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District 1

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.

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471-2613 District 2

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.



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 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.



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.

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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 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 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 15

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 16

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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 17

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Joni Albrecht, Thurston Albrecht served on the Papillion City Council and on the Sarpy County Board. She farms in Thurston County.

District 18

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 19

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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.

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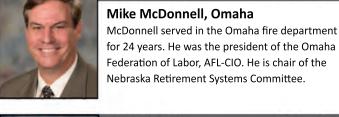
District 20

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 21

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.



for 24 years. He was the president of the Omaha Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO. He is chair of the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee.



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District 7

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.



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 12

District 8

company.

District 9

District 10

studies.

Megan Hunt, Omaha

John Cavanaugh, Omaha

J.D. from Vermont Law School.

Wendy DeBoer, Omaha

Hunt holds a master's degree in political

Hello Holiday, a boutique and e-commerce

Cavanaugh served as the Assistant Douglas

master's degree in environmental policy and a

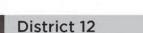
DeBoer graduated from UNL Law School and is

working on her Ph.D. in Christian theology at

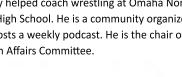
UNO. She teaches philosophy and religious

County Public Defender. He holds both a

communication from UNO. She is the owner of





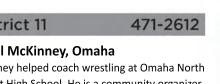


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District 11 Terrell McKinney, Omaha



District 22



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 23

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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 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 25



Suzanne Geist, Lincoln Geist owns a style consulting business. She has a degree in broadcast journalism from UNL. She is the chair of the Transportation & Telecommunications Committee. She has announced her run for Lincoln Mayor.



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 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 28

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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

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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

Mvron 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.



471-2711 District 32 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

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

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.



program. He is a veteran who spent 28 years in the U.S. Navy.

District 36

Rick Holdcroft, Bellevue

District 37

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.

Holdcroft holds a degree in electrical engineering

from UNL where he graduated through the ROTC

District 38

Murman is a dairy farmer and former president of

471-2885

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.

471-2801

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

District 41 471-2631

Briese is a farmer with a law degree from UNL. He previously served as the chairman of the Legislature's General Affairs Committee and on the Boone Central School Board.

District 42

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.

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John Lowe, Kearney

Dave Murman, Glenvil

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

Lou Ann Linehan, Elkhorn

District 40

served as President of the Nebraska Rural Electric

Tom Briese, Albion



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District 43



Colonel. He is the chair of the Government, Military, and Veteran Affairs Committee.



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

Rita Sanders, Bellevue

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

District 46

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



District 47

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

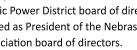


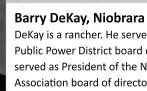
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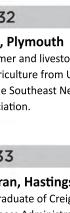
Hardin holds an M.A. from Denver Seminary. He is an entrepreneur with an emphasis on consulting for foreign businesses looking to enter the U.S. market.



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









Brewer served 36 years in the Army retiring as a



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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, Briese, Conrad, Linehan, 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, DeBoer, DeKay, Geist, 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, Briese, Bostar, Dungan, Kauth, Murman, von Gillern.

TRANSPORTATION & TELECOMMUNICATIONS

(Meets Monday & Tuesday) Geist (C), Bostelman, Brandt, Cavanaugh, M., DeBoer, DeKay, Fredrickson, Moser.

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