




**District 1** 471-2733  
**Julie Slama, Peru**  
 Slama was appointed to the Unicameral in 2019. She is a graduate of Yale University and is currently enrolled in UNL law school. She is the chair of the Banking, Commerce & Insurance Committee.




**District 8** 471-2722  
**Megan Hunt, Omaha**  
 Hunt holds a master's degree in political communication from UNO. She is the owner of Hello Holiday, a boutique and e-commerce company.




**District 15** 471-2629  
**Lynne Walz, Fremont**  
 Walz is a realtor and former teacher with a degree in elementary education. In 2018, she ran for Lt. Governor on the Democratic gubernatorial ticket.




**District 22** 471-2715  
**Mike Moser, Columbus**  
 Moser served as Mayor of Columbus. He has a degree in speech communications from UNL and is the owner of Columbus Music.




**District 2** 471-2613  
**Robert Clements, Elmwood**  
 Clements' family has owned Elmwood's American Exchange Bank for 79 years. He holds a B.S. in mathematics from UNL and is a retired banker and insurance agent. He is the chair of the Appropriations Committee.




**District 9** 471-2723  
**John Cavanaugh, Omaha**  
 Cavanaugh served as the Assistant Douglas County Public Defender. He holds both a master's degree in environmental policy and a J.D. from Vermont Law School.




**District 16** 471-2728  
**Ben Hansen, Blair**  
 Hansen is a graduate of Wayne State College. He is the owner of Hansen Chiropractic Wellness Center. He is the chair of the Health and Human Services Committee.



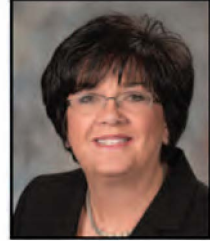
**District 23** 471-2719  
**Bruce Bostelman, Brainard**  
 Bostelman holds a degree in business management from Bellevue University and served in the U.S. Air Force for 20 years. He is the chair of the Natural Resources Committee.




**District 3** 471-2627  
**Carol Blood, Bellevue**  
 Blood served on the Bellevue City Council and as director of the La Vista Area Chamber of Commerce. She was the Democratic nominee for governor in 2022.




**District 10** 471-2718  
**Wendy DeBoer, Omaha**  
 DeBoer graduated from UNL Law School and is working on her Ph.D. in Christian theology at UNO. She teaches philosophy and religious studies.




**District 17** 471-2716  
**Joni Albrecht, Thurston**  
 Albrecht served on the Papillion City Council and on the Sarpy County Board. She farms in Thurston County.




**District 24** 471-2756  
**Jana Hughes, Seward**  
 Hughes holds a degree in industrial engineering from Texas A&M University. She previously worked at Hughes Brothers Manufacturing. Hughes has been on the Seward board of education since 2018.




**District 4** 471-2621  
**R. Brad von Gillern, Omaha**  
 von Gillern holds a degree from UNL in construction management engineering. He currently serves as director of business development at Lueder Construction.




**District 11** 471-2612  
**Terrell McKinney, Omaha**  
 McKinney helped coach wrestling at Omaha North Magnet High School. He is a community organizer and co-hosts a weekly podcast. He is the chair of the Urban Affairs Committee.



**District 18** 471-2801  
**Christy Armendariz, Omaha**  
 Armendariz currently works as a Strategic Sourcing Specialist for Nebraska Methodist Health System. She holds a bachelor's degree in Business Administration and has earned an MBA from Nebraska Methodist College.




**District 25** 471-2731  
**Carolyn Bosn, Lincoln**  
 Bosn was appointed in April 2023 to fill the seat of Suzanne Geist. Bosn holds a J.D. from Creighton University School of Law and is a former Lancaster County prosecutor. She is currently a stay-at-home parent.




**District 5** 471-2710  
**Mike McDonnell, Omaha**  
 McDonnell served in the Omaha fire department for 24 years. He was the president of the Omaha Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO. He is chair of the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee.




**District 12** 471-2623  
**Merv Riepe, Omaha**  
 Riepe is a Navy veteran and worked in the field of healthcare management. He was first elected to serve in the Nebraska Legislature in 2018 and was re-elected in 2022. He is the chair of the Business & Labor Committee.




**District 19** 471-2929  
**Robert Dover, Norfolk**  
 Dover was appointed to serve in the legislature after Senator Mike Flood resigned his seat to run for Congress. He has worked as a real estate entrepreneur.




**District 26** 471-2610  
**George Dungan, Lincoln**  
 Dungan holds a J.D. from American University and now serves as a public defender. He has served on the Board of Trustees of the Lincoln Bar Association.




**District 6** 471-2714  
**Machaela Cavanaugh, Omaha**  
 Cavanaugh holds a master's degree in public administration from UNO. She worked at the Buffett Early Childhood Institute at the University of Nebraska.




**District 13** 471-2727  
**Justin Wayne, Omaha**  
 Wayne is a lawyer and former Omaha Public Schools board member. He is the CEO of Trailblazers Constructors, LLC. He is the chair of the Judiciary Committee.




**District 20** 471-2622  
**John Fredrickson, Omaha**  
 Fredrickson has a bachelor's degree in social work from New York University and an M.A. in social work from Columbia University. He currently works as a mental health professional.



**District 27** 471-2632  
**Anna Wishart, Lincoln**  
 Wishart has a degree in film studies from Middlebury College in Vermont. She served as a member of the Lincoln Airport Authority board.




**District 7** 471-2721  
**Tony Vargas, Omaha**  
 Vargas has a master's degree in education. He served on the Omaha Public Schools Board and recently ran for Nebraska's District 2 Congressional seat.



**District 14** 471-2730  
**John Arch, La Vista**  
 Arch holds an MBA from UNO. He worked in the health care division at Boys Town for 23 years. He is the 2023 Speaker of the Legislature.



**District 21** 471-2673  
**Beau Ballard, Lincoln**  
 Ballard has a bachelor's degree in business from Colorado Christian University and an MBA from UNL. He is a small business owner in Lincoln. He previously served 5 years as a legislative aide. Ballard was appointed to fill Senator Hilgers seat.



**District 28** 471-2633  
**Jane Raybould, Lincoln**  
 Raybould earned a bachelor's degree in political science, business, and French from Creighton University and a Master's in Russian studies from Georgetown University. She has served on the Lincoln City Council since 2015.



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**District 29** 471-2734

**Eliot Bostar, Lincoln**

Bostar served as executive director of the Nebraska Conservation Voters and as a member of the Lincoln Electric System's administrative board of directors.



**District 30** 471-2620

**Myron Dorn, Adams**

Dorn is a lifelong farmer and graduate of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He served as chairman of the Gage County Board of Supervisors.



**District 31** 471-2327

**Kathleen Kauth, Omaha**

Kauth was appointed to fill the District 31 legislative seat after the death of Senator Rich Pahls. She and her husband opened a mediation and consulting business where she specializes in Eldercare Mediation.



**District 32** 471-2711

**Tom Brandt, Plymouth**

Brandt is a farmer and livestock feeder. He holds a degree in agriculture from UNL and served as chairman of the Southeast Nebraska Corn Growers Association.



**District 33** 471-2712

**Steve Halloran, Hastings**

Halloran is a graduate of Creighton University School of Business Administration. He is chair of the Agriculture Committee.



**District 34** 471-2630

**Loren Lippincott, Central City**

Lippincott holds a degree in broadcast journalism from UNL. He served as a pilot in the U.S. Air Force, retiring with the rank of captain. He went on to work as a commercial airline pilot at Delta Air Lines.



**District 35** 471-2617

**Ray Aguilar, Grand Island**

Aguilar served in the Legislature from 1999-2008. He was appointed by Governor Johanns and served as the body's first Latino legislator. He operates a commercial cleaning service business.



**District 36** 471-2642

**Rick Holdcroft, Bellevue**

Holdcroft holds a degree in electrical engineering from UNL where he graduated through the ROTC program. He is a veteran who spent 28 years in the U.S. Navy.



**District 37** 471-2726

**John Lowe, Kearney**

Lowe is a real estate investor. He previously owned Platte Valley Brewery in Kearney. He is a former member of the Kearney Planning Commission. He is the chair of the General Affairs Committee.



**District 38** 471-2732

**Dave Murman, Glenvil**

Murman is a dairy farmer and former president of the Nebraska State Dairy Association. He is a former member of the Sandy Creek School Board. He is chair of the Education Committee.



**District 39** 471-2885

**Lou Ann Linehan, Elkhorn**

Linehan served as chair of the Legislature's Revenue Committee. She was appointed Deputy Assistant Secretary of State by President George W. Bush. She is chair of the Revenue Committee.



**District 40** 471-2801

**Barry DeKay, Niobrara**

DeKay is a rancher. He served on the Nebraska Public Power District board of directors. He also served as President of the Nebraska Rural Electric Association board of directors.



**District 41** 471-2631

**Fred Meyer, St. Paul**

Meyer was appointed to fill the seat of Tom Briese. He is a farmer/rancher and former teacher/banker. He is a member of Ag Builders of Nebraska, NE Cattlemen, NE Farm Bureau and the KAAPA Co-op Board.



**District 42** 471-2729

**Mike Jacobson, North Platte**

Jacobson was appointed to fill the seat vacated by Senator Mike Groene. He is the founder and CEO of NebraskaLand Bank.



**District 43** 471-2628

**Tom Brewer, Gordon**

Brewer served 36 years in the Army retiring as a Colonel. He is the chair of the Government, Military, and Veteran Affairs Committee.



**District 44** 471-2805

**Teresa Ibach, Sumner**

Ibach holds a B.S. from the College of Human Resources and Family Science at UNL. She was a property manager for 28 years, and she and her husband live on the family farm.



**District 45** 471-2615

**Rita Sanders, Bellevue**

Sanders is the former mayor of Bellevue. She is a commercial real-estate developer and owns Richmond Senior Living Retirement Campus in Bellevue.



**District 46** 471-2720

**Danielle Conrad, Lincoln**

Conrad served in the Nebraska Legislature from 2007-2015. She worked as the executive director of ACLU Nebraska.



**District 47** 471-2616

**Steve Erdman, Bayard**

Erdman is a farmer. He served on his local school board and on the Morrill County Board of Commissioners.



**District 48** 471-2802

**Brian Hardin, Gering**

Hardin holds an M.A. from Denver Seminary. He is an entrepreneur with an emphasis on consulting for foreign businesses looking to enter the U.S. market.



**District 49** 471-2725

**Jen Day, Omaha**

Day holds a degree in political science from UNO. She owns and operates Artis Strength & Fitness gym in Omaha.

**AGRICULTURE** (Meets Tuesday)  
Halloran (C), Brewer, Hansen, Holdcroft, Hughes, Ibach, Raybould, Riepe.

**APPROPRIATIONS** (Meets Monday-Friday)  
Clements (C), Armendariz, Dorn, Dover, Erdman, Lippincott, McDonnell, Vargas, Wishart.

**BANKING, COMMERCE & INSURANCE**  
(Meets Monday & Tuesday)  
Slama (C), Aguilar, Ballard, Bostar, Dungan, Jacobson, Kauth, von Gillern.

**BUSINESS & LABOR** (Meets Monday)  
Riepe (C), Blood, Halloran, Hansen, Hunt, Ibach, McKinney.

**EDUCATION** (Meets Monday & Tuesday)  
Murman (C), Albrecht, Conrad, Linehan, Meyer, Sanders, Walz, Wayne.

**GENERAL AFFAIRS** (Meets Monday)  
Lowe (C), Brewer, Cavanaugh, J., Day, Hardin, Holdcroft, Hughes, Raybould.

**GOVERNMENT, MILITARY & VETERANS AFFAIRS**  
(Meets Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)  
Brewer (C), Aguilar, Conrad, Halloran, Hunt, Lowe, Raybould, Sanders.

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**  
(Meets Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)  
Hansen (C), Ballard, Day, Cavanaugh, M., Hardin, Riepe, Walz.

**JUDICIARY** (Meets Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)  
Wayne (C), Blood, Bosn, DeBoer, DeKay, Holdcroft, Ibach, McKinney.

**NATURAL RESOURCES**  
(Meets Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)  
Bostelman (C), Brandt, Cavanaugh, J., Fredrickson, Hughes, Jacobson, Moser, Slama.

**NEBRASKA RETIREMENT SYSTEMS**  
(Meets at call of Chair)  
McDonnell (C), Clements, Conrad, Hardin, Ibach, Vargas.

**REVENUE** (Meets Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)  
Linehan (C), Albrecht, Bostar, Dungan, Kauth, Meyer, Murman, von Gillern.

**TRANSPORTATION & TELECOMMUNICATIONS**  
(Meets Monday & Tuesday)  
Moser (C), Bosn, Bostelman, Brandt, Cavanaugh, M., DeBoer, DeKay, Fredrickson

**URBAN AFFAIRS** (Meets Tuesday)  
McKinney (C), Blood, Cavanaugh, J., Day, Hardin, Hunt, Lowe.