

**NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE
BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Tuesday, September 12, 2017

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Carol A. Sibel, Chairperson	PRESENT
Steven M. Anderson	PRESENT
Don Oelsligle	PRESENT
Dirk A. Petersen	PRESENT
Dr. Terry F. Nelson, ex-officio	PRESENT

STAFF

Dr. Michael Chipps
John Blaylock
Lyle Kathol
Lynne Koski
Derek Bierman
Lori Vanderheiden
Eric Johnson
Dr. Tracy Kruse
Craig Garrett
Diane Reikofski
Brenda Sock

OTHER BOARD MEMBERS

Keith E. Harvey	PRESENT
Arlan W. Kuehn	PRESENT
Shirley J. Petsche	PRESENT
Julie Robinson	PRESENT
Jeffrey M. Scherer	ABSENT
Gene L. Willers	PRESENT

MINUTES

1. Carol A. Sibel, Chairperson of the External Relations Committee, convened the meeting at 2:07 p.m. in Room 1108B of the College Welcome Center.
2. Recommended approval of the Minutes of the August 24, 2017 meeting.
3. Dr. Michael Chipps reported that Greg Adams, Nebraska Community College Association (NCCA) Executive Director, recently had the opportunity to meet with Governor Ricketts. Governor Ricketts and Mr. Adams discussed what the 'grow Nebraska' vision means for community colleges.
4. Dr. Tracy Kruse reported that the Ag and Water Center for Excellence employee campaign will kick off on September 20th with a variety of state Ag associations participating in this event by providing food, games and prizes. Board of Governors members are also invited to participate also.
5. With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned 2:28 p.m.