NACO E-Line

February 18, 2022

2022 NACO Scholarship - Applications Due March 1

Since 2004, NACO has presented twelve high school seniors with $1000 awards each to be used toward their post-secondary educations. The scholarship program is open to graduating seniors whose parent or step-parent is a current county official or employee. Scholarships are available for one year and are non-renewable.

Scholarship recipients must plan to attend a post-secondary educational institution within the state of Nebraska and may use the NACO scholarship for any costs associated with their continuing education.

Applications must be postmarked on or before March 1, 2022.

View the Application Here

Your County, Through the Lens

Every E-Line will feature a photograph submitted by one of our readers of their county.

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Sioux County, submitted by Josh Skavdahl

Upcoming Events: Spring 2022 District Meetings

This meeting will include a district business meeting, a district-wide update on the Final Rule of the American Rescue Plan Act and the Infrastructure Bill, affiliate breakout sessions, and a luncheon.

Agendas will be made available on the NACO site before the event when they are finalized. They will also be emailed to those in the NACO Database.

March 10 - Southeast District Meeting, Lincoln
March 17 - Central District Meeting, Kearney
March 18 - Northeast District Meeting, Norfolk
March 23 - Panhandle District Meeting, Gering
March 24 - West Central District Meeting, North Platte

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Accepting Applications Now: NACO 2021 Outstanding County Board Member of the Year

Nominations are open to county board members who have been in office for at least four (4) terms.

Criteria used for selecting the 2021 recipient includes: member will have been active on regional boards, been chairman of their county board, participated in the legislative process, and appointed to a statewide committee. Regular attendance at NACO educational opportunities, events and meetings is also required.

Announcement of the recipient of this award will be made after the Wednesday evening meal at the County Board Workshop in Kearney.

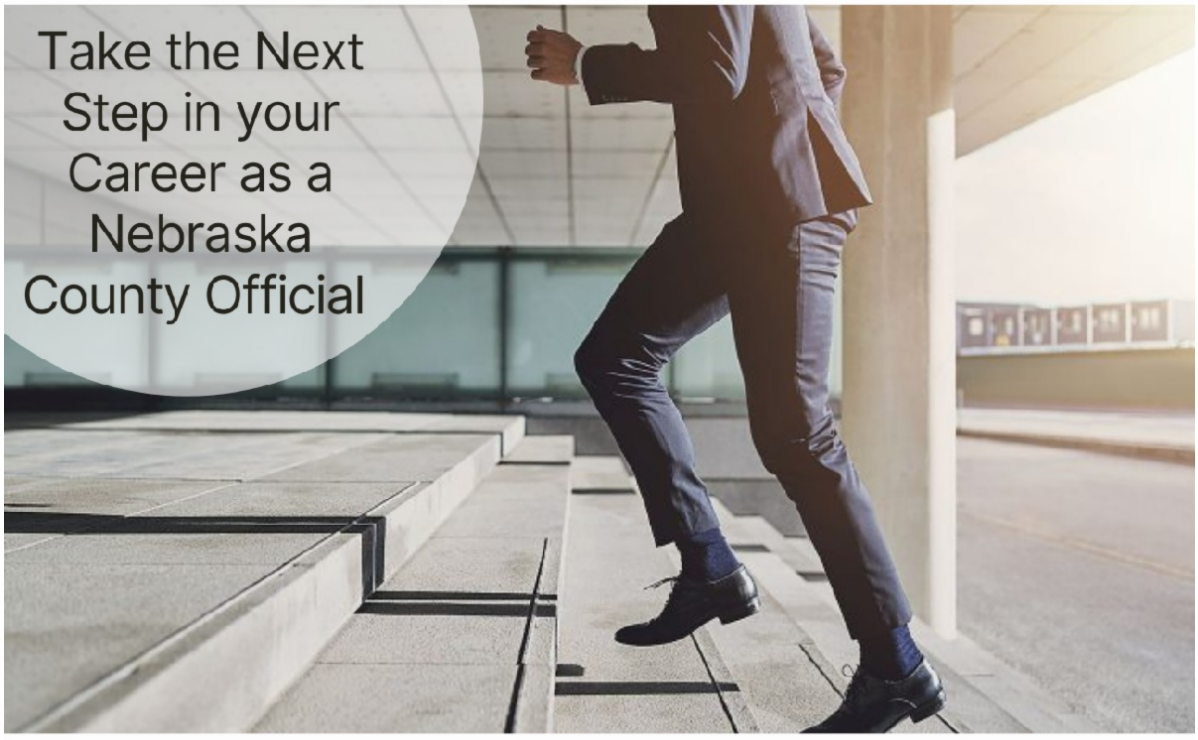
Submit nomination form to candace.meredith@nebraskacounties.org by April 29, 2022.

Download the Nomination Form Here

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Institute of Excellence

Designed by Nebraska Extension, The NACO Institute of Excellence is a program of professional development for county officials. Participants will network with peers across the state as they grow leadership capacities in the roles they serve.

Topics explored will include:

- **Leading with Empathy**
- **Leadership Transition**
- **Nebraska Population and Economic Trends**
- **Gallup Strengths**
- **Managing Conflicts**
- **Effective Meeting Management**
- **Corresponding with Legislators**

2022 Session Dates:

Session One: Getting to Know Your County
June, 2022 - *North Platte*

Session Two: Topic/Speaker Decided by Class
July, 2022 - *Online*

Session Three: Leading with Strengths
August, 2022 - *Norfolk*

Session Four: Topic/Speaker Decided by Class
September, 2022 - *Online*

Session Five: Leading with Communication
October, 2022 - *Lincoln*

Session Six: Topic/Speaker Decided by Class
November, 2022 - *Online*

Session Seven: Leadership in Action
December, 2022 - *Kearney**
*In conjunction with NACO's Annual Conference

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NACO Supplemental Life Insurance

Employee Coverage

- $10,000 increments up to $500,000 (not to exceed 5 x Salary)
- $100,000 guaranteed-issue (GI) amount (59 and younger); $10,000 GI (60-69); and $0 GI (70+)
- Age reductions apply and reduce to 65% at 65, 45% at 70, 30% at 75, and terminates at retirement
- Supplemental AD&D (matches supplemental life insurance amount) at $.03 per $1,000
- Waiver of Premium applies
- Portability applies – separate rates/plan provisions apply

Spouse Coverage

- $5,000 increments up to $250,000 (not to exceed 50% of employee's supplemental life insurance amount)
- $25,000 GI (59 and younger); $5,000 GI (60-69)
- Age reductions apply (to 65% at 65, Terms at age 70)
- Rates based on Spouse's age
- No Spousal AD&D
- Waiver of Premium applies
- Portability applies – separate rates/plan provisions apply

Child Coverage

- Option 1: Child: $15,000 (6 months to age 26)/$1,500 Infant (14 days to 6 months)
- Option 2: Child: $10,000 (6 months to age 26)/$1,000 Infant (14 days to 6 months)
- Option 3: Child: $5,000 (6 months to age 26)/$500 Infant (14 days to 6 months)
- Amounts not to exceed 100% of employee's supplemental life insurance amount
- No Child AD&D
- $15,000 GI
- Child Coverage terminates the earlier of the age limitations; or the Employee's retirement (earlier of).
- Waiver of Premium applies
- Portability applies – separate rates/plan provisions apply

Employee and Spouse Rates

Age	Rate per $1,000
to age 25	$0.05
25 to 29	$0.06
30 to 34	$0.08
35 to 39	$0.09
40 to 44	$0.12
45 to 49	$0.20
50 to 54	$0.30
55 to 59	$0.51
60 to 64	$0.68
65 to 69	$1.27
70 to 74	$2.06
75 to 79	$3.56
80+	$5.37

Child Dependent Supplemental Life Options

Option	Rate per Unit
1: $15,000	$2.25
2: $10,000	$1.50
3: $5,000	$0.75

Employee Supplemental AD&D Rates

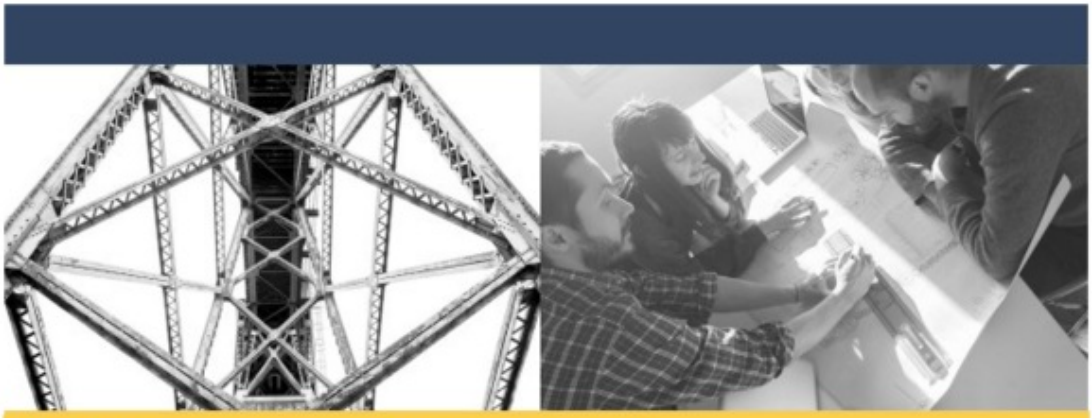
Option	Rate per $1,000
All Ages	$.03

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Nebraska Board of Engineers and Architects Lunch and Learn Series

Wednesday | noon | February 23, 2022

Join us for a *free* webinar as we talk about the Board, the Engineers and Architects Regulation Act, and what code officials need to know about:

When professional engineers or architects are required on a project	How the statutes are enforced and the enforcement process	When documents and plans should be sealed

Click the link to register:
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Password: NBEA

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