

National Guard Association-Nebraska, Board of Governor's Meeting

April 4th 2024

Penterman Armory – Room 1050, COB Conference Room (1st Floor), 2400 NW 24th St, Lincoln, NE 68524
Teleconference: 1.503.300.6843; Conference Code: 626555

1. Call to order- CPT Meyers

2. Roll Call- Capt Young

NGA-NE BOG Roll Call:			
Affiliation	Present	Affiliation	Present
Ex-Officio	MG Craig Strong	92 TC	LTC Dustin Wilkie
President	CW3 Tim Beckmann	67 MEB	LTC Scott Henrickson
President Elect	Capt Evan Littrell	734 CSSB	MAJ Matthew Broman
Secretary	Capt Mark Young	209 RTI	CPT Jordan Hopwood
Treasurer	CPT Rachell Rowley	126 Chem Battalion	CW2 Caleb Schauer
Executive Director	LTC Scott Henrickson	Med Det	MAJ Jen Myers
Immediate Past President	CPT Sarah Meyers	2-134 Infantry	LT Grant Schafer
JFHQ-Air	Maj Trevor Boyd	402 MP Battalion	CPT Rachell Rowley
170 GP	Capt Joshua Stevenson	376 Aviation Battalion	CPT Derek Zulkoski
155 ARW	Capt Mark Young	134 Cavalry Squadron	MAJ Dan Fritz
155 MXG	Capt Brittney Truscott	128 Engineer Battalion	CPT James Burklund
155 MSG	Col Spencer Hansen	ARNG Company Grade Rep	CPT Jesse Sladky
155 OG	Lt Col Randy Douglas	ARNG Warrant Officer Rep	CW2 Terrance Dow
155 MDG	Capt Cody Wyatt	ARNG Retiree Rep	CW5 (Ret) Bill Nelson
ANG Company Grade Rep	Capt Mark Young	EANGUS Rep	1SG Jason Prieksat
ANG Retiree Rep		Events Officer:	CPT Melisa Ventre
JFHQ-ARNG		ARNG Recruiting	
Golf Tournament	Lt Col Carl Johnson	Legislative Committee	MAJ Kevin Rose
Membership Committee	LTC Dustin Wilkie/MAJ Nick Curto	Social Media	LT Evan Carroll

3. President's Report- CW3 Beckmann

Thanks for everyone's attendance at the cocktail classic and the business meeting

4. President Elect's Report- Capt Littrell

5. Past President's Report- CPT Meyers

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6. Secretary's Report- Capt Young

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7. Treasurer's Report- CPT Rowley

\$76,000 in bank.

8. Executive Director- LTC Henrickson

Will redirect focus to NGAUS conference.

Need to identify CGO's to nominate to go.

9. Legislative Committee Report- MAJ McIntosh/MAJ Rose

Bill	Introducer	Summary	Position	Updates
826	Blood	Eliminates residency requirements for discounted combination fishing, fur-harvesting, and hunting permits and stamps and state park entry permits for veterans and active duty military personnel	Support	
847	Brewer	Authorizes entry into the Emergency Management Assistance Compact and withdrawal from the Interstate Civil Defense and Disaster Compact	Watch	
848	Brewer	Establishes maximum age of the Adjutant General as 66	Support	Signed by Governor
853	Jacobson	Increase limitations for general homestead exemptions and also increases limit for certain veteran homestead exemptions; allows disabled veteran homestead exemption proportional to percentage of disability	Support	
869	Bostar	Eliminates requirements for wartime service to serve on county veteran service committees and for burial of indigent veterans upon death	Support	
895	Sanders	Update provisions relating to recruiting and retention payments to allow the Adjutant General authority to establish a program for enlisted or officer recruitment and retention, and to allow referral payments	Support	Signed by Governor
929	Fredrickson	Provide for coordination of the 911 service system and the 988 suicide and crisis lifeline	Support	
965	Holdcroft	Provide for Space Force license plates and handicap or disabled "Veteran" plates	Watch	
971	Lippincott	Provide for a free hunting permit for veterans to hunt on Veterans Day	Support	
977	Blood	Adds "military or veteran status" as a protected class of individuals throughout state law	Watch	

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10. Membership Committee Report- LTC Wilkie/MAJ Curto

One Lifetime Renewed

One lifetime cancelled

Two members of NGAUS went to UNL for membership drive.

11. Events Committee – CPT Ventre

AAR for cocktail classic was to sustain the involvement of sponsors, the venue and food were great. Discussions occurred on changing the time.

Month	Event	Location	Details
May	Book Club	The Post 2001 N 20 th St	20 May @ 1700
June	Book Club		
July	Volleyball/Dodgeball		
August	NGAUS Convention	Detroit, MI	
September			
October			
November			
December			
January			
February			
March	Business Meeting	TBD	22 March, 2025
April			

12. Social Media Committee – LT Carroll

Golf tourney has been posted on Instagram

4 whys from TAG to be posted.

13. Corporate Membership Update – LTC Henrickson

Corporate members have been invited to Golf Tourney and plan on attending.

14. EANGUS Report- 1SG Prieksat

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15. Nebraska Military Retiree Council Report- CW5 (Ret) Nelson

Have scheduled spring social on 22 June in Seward.

8 May-Retiree briefing in Kearney

June-Retiree appreciation brief to be scheduled.

16. Old Business

Pin vote has been finalized.

Asking for nominations for Leadership Lincoln.

17. New Business

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18. Next meetings:

a. May 7th (Penterman Armory)

b. June 4th (Penterman Armory)