



RURAL HEALTH ADVISORY COMMISSION

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MEETING NOTICE & AGENDA RURAL HEALTH ADVISORY COMMISSION (RHAC)

**Friday, February 23, 2024
1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

**Nebraska State Office Building
“Meadowlark Room” - Lower Level Conference Room
301 Centennial Mall South
Lincoln, Nebraska**

Or

Virtual via Webex

<https://sonvideo.webex.com/sonvideo/j.php?MTID=mbd513875d4115db8c9a385604ee57f71>

Access handouts the day of the meeting at:

<http://dhhs.ne.gov/Pages/Rural-Health-Advisory-Commission.aspx> (under “Documents”)

1. Call Meeting to Order; Open Meetings Act & Agenda Posted; Adopt Agenda; Approve Minutes of November 17, 2023, Meeting; Introduce Members and Guests
2. Administrative Items
 - Accountability and Disclosure Forms
 - Student Loans Form 1098s
 - Current Members Status Updates
 - Other Announcements
3. Rural EMS Issues
 - Report from Micheal Dwyer, EMT
4. RHAC Strategic Planning Session Follow-Up
 - Loan Repayment Prioritization Matrix
 - Marketing of Programs

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5. Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act Programs
 - LB 1015; LB 1062
 - Shortage Area Requests
 - Budget Update
6. Review Current Federal & State Legislative Activities Impacting Rural Health
7. Public Comment
8. CLOSED SESSION
 - Review Loan Repayment Applications
 - Accounts Receivable
9. OPEN SESSION
 - Motion(s) on Closed Session Discussion
10. Adjourn

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