

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

October 3rd 2023

East Campus Readiness Center (ECRC), 2nd Floor Conference Room, 2000 N 33rd St, Lincoln, NE 68503
Teleconference: 1.503.300.6843; Conference Code: 626555

1. Call to order- CW3 Beckmann 1645

2. Roll Call- CPT Meyers

NGA-NE BOG Roll Call:			
Affiliation	Present	Affiliation	Present
Ex-Officio		92 TC	
President		67 MEB	
President Elect	CW3 Tim Beckmann	734 CSSB	
Secretary		209 RTI	MAJ Ryan McIntosh
Treasurer	CPT Rachell Rowley	126 Chem Battalion	CW2 Caleb Schauer
Executive Director	LTC Scott Henrickson	Med Det	MAJ Jen Myers
Immediate Past President	Lt Col Carl Johnson	2-134 Infantry	LT Jordan Hopwood
JFHQ-Air		402 MP Battalion	
170 GP	Capt Joshua Stevenson	376 Aviation Battalion	
155 ARW		134 Cavalry Squadron	
155 MXG		128 Engineer Battalion	CPT James Burklund
155 MSG	Col Spencer Hansen	ARNG Company Grade Rep	CPT Jesse Sladky
155 OG		ARNG Warrant Officer Rep	
155 MDG		ARNG Retiree Rep	CW5 (Ret) Bill Nelson
ANG Company Grade Rep		EANGUS Rep	
ANG Retiree Rep		Events Officer:	CPT Melisa Ventre
JFHQ-ARNG		ARNG Recruiting	
Golf Tournament	Lt Col Carl Johnson	Legislative Committee	MAJ Ryan McIntosh
Membership Committee	LTC Zachary Labrayere	Social Media	LT Evan Carroll/LT Jenifer Velazquez/LT Rachael Nordhues

3. President's Report- CPT Meyers (Notes read by CW3 Beckmann)

Leadership dinner (November 14th) is the next major association event. Cornhusker room is booked at the Venue. Will schedule an IPR and send out the event registration soon. Is the association still interested in a bowling event this winter? Lt Col Carl Johnson has a bowling POC who can assist with local bowling venues and will look at late February or March timeframe – more to follow.

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4. President Elect's Report- CW3 Beckmann

Thank you to everyone who assisted and attended the tailgate party. Seeking feedback on how to make event better for next year. Having event indoors was good as it kept folks in proximity to each other and able to watch game. Might consider competition for next year. Still working on community project – more to follow. Lastly, appreciate everyone's efforts and don't feel the need to attend every meeting, but ask if you are unable to attend a BOG meeting to please send a representative in your place or send your notes.

5. Past President's Report- Lt Col Johnson

Tailgate was awesome. Golf tournament has been moved to April 19th tentatively. Able to shift if needed.

6. Secretary's Report- Capt Young (Read by LTC Henrickson)

September notes have been posted on association website.

7. Treasurer's Report- CPT Rowley

Still need 5 out of 8 units to submit reimbursement for the tailgate.

8. Executive Director- LTC Henrickson

Leadership dinner slides sent out to committee chairs with a suspense of October 31st. Association polos are for sale; 12 - more association polos ordered.

9. Legislative Committee Report- MAJ McIntosh/MAJ Rose

TAG meeting scheduled for October 24th. Legislative social event scheduled for later January or early February. Working with NE ENGAUS association.

10. Membership Committee Report- LTC Labrayere

LTC Henrickson has updated the membership roster as of October 1st with members' membership status and their current organization. Recommend each BOG member sort the roster and work memberships within assigned units. Will conduct membership telethon soon.

11. Events Committee – CPT Ventre

October 24th – Glacier Till in Ashland, November – NGA-NE Leadership Dinner; December – Book club with BG Strong.

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12. Social Media Committee – LT Carroll Jenifer Velazquez/LT Rachael Nordhues

LT Velazquez and LT Nordhues are additional social media committee members. A new Instagram page has been set up: NE.NGAUS. Will use this platform to share association updates. Will begin to work with association website.

13. Corporate Membership Update – LTC Henrickson

With the new year, beginning to solicit our 17 current corporate members. Boeing has pledged support for 2024. Have 2 new potential members.

14. EANGUS Report- 1SG Prieksat (No Report)

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

Assisting with the haunted armory events in Kearney and Grand Island.

16. Old Business

December BOG meeting offsite recommendation: Fireworks and will confirm location during November BOG meeting. NGA-NE pins: LT Velazquez has 3 different designs to choose from which BOG members can vote on. Voting link will be sent to BOG members.

17. New Business

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18. Next meetings:

- a. November 7th (Penterman Armory)
- b. December 5th (Offsite TBD)

Meeting adjourned at 1738