
 - No date or location yet for the national convention, final cities include Atlanta, Chicago, New York.
 - DNC Meeting update held Feb. 1-4 in Philadelphia.
 - Big vote took place on the Presidential Primary Calendar. Pres. Biden has requested this be only for the 2024 cycle and that the calendar gets revisited every four years.
 - South Carolina, February 3
 - Nevada + New Hampshire, February 6
 - Georgia, February 13
 - Michigan, February 27
- Roger Morgan, Nominations Committee Chair
 - **Tom Havelka moved to readopt rules for the Election**
 - **Second Ben Cass LD**
 - Election of DNC Committeeperson
 - **All in Favor**
 - [See rules on vacancy announcement.](#)
 - Commissioner Sean Flowerday (his announcement was sent to SCC members with the 10-day packet) is the only announced candidate as of the Nominations Committee meeting on Feb. 25, 2023.
 - Announcement of the new Vice Chair of County Parties elected in the morning at the County Chairs meeting.
 - **CD Caucus Reports, Chairs Marthaellen Florence, Ben Cass, and Randy Fair**

- CD Chairs
 - Reports
 - CD 2 NO reports
 - CD 3 Shannon Graves
 - CD 1 secretary
 - CD Nominating
 - CD
- Jane Moved to Seat Hannah in the vacant At Large Delegate Position
 - **Rachel Walter moved**
 - **Randy Fair second**
- **Texting for Mayor Leirion!**
 - Join us to learn how to use the tool Outreach Circle as we text to help re-elect Mayor Leirion Gaylor Baird.
 - **Goal is 10,000 during the meeting. Let's Go!**
- **Staff Updates**
 - Precious McKesson, Executive Director
 - We need 10 more monthly donors at this meeting! You get to choose a shirt if you sign up today. Look for a biz card in your folder with the QR code!
 - Updates on staffing—Introduce Communications Director
 - Elected to ASDC Exec Board
 - Introduced new Communications Director Jose Flores
 - Ron Rivera, Data and Field Director
 - VAN and Outreach Circle Training for SCC members will happen in July at the Scottsbluff meeting.
 - 2022 data analysis will be presented at the July SCC meeting.
 - Candidate Training schedule:
 - Online: May 20, 2023: Candidate training on NDP services and getting started on your campaign.
 - Omaha: October 14, 2023: Candidate training on NDP services, vendors and critical tools like VAN, texting, online phone banks and more.

- [Lincoln City Elections](#)
 - Primary: April 4, 2023
 - General: May 2, 2023
 - Candidates:
 - Mayor: Leirion Gaylor Baird
 - City Council: James Michael Bowers (District 1), Justin Carlson (District 3), Maggie Mae Squires, Brodey Weber (District 4)
 - School Board: Piyush Srivastav (District 2), Annie Mumgaard (District 4)
 - Airport Authority: Nate Janulewicz
- Gina Frank, Outreach Director
 - Outreach projects across the state.
 - Welcome to the Party Postcards and Calls.
 - Packets available for you to write postcards to new Dems!
 - Block Captain Program.
 - Preview of schedule.
 - Goal for Lincoln election contacts is 10,000 calls and 20,000 texts.

The tentative schedule for the 2023 Block Captains:

- **Contact 1 for 2023: All Hands on Deck for LNK**
 - Training: LNK: Apr 1, 2023
 - Contact: LNK: All Hands on Deck for Lincoln
 - Action: LNK: Block Captains will be tasked with making calls and/or sending texts for the Lincoln elections. Our goal is 10,000 calls and 20,000 texts.
- **Contact 2 for 2023: County Choice (new!)**
 - Training: Determined by County Parties
 - Contact 2: July 1- September 1, 2023
 - Action: These are determined by counties. Suggestions include service projects, invitations to events, walk in a county parade, or distribution of a

summer schedule or county newsletter.

- **Contact 3 for 2023: Dems Deliver**
 - Training: Sept 15, 2023
 - Contact 3: September 20- Nov. 1, 2023
 - Action: Distribute NDP Newspaper–Dems Deliver!

- **Other Upcoming Dates**

- Lincoln: Sunday, March 5, 2023: [Leirion for Mayor Yard Sign Blitz and Lancaster County Democrats Day of Action](#)
- Lincoln: Sunday March 12th, 2023: [Yard Sign Drive](#)
- Lincoln: Saturday March 18th, 2023: [Lancaster County Democrats Patriots Dinner](#)
- Jack Schiewe, Party Affairs Coordinator
 - Introduction and overview of role
 - Involvement of SCC in mobilization efforts.
 - Reach out with ideas.

- **Rules Committee Report, Chair Trevor Fitzgerald**

- Update on 2024 DNC Delegate Selection Plan
 - **VOTE:** Approve creation of Delegate Selection Plan Special Committee.
 - **Moved Ron Kaminski LD 10**
 - **Second William Forsee LD 3**
 - **Unanimously Approved**
 - **Special Committee on Delegate Selection Plan**
 - Trevor Fitzgerald, Rules Chair and Chair of Special Committee (CD2)
 - Patti French, State Convention Chair (CD1)
 - Stephanie Matejka, NDP Secretary (CD1)
 - Charlene Ligon, DNC Committeewoman (CD1)
 - Ben Cass, CD2 Caucus Chair (CD2)
 - Jennifer Norris (CD2)
 - Millie Worthington (CD2)
 - Shannon Graves (CD3)

- Kathy Jensen (CD3)
- Notification of the appointed Committee on Inclusion.
 - **Chair Kleeb appointed the following Democrats to serve on the Committee on Inclusion for the Delegate Selection Plan per the DNC Rules.**
 - Cynthia LaMere, Chair of the Committee on Inclusion
 - Larissa Schultz, NYD President
 - Charlene Ligon, DNC Committeewoman and Sarpy County Chair
 - Zachary James, Latinx Caucus Chair
 - Pastor Janet Banks, Black Caucus Chair
 - Michael Marcheck, Stonewall Democrats Chair
 - Adrian Sanchez, Democrats with Disabilities Chair
 - Cori Villegas
 - Earlen Gutierrez
- **VOTE:** Authorize SEC to approve final Delegate Selection Plan.
 - **Moved Randy Fair LD 47**
 - **Second William Forsee LD 3**
 - **Unanimously Approved**
- **VOTE:** Affirm resolution authorizing independent voters to vote in primary.
 - **Moved Ben Cass LD 9**
 - **Second Kimera Snipes LD**
 - **Unanimously Approved**
- **VOTE:** Establish time frame for County Conventions, May 18-28, 2024
 - **Moved Cynthia LaMere LD 17**
 - **Second William Forsee LD 3**
 - **Unanimously Approved**
- **VOTE:** Set date and location of State Convention
 - Hastings, June 7-9, 2024.
 - **Moved Precious McKesson LD 13**
 - **Second Jennifer Norris LD 23**
 - **Unanimously Approved**

- **State Convention Committee Report, Chair Patty French**
 - Our first meeting to discuss the planning of Convention is March 8.
 - Adams County is already working on securing meeting locations in Hastings.

- **Platform Committee Report, Chair Shirl Mora James**
 - All of the archived resolutions on the NDP website:
 - <https://nebraskademocrats.org/blog/ndp-resolutions/>
 - Discuss Platform Committee Report which includes resolutions.
 - **VOTE** on [Platform Committee Report](#) (resolutions included in the report are below. This will be ONE vote unless there is a motion to pull one from the report)
 - [Resolution Opposing LB626](#)
 - [Resolution Opposing LB574](#)
 - [Resolution Supporting Salary Raise for State Senators](#)
 - [Resolution Congratulating Jayden Speed](#)
 - [Resolution: Commendation to Party Building](#)
 - **Moved Precious McKesson LD 13**
 - **Second Ed Ventura At Large**
 - **Unanimously Approved**

- **Other Committee, Caucus and Council Reports**
 - Climate Council Council updates.
 - Chairs of Caucus and Councils must request time on the agenda prior to the release of the 10-day packet, Feb. 22, 2023.

- Announcements and Adjournment.

CLOSED SESSION (end of FB Live)

- Treasurer's Report, Ted Kessler
 - Summary of accounts.

- Detailed P+L statement available from Ted.
- Reports filed with FEC and NADC.
 - Copies of latest FEC and NADC report available from Ted.
- Finance Plan and Field/Comms/Outreach Plan
 - Numbered folders will be given to SCC members at registration. Plans will then need to be returned at the end of the day.
 - **VOTE**
 - **Moved Ron Kaminski LD 10**
 - **Second William Forsee LD 3**
 - **Unanimously Approved**

Additional Information:

SCC Governing Documents: All of our SCC meeting documents, agendas, bylaws and the training manual for SCC Delegates are on the [NDP website](#).

Statewide Officers, Standing and Special Committee Chairs: The work of party operations happens in our committees. Thank you to the Chairs and committee members for serving. See the leadership of our party online: <https://nebraskademocrats.org/officers/>

- Jane Kleeb, Chair
- Ron Kaminski, Vice Chair
- Vacancy, Vice Chair of County Parties Ryan Griffin
- Charlene Ligon, DNC Committeewoman and Finance Chair
- Vacancy, DNC Sean Flowerday
- Ted Kessler, Treasurer
- Stephanie Matejka, Secretary
- At-Large SEC Members
 - Hannah Wroblowski
 - Richard Register
- Committee Chairs

- Platform & Resolutions
 - Chair Shirl Mora James
- Rules
 - Chair Trevor Fitzgerald
- State Convention
 - Chair Patricia French
- Finance
 - Chair Charlene Ligon
- Nominating
 - Chair Roger Morgan
- Archives & Historical Preservation
 - Sen. Carol Blood
- Technology
 - Chair Ryan Griffin
- Audit & Review
 - Vacancy
- Caucus and Council Chairs
 - Black Caucus
 - Pastor Janet Banks
 - Interfaith Council
 - Chair Brodey Weber
 - Latinx Caucus
 - Chair Zachary James
 - Disabilities Caucus
 - Chair
 - Stonewall Democrats Caucus
 - Interim Chair Michael Marchek
 - Native American Caucus
 - Treasurer Michelle Free-LaMere
 - Women's Caucus

- Chair Dee Austin
- Working Families Council
 - Chair CJ King
- Nebraska Young Democrats
 - Chair Larissa Schultz
- Rural and Agriculture Caucus
 - Chair Roger Morgan
- Climate Council
 - Chair Gina Frank
- Secular Council
 - Chair Philip Deevy

- **Committee Reminders:**

- Any vacancies on committees are filled during CD Caucus meetings. Please see your CD Chair for more information.
- Please fill out this form for any elections held in your CD Caucus, ACO or APC: <https://forms.gle/Rc43ViP4Q5o4C4jU7>
- These committees were updated as of 01/18/23. If you see any edits that we need to make, please email info@nebraskademocrats.org.

Rules Committee, Chair Trevor Fitzgerald

The Rules Committee prepares recommendations on amendments to the Party Constitution; amendments to the Party Bylaws; the rules and order of business for the State Convention; and shall perform such other duties as assigned by the State Chair or State Central Committee. The Rules Committee shall make recommendations to the State Central Committee regarding Affiliated Caucus and Council Organizations recognition following the Rules Committee's initial or requested review.

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| ○ CD1 Janet Stewart | ○ CD2 Ben Cass |
| ○ CD1 Courtney Lyons | ○ CD2 Mark Hoeger |
| ○ CD1 Tom Green | ○ CD3 Sharlette Schwenninger |
| ○ CD1 Zachary James | ○ CD3 Cynthia LaMere |
| ○ CD2 Lacey Merica | ○ CD3 Shaun Baker |
| ○ CD2 Dee Austin | ○ CD3 Quinton Corwin |

Platform and Resolutions Committee, Chair Shirl Mora James

The Committee develops the Party's platform and resolutions in a timely, orderly, and open process, for presentation and action at each State Convention. The Committee is also responsible for a timely, orderly, and open process for presenting resolutions offered for action at meetings of the State Central Committee.

- CD1 Rachele Walter
- CD1 Hannah Wroblewski
- CD1 Mark Minchow
- CD1 John Bailey
- CD1 Price Rivers
- CD1 Andrea Evans
- CD1 Marthellen Florence
- CD1 Michael Marchek
- CD1 Roy Gertig
- CD2 Sarah Hanify
- CD2 Larissa Schultz
- CD2 Millie Worthington
- CD2 CJ King
- CD2 Cornelius Williams
- CD2 Matt Munderloh
- CD2 Dee Austin
- CD2 Wes Jensen
- CD3 Shannon Graves
- CD3 Sharlette Schwenninger
- CD3 Kris Dewey Kinzie
- CD3 Ann Trullinger
- CD3 Bill Wozanik
- CD3 Randy Fair
- CD3 Quinton Corwin
- CD3 Ryan Griffin

State Convention Committee, Chair Patricia French

The State Convention Committee shall select and nominate qualified people to serve as Permanent Officers of the State Convention; serve as the site selection and arrangements committee and make recommendations on the site and arrangements for approval by the State Central Committee.

- CD1 Hannah Wroblewski
- CD1 Janet Goodman Banks
- CD1 Richard Register
- CD1 Roger Eschliman
- CD2 Lacey Merica
- CD2 Morgann Freeman
- CD2 Mikel-Jon Divis
- CD2 Bob Myers
- CD3 Kathy Jensen
- CD3 Shannon Graves
- CD3 Ryan Griffin
- CD3 Terry Sigler

Nominating Committee, Chair Roger Morgan

The Nominating Committee shall solicit and encourage qualified people to serve in the offices of State Chair, First and Second Vice Chairs, National Committeeman and National Committeewoman and conduct the nominating proceedings at the appropriate State Convention or State Central Committee meeting. Nominations for these offices may also be made from the floor by any duly accredited delegate.

- CD1 Jane Egan
- CD1 Janet Chung
- CD1 Richard Register
- CD1 William Forsee

- CD2 Dee Austin
- CD2 Terri Alberhasky
- CD2 Mikel-Jon Divis
- CD2 Topher Booth
- CD3 Kathy Jensen
- CD3 Ann Trullinger
- CD3 Jo-EI Chiles
- CD3 Vacant (m/n)

Technology Committee, Chair Ryan Griffin

The Technology Committee shall provide feedback on new technology proposals, oversee NDP technology security, and annually review the state of NDP technology recommending changes as new technology becomes available and as prices change.

- CD1 Sue Gardner
- CD1 Marta Nieves
- CD1 Tommy Blanton
- CD1 Vacant (m/nb)
- CD2 Larissa Schultz
- CD2 Vacant (f/nb)
- CD2 Ben Cass
- CD2 Topher Booth
- CD3 Susan Conrad
- CD3 Marcie Docekal
- CD3 Roger Wess
- CD3 Bill Wozniak

Audit and Review Committee, Vacancy

The Audit & Review Committee shall review expenditures by Nebraska Democratic Party to ensure that expenditures comply with the budget or are approved by the State Central Committee. The Committee shall have full access to all financial records.

- CD1 Jessica McClure
- CD1 Vacant (m/nb)
- CD2 Donna White
- CD2 Topher Booth
- CD3 Carol Leth
- CD3 Roger Wess

Archives and Historical Preservation Committee, Chair Carol Blood

The Archives and Historical Preservation Committee shall be responsible for gathering, collecting, indexing, organizing, and preserving the documents, data, and materials relating to the history and activities of the Nebraska Democratic Party in whatever form or medium it exists or may be available for the purpose of ensuring that an accurate record of the Party's history and activities is preserved for future reference or edification.

- CD1 Vacant
- CD2 Vacant
- CD3 Vacant

Finance Committee, Chair Charlene Ligon

The Finance Committee shall be responsible for the development and implementation of an annual financial plan to include the evaluation of all fundraising activities and events.

- Stephanie Matejka, CD1
- Dennis Crawford, CD1
- Richard Register, CD1
- Alisha Shelton, CD2

- Brian Fahey, CD2
- Tom Genung, CD3
- Executive Director McKesson (CD2) and all statewide officers--Kleeb (CD3), Kaminski (CD2), Ligon (CD1), Guereca, (CD1)

During the CD Caucus meetings, SCC Vacancies are filled, if you are interested in serving in a position, please contact the CD Caucus Chair for more information:

LD1, Female Delegate	LD19, Female Delegate	LD36, Male Alternate
LD1, Male Alternate	LD20, Male Delegate	LD37, Male Alternate
LD1, Female Alternate	LD20, Male Alternate	LD38, Female Alternate
LD6, Female Alternate	LD22, Female Alternate	LD39, Male Alternate
LD8, Female Alternate	LD22, Male Alternate	LD39, Female Alternate
LD8, Male Alternate	LD25, Female Delegate	LD40, Female Delegate
LD10, Male Delegate	LD25, Female Alternate	LD40, Female Alternate
LD10, Female Alternate	LD25, Male Delegate	LD40, Male Alternate
LD10, Male Delegate	LD25, Male Alternate	LD41, Male Delegate
LD11, Female Alternate	LD26, Male Delegate	LD41, Male Alternate
LD13, Male Delegate	LD26, Male Alternate	LD43, Female Alternate
LD13, Male Alternate	LD30, Female Alternate	LD43, Male Alternate
LD13, Female Alternate	LD31, Male Alternate	LD44, Male Delegate
LD15 Female Alternate	LD31, Female Delegate	LD44, Male Alternate
LD16, Female Alternate	LD31, Female Alternate	LD45, Female Alternate
LD17, Male Alternate	LD32, Female Alternate	LD46, Female Alternate
LD18, Male Alternate	LD34, Female Alternate	LD49, Male Alternate
LD19, Male Alternate	LD35, Male Alternate	
LD19, Female Alternate	LD36, Female Alternate	

- **SCC Agenda Packets:** You are reading the 30-Day Packet right now! You can also view other SCC meeting packets we have archived.
 - <https://nebraskademocrats.org/sccminutes/>
- **SCC Meeting Facebook Event:**
 - We stream our SCC meetings on FB, except the closed session portion.
- **SCC Delegate Training Manual:**
 - <https://nebraskademocrats.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/SCC-Delegate-101-Manual.pdf>
- **County Chair Manual:**
 - <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1YhgqBKB6PPi2VuU7WBI-8usqDdiw2O8RIBZnN3HJwzk/edit?usp=sharing>
- **Block Captain Program:**

- *Training Manual:* https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zmSGxgLa_-Z9NIsiUPpf_p.m.YISkUVrFYR/ (this is being updated for 2023/2024)
- [2022 Block Captain Training Booklet](#)
- *Sign Up:* <https://nebraskademocrats.org/become-a-block-captain/>
- **Archived SCC Minutes and Governing Documents:**
 - <https://nebraskademocrats.org/sccminutes/>
- **Archived Resolutions:**
 - <https://nebraskademocrats.org/blog/ndp-resolutions/>
- **NDP Candidate Manual + Trainings:** We now have a Candidate Manual (thank you Sen. Blood and staff!) and a monthly candidate training series. We do not publish these on the website. Candidates must first complete the MOU -- please email ronr@nebraskademocrats.org.
 - If you or someone you know wants to run for office, please promote this link. Once a person completes this form, staff hold a meeting with the candidate and then they get added to a listserv and trainings: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe6kCBwlpu5YNR7e4yUrA_776V5saFxCgMyIV9I_sbIcCthw/viewform
- **Events:** A reminder that we post our events and volunteer opportunities here: <https://www.mobilize.us/nebdems/>
 - Gina leads the outreach plan, please email them if you need a mobile office (i.e. materials to use at county fairs, parades, etc) or materials sent to you for meetings and events.

Listserves: We send emails to the lists on key information, messaging memos and updates. If you are not on a listserv and want to be, please email jack@nebraskademocrats.org

- SCC Members: ndpscc2022@nebraskademocrats.org
- SEC Members: NDPSEC2022@googlegroups.com
- County Chairs: ndpcountychairs2022@nebraskademocrats.org
- County Officers: ndpcountyofficers2022@googlegroups.com
- Block Captains: nebdemblockcaptains@googlegroups.com
- Elected Officials: nebraska-democratic-elected-officials@googlegroups.com
- State Senators: demsenators@googlegroups.com
- 2023 Candidates: 2023-ndp-candidates@nebraskademocrats.org
- 2024 Candidates: coming soon

#NebDems Store: You can purchase t-shirts and sweatshirts to show your #NebDems pride! The store features American-made shirts that are printed locally by union-shop Shirts 101. Many of you know Rick Poore, owner of Shirts 101, a longtime supporter of Democrats in Nebraska. We add new shirt, hats and merch often:

https://shirts101.store/nebraska_democrats

Monthly Donor Program: Sign up today and get an exclusive Cavanaugh t-shirt.

At least \$10 a month:

- Sticker
- Exclusive Lapel Pin

\$25 a month:

- 1 ticket to annual Salute to State Senators
- Sticker
- Exclusive Lapel Pin

\$50 a month:

- 1 ticket to annual Ben Nelson Gala with VIP Reception
- Invitation to Donor Briefings with Party Leaders and Elected Officials
- Sticker
- Exclusive Lapel Pin

\$100 a month:

- 1 ticket to annual Salute to State Senators and Ben Nelson Gala with VIP Receptions
- Invitation to Donor Briefings with Party Leaders and Elected Officials
- First access and reserved seats to NDP special events and national events that we get tickets for (e.g. special guest speakers, etc.)
- Sticker
- Exclusive Lapel Pin

Trainings: The NDP offers SCC, Block Captain, Blue Bench, and Candidate trainings as well as access to other national training resources. We can come to your county or caucus meetings as well to tailor a training to your needs.

Block Captains: Gina Frank is our Block Captain Director. We currently have 800 Block Captains and we need to recruit an additional 100 Block Captains in 2022.

You can watch previous Block Captain trainings and see the 2020 Block Captain schedule: <https://nebraskademocrats.org/become-a-block-captain/>

Email gina@nebraskademocrats.org for more information on the Block Captain program.

NDP and National Democratic Training Committee: The NDP partners with the DNC and the National Democratic Training Committee to provide all candidates and party leaders trainings to help elect Democrats. You can access a free training account to support your local work.

- Sign up for a training account to access training videos and materials:
<https://traindemocrats.org/training-overview/?partner=nebraska-democratic-party>

DNC Trainings and Resources: The DNC offers an in-depth online training program many Nebraskans are certified in and many more are going through the certification process now. Some topics include Social Media Organizing and Fundraising. See Jim for more info.

- The DNC also has a Job Bank:
<https://jobs.lever.co/dnc/2e44b5bb-6b7b-493d-8b63-a9c3a8877c66/apply>

Resolutions Committee Submissions: If you want to submit a resolution for consideration, please contact the Resolutions Chair Shirl Mora James by email platform@nebraskademocrats.org.

- **NOTE:** Any proposed resolution must be submitted to the Resolution Committee Chair 21-days ahead of the SCC meeting per the new rule passed at the State Convention in 2022.
 - **The deadline for the March meeting was Feb 11th, 2023 at 5 p.m.**
 - **This gives the committee a chance to review all resolutions and for staff to get the resolutions into the 10-Day packet.**
- The committee then reviews and votes on resolutions. The committee can take three actions.
 1. We can approve the resolution out of committee (as is or with some suggested edits) and bring it to the floor of the SCC for a vote. We will hand out the proposed resolutions for SCC consideration in a packet at the Registration desk (for online meetings they are included in the 10-day packet, and the day-of agenda).
 2. We can reject a resolution and will inform the submitter of this decision. An SCC member can then bring the resolution to the floor with a majority vote of the body to hear the resolution.
 3. We can recommend the resolution to a committee for the State Convention.

Tips and Tricks for Submitting a Resolution to the NDP:

- Research the resolution's topic. Make sure what you want to propose does not conflict with the Platform and other passed Resolutions.
 - **2022-2024 Platform:**
<https://nebraskademocrats.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/2022-Nebraska-Democratic-Party-Platform.04.01.22.fn1-1.pdf>
 - **Archived Resolutions:** <https://nebraskademocrats.org/blog/ndp-resolutions/>
- Write your resolution to be free of spelling and grammatical errors. Shorter resolutions are better. Whereas paragraphs should be descriptions. The resolved paragraph sets out the actions you want taken.
- The Platform Committee needs to receive a writable document (non-PDF, non-hard copy) sent to one or both designated email addresses, even if the resolution comes from the floor.
- Please be sure to designate who will present the resolution and speak in favor of it, if you are unable to attend the meeting.

NDP Contact Info:

Phone: 402-434-2180

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Lincoln NDP Office: 3701 O Street, Suite 200, Lincoln, NE 68510

Omaha NDP Office: 5418 S. 27th Street, Suite 6, Omaha, NE 68107

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/NebraskaDemocraticParty>

Mobilize: <https://www.mobilize.us/nebdems/>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/NebraskaDems>

Instagram: @nebraskadems

TikTok: @NebDems

Hashtags: #NebDems, #NEleg

Staff: <https://nebraskademocrats.org/staff/>

Party Officers and County Chairs: <https://nebraskademocrats.org/officers/>

Over 900 Elected Democrats Statewide:

<https://nebraskademocrats.org/elected-democrats/>

Notes: