

Commission Business Meeting Tuesday February 27, 2024 10:00 am to noon CST

**In-Person Meeting Department of Admin Services** 1526 K Street **Training Room/Basement** Lincoln, NE

Call to Order and Welcome Roll Call

Kare Heilbrun Rani Taborek-Potter

**Public Comment** Kare Heilbrun

Consent Agenda (ACTION)

Kare Heilbrun

- October 6, 2023, Meeting Minutes
- February 27, 2024, ServeNebraska Commission Agenda
- Executive Director Report
- Committee Meeting Notes

**Executive Committee** Kare Heilbrun

**Strategic Goal:** Developed and Implemented legislative plan.

ServeNebraska Structure Update

**Strategic Goal:** Secure and maintain State appropriation.

# Additional business (ACTION)

- Commission Appointments
- By-Law Revisions
- Form a committee to elect a Vice Chair (April 2024)
- Commission Policies Revisions
- Invitation to all Commissioners to attend a meeting with Staff and Office of Inspector General June 12, 2024, at 10:30 am at UNO, Engagement Center

# **AmeriCorps National Service (ACTION)**

Jennifer Worthington

**Strategic Goal:** Build and support quality, effective programs (program service) by implementing monitoring/tracking processes

- Competitive Funding Recommendations
- Release of AmeriCorps State NOFO
- AmeriCorps 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Update
- VISTA Program Update
- LPS Youth Volunteerism Presentation
- AmeriCorps Program Status Report

Russell Koos

**Strategic Goal:** Identified and implemented a hallmark program in an unrepresented program area for implementation statewide – funding permitted.

Strategic Goal: Build on ways to sustain & increase alumni engagement (e.g., events, programs, events)

Update on the Alumni Engagement

Mobilizing Nebraskans to strengthen their communities through volunteering, collaboration, and national service programs.

Update on the AmeriCorps Leader Council

# **Finance Committee (ACTION)**

Dawn Hovey

<u>Strategic Goal:</u> Assess & Strengthen funding models/processes to ensure sustainability of new funding streams.

- Review SN Expenditures
- Review AC Expenditures
- Foundation Accounts

## **Community Volunteering**

Drew Graham

<u>Strategic Goal:</u> Developed Intentional, well-educated partnerships with stakeholders & public

- ServeNebraska 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
  - Governor's Call to Action
  - Youth Volunteer Application
  - Volunteer Coordinator Event
  - Executive Order Status/Governor Signing
  - Step Forward Awards 2024
- ServeNebraska Marketing Plan

Rani Taborek-Potter

ServeNebraska Office Cathleen Plager

**Strategic Goal:** Diverse staffing in place that allowed for increase, sustainable growth

Update on Staffing

Unfinished Business Kare Heilbrun

New Business Cathleen Plager

- AmeriCorps State and National Presentations
- AmeriCorps VISTA Presentations

### Adjournment

Kare Heilbrun

**Key Up-Coming Dates** 

March 19, 2024, AmeriCorps Member & Commissioner Support Leg. Day April 30, 2024, Commission Annual Meeting/Goodwill in Omaha

#### Senator's Lunch