

**Nebraska Information Technology Commission  
Community Council  
Friday, May 12, 2017  
9:30 A.M. CT – 12:00 noon CT**

**Nebraska Public Service Commission  
1200 N Street, Suite 300, Hearing Room  
Lincoln, NE 68508**

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University of Nebraska Extension-Sidney  
902 Jackson Street, Sidney, NE

**Tentative Agenda**

9:30	Roll Call Notice of Posting of Agenda Notice of Nebraska Open Meetings Act Posting Approval of <a href="#">Sept. 14, 2015 minutes*</a> Approval of <a href="#">March 31, 2016 minutes*</a> Approval of <a href="#">Sept. 19, 2016 minutes*</a> Public Comment
9:40	<b>TV White Space Update</b> —Tom Rolfes
9:50	<b>Broadband and Libraries</b> —Tom Rolfes and Holly Woldt <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Libraries and Network Nebraska</li> <li>• IMLS/Internet II Toward Gigabit Libraries Toolkit Project</li> </ul>
10:00	<b>Public-Private Partnerships/Coops and Broadband</b> —Connie Hancock University of Nebraska Extension: Timothy Lindahl, Wheatbelt Public Power; Eric Carstenson, Nebraska Telecommunications Association
10:20	<b>Membership</b>
10:25	<b>Nebraska and the Digital Divide Index 2015</b> Tentative Discussion Questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do you feel that the data accurately reflects the state of broadband availability in Nebraska in 2015?</li> <li>• Do you think that 2016 data would tell a different story?</li> <li>• What strategies could be employed to facilitate continued development of broadband in higher speed tiers in Nebraska?</li> <li>• What strategies could be employed to facilitate greater subscription of broadband at higher speed tiers?</li> </ul> Links <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Nebraska and the Digital Divide Index (PDF)</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Digital Divide Index 2015</a></li> </ul>
10:45	<b>Nebraska Broadband Today!</b> —October 26, 2017, Eric Carstenson
10:55	<b>FirstNet Update</b> —Bob Wilhelm
11: 15	<b>Makerspace Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sidney Create!</li> <li>• Blair Public Library and Technology Center</li> <li>• Nebraska Library Commission Grant</li> </ul>
11:50	Newsletter Ideas
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Meeting announcement posted on the NITC Website and Nebraska Public Meeting Website on May 5, 2017. Agenda posted on the NITC Website on May 8, 2017.