

Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2026

7:30 a.m. | Registration Desk
Conference Registration

7:30 a.m. | Executive Boardroom
NARD Fiscal Planning & Budget Committee
Breakfast Meeting

7:30 a.m. | Director's Boardroom
NARD Program & Planning Committee
Breakfast Meeting

Refreshments & Coffee | Regents AB
Compliments of Actuarial Consulting Services, Inc.

8:30 a.m. | Regents AB
Opening Remarks: Governor Jim Pillen

9 a.m. | Regents AB
General Session: Property Tax Reform Panel

9:45 a.m. | Networking Break | Regents AB
Co-sponsored by HDR, JEO Consulting Group, and Olsson.

10 a.m. | Regents AB
Framing Legislative Issues and Discussion of Proposed Legislation. MOA signings with NRCS following.

Noon | Luncheon | Ballroom
Co-sponsored by the Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute and Nebraska Water Center

1-4 p.m. | Trade Show Rooms Open

1:30 p.m. | Caucus and/or Capitol Tour

2:45 p.m. | Refreshments | Trade Show Rooms
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3 p.m. | Regents AB
Action on Proposed Legislation

5-7 p.m. | Senators Reception | Ballroom
Co-sponsored by HDR, JEO Consulting Group, Olsson, the Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute and Nebraska Water Center.

Wednesday, Jan. 28, 2026

7:30 a.m. | Executive Boardroom
NARD Information & Education Committee
Breakfast Meeting

7:30 a.m. | Director's Boardroom
NARD Native Vegetation & Forestry Subcommittee
Breakfast Meeting

8 a.m. | Registration Desk
Conference Registration

8:30-9:15 a.m. | Breakout Sessions

- Regents C: From Hype to Help: Practical AI
- Regents DE: NRCS - Ag Lease Easements*
- Regents F: Parliamentary Procedure
- Chancellor 2/3: Ag Data Management Platform*

9:20-10:05 a.m. | Breakout Sessions

- Regents C: Informed Decisions on Software
- Regents DE: DWEE Update*
- Regents F: Director Responsibilities
- Chancellor 2/3: Streambank Stabilization

10:05 a.m. | Networking Break | Pre-Convene Area
Co-sponsored by HDR, JEO Consulting Group, and Olsson.

10:20-11:05 a.m. | Breakout Sessions

- Regents C: Cyber Security
- Regents DE: Water Task Force Update*
- Regents F: Open Meetings Act
- Chancellor 2/3: Groundwater Remote Sensing*

11:10-11:55 a.m. | Breakout Sessions

- Regents C: Ag Data Legal Risks*
- Regents DE: Nebraska Community Foundation
- Regents F: Accountability & Disclosure
- Chancellor 2/3: Public Engagement & Outreach

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1:30 p.m. | Regents DE
NARD Board of Directors Meeting