

**NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE
BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Thursday, October 12, 2017

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

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

STAFF

Dr. Michael Chipps
John Blaylock
Lyle Kathol
Lynne Koski
Mike Auten
Amanda Nipp
Lindsay Spiegel
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	PRESENT
Gene L. Willers	PRESENT

MINUTES

1. Carol A. Sibbel, Chairperson of the External Relations Committee, convened the meeting at 2:04 p.m. in Room 1108B of the College Welcome Center.
2. Recommended approval of the Minutes of the September 12, 2017 meeting.
3. The Community College National Legislative Summit will be held February 11-14, 2018 at the Marriott Marquis in Washington, D.C. Dr. Kruse will schedule other meetings with senators and agencies. She and Diane Reikofski will finalize logistics for the Summit.
4. In other business, Dr. Chipps reported that Senator Briese's office continues to ask for more information from us. Central Community College and Northeast Community College have worked to provide Senator Briese with the same report from each institution.

The 2018 Legislative Forum was held in Norfolk on October 9th where discussion was held on possible issues that await the Legislature in 2018.

The Nebraska Community College Association (NCCA) Annual Meeting will be held November 6-7, 2017 in McCook. Shirley Petsche encouraged board members to consider attending.

The 2017 Achievement Awards event will be held this evening at 5:30 p.m. Board members are invited to attend.

5. With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned 2:13 p.m.