

LEGISLATIVE AGENDA

February 22, 2023

10:00 AM

Discussion and action on pending legislation.

Legislative Tracking Chart - Public Version												
LB	Description	Introducer	Committee	Priority	Hrg	Proposed Amend	Adopted Amend	Comm Action	Gen	Sei	Final	Gov
Communications/NUSF												
25	Adopt the Rural Municipal Broadband Access Act	Wayne	Transportation & Telecom			2/13/23 (PM)						
31	Authorize leasing of dark fiber and eliminate certain powers of the Public Service Commission	Brandt	Transportation & Telecom			2/21/23 (PM)						
33	Require withholding of distributions to telecommunications companies from the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund	Bosler	Transportation & Telecom			2/14/23 (PM)						
119	Redefine a term under the Nebraska Broadband Bridge Act	Boatman	Transportation & Telecom			2/7/23 (1:30 PM)						
134	Provide requirements under the Small Wireless Facilities Deployment Act	Deverbaugh, J	Transportation & Telecom			2/21/23 (PM)						
156	Change provisions regarding the applicability of the Small Wireless Facilities Deployment Act	DeBow	Transportation & Telecom			2/7/23 (1:30 PM)						
359	Change application deadlines under the Nebraska Broadband Bridge Act	Hughes	Transportation & Telecom			2/7/23 (1:30 PM)						
361	State legislative intent to appropriate funds for the Precision Agriculture Infrastructure Grant Program	Dorn	Appropriations			3/7/23						
412	Provide powers for the Public Service Commission under the Nebraska Broadband Bridge Act	Gest	Transportation & Telecom			2/7/23 (9:30 AM)						
607	Change provisions relating to grants for the 211 Information and Referral Network	McDonnell	Transportation & Telecom			2/13/23 (PM)						
633	Create the Nebraska Broadband Office and provide duties	Transportation & Telecom Committee	Transportation & Telecom			2/7/23 (9:30 AM)						
634	Provide for a sales and use tax exemption for certain machinery and equipment related to broadband communications services	Lineman	Revenue									
722	Provide authority for the Public Service Commission regarding construction of broadband or other telecommunications infrastructure	Boatman	Transportation & Telecom			2/7/23 (1:30 PM)						
733	Adopt the Broadband Pole Placement and Underground Fund Act	Bosler	Transportation & Telecom			2/21/23 (PM)						
911 Department												
646	Change provisions relating to telecommunications	McDonnell	Transportation & Telecom			3/6/23 (PM)						
Natural Gas/Pipe Lines												
655	Prohibit political subdivisions from restricting certain energy services	Albrecht	Natural Resources			2/8/23 (PM)						
Transportation												
31	Require train crews of at least two individuals as prescribed	Jacobson	Transportation & Telecom			3/6/23 (PM)						
234	Require reporting of blocked railroad crossing complaints	Waltz	Transportation & Telecom			3/6/23 (PM)						
355	Change a requirement for transportation network company insurance	Raybould	Banking			3/13/23 (PM)						
Housing												
Grain												
284	Change provisions of the Grain Dealer Act and the Grain Warehouse Act	Agriculture Committee	Agriculture			1/8/23 (PM)						
306	Change provisions relating to grain warehouse storage rates and charges	Halloran	Agriculture			1/8/23 (PM)						
Miscellaneous												
41	Prohibit state agencies from imposing annual filing and reporting requirements on charitable organizations	Hansen, B	Govt Affairs			2/9/23 (PM)						
43	Require hearing officers and judges to interpret statutes and regulations to limit agency power and maximize individual liberty	Sanders	Govt Affairs			2/9/23 (AM)						
104	Change provisions of the School Employees Retirement Act and the State Employees Retirement Act	McDonnell	Retirement Systems			2/7/23 (PM)						
106	Change provisions of public employee retirement plans relating to military service	McDonnell	Retirement Systems			2/7/23 (PM)						
205	Adopt the Government Neutrality in Contracting Act	von Gillern	Govt Affairs			2/10/23 (AM)						
306	Change provisions relating to public records and include body-worn camera recordings in certain circumstances	Conrad	Govt Affairs									
307	Adopt the Fair Chance Hiring Act	Conrad	Business & Labor			3/1/23 (PM)						
378	Change retirement system participation provisions	McDonnell	Retirement Systems									
470	Adopt the Public Entities Investment Trust Act	Wayne	Banking			3/7/23 (PM)						
485	Provide for applicability of provisions regarding state contracts for services to certain state entities	Hunt	Govt Affairs									
513	Change proof of publication requirements for legal notices and requirements for published notice and virtual conferencing under the Open Meetings Act	Brewer	Govt Affairs			2/10/23 (PM)						
540	Change provisions relating to public hearings	Vargas	Govt Affairs									
637	Require members of the public to be allowed to speak at each meeting subject to the Open Meetings Act	Albrecht	Govt Affairs									
650	Allow certain cybersecurity records to be withheld from the public	McDonnell	Govt Affairs									
684	Provide for a review of services provided by state agencies	Brewer	Govt Affairs									
Budget												
813	Provide, change, and eliminate provisions relating to appropriations	Sp. Arch	Appropriations			2/13/23						
814	Appropriate funds for the expenses of Nebraska State Government for the biennium ending June 30, 2025, and appropriate Federal Funds allocated to the State of Nebraska pursuant to the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021	Sp. Arch	Appropriations			2/13/23						
816	Appropriate funds for salaries of constitutional officers	Sp. Arch	Appropriations			2/13/23						
818	Provide for transfers of funds and change and eliminate provisions regarding the sources, uses, and transfers of funds	Sp. Arch	Appropriations			2/13/23						