

**STAFF MEETING MINUTES
LANCASTER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COUNTY-CITY BUILDING, ROOM 113
THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 2012
8:30 A.M.**

Commissioners Present: Deb Schorr, Chair
Larry Hudkins, Vice Chair
Bernie Heier
Jane Raybould
Brent Smoyer

Others Present: Kerry Eagan, Chief Administrative Officer
Gwen Thorpe, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Dan Nolte, County Clerk
Cori Beattie, Deputy County Clerk
Ann Taylor, County Clerk's Office

Advance public notice of the Board of Commissioners Staff Meeting was posted on the County-City Building bulletin board and the Lancaster County, Nebraska, web site and provided to the media on March 28, 2012.

The Chair noted the location of the Open Meetings Act and opened the meeting at 8:30 a.m.

AGENDA ITEM

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - Gordon Kissel and Joe Kohout, Kissel/E&S Associates

Gordon Kissel, Kissel/E&S Associates, presented a legislative update, interim study listing and a bills of interest report (Exhibits A & B).

Kerry Eagan, Chief Administrative Officer, inquired about the status of Legislative Bill (LB) 787 (Authorize inspection and regulation of staff secure facilities by the Jail Standards Board). Joe Kohout, Kissel/E&S Associates, said the Jail Standards Board put a fiscal note of \$900 on the bill that "bounced" it from the Consent Calendar. He said they are trying to identify another bill that could serve as a "vehicle" to send it to Final Reading.

In response to a question from Raybould, Kissel indicated it is too late to introduce an interim study. Raybould noted there was discussion at the General Assistance (GA) Monitoring Committee about trying to downsize the amount of office space the County

is required to provide to the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) and said she would like to see an interim study of how much office space is necessary to meet that obligation or whether it is possible to sever the obligation. Eagan felt the County should introduce legislation to repeal of Nebraska Revised Statute §68-130 which requires counties to maintain, at no additional cost to the Department of Health and Human Services, office and service facilities used for the administration of the public assistance programs as such facilities existed on April 1, 1983.

Smoyer arrived at the meeting at 9:40 a.m.

Raybould said she would also like a review of elected offices to see if administrative appointment by the County Board would be more appropriate. Eagan said it would require amendment of state statutes. Kohout recommended the Board do a thorough analysis of potential cost savings, etc. before introducing legislation.

1 APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 2012 AND THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 2012 STAFF MEETING MINUTES

MOTION: Heier moved and Hudkins seconded approval of the minutes of the March 1, 2012 Staff Meeting. Heier, Hudkins and Smoyer voted aye. Raybould and Schorr abstained from voting. Motion carried 3-0, with 2 abstentions.

MOTION: Raybould moved and Smoyer seconded approval of the minutes of the March 22, 2012 Staff Meeting. Hudkins, Smoyer, Raybould and Schorr voted aye. Heier abstained from voting. Motion carried 4-0, with 1 abstention.

2 ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

None were stated.

3 LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - Gordon Kissel and Joe Kohout, Kissel/E&S Associates

Item was moved forward on the agenda.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER REPORT

A. Abbott Motocross Track Grant Update

Eagan suggested a meeting be held with representatives of the Lower Platte South Natural Resources District (NRD), Abbott Sports Complex and Dr. David Samani, who has been an advocate of the Abbott Motocross Track, to “wrap-up” the Recreational

Trails Program Grant that was used to help fund construction of the motocross facility.

MOTION: Heier moved and Hudkins seconded to authorize Kerry Eagan, Chief Administrative Officer, and Dennis Meyer, Budget and Fiscal Officer, to set up a meeting with the other parties that were involved in the Recreational Trails Program Grant. Raybould, Heier, Smoyer, Hudkins and Schorr voted aye. Motion carried 5-0.

B. County Road Access Appeal (8350 Haley Lynn Lane)

Board consensus was to reschedule the item on the April 5, 2012 Staff Meeting agenda.

C. 2012 Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO) Walk for Your Life Challenge

MOTION: Raybould moved and Hudkins seconded to participate in the 2012 Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO) Walk for Your Life Challenge. Raybould, Heier, Smoyer, Hudkins and Schorr voted aye. Motion carried 5-0.

D. Discount Tickets for Harlem Globetrotters

The Board declined a request from Harlem Globetrotters International, Inc. to use the County's email system to extend a discounted ticket offer to employees.

E. Request from Douglas County for Presentation on Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) (April 11, 2012)

Eagan said he has been asked to give a presentation to Douglas County on the Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) Planning Committee Report and Recommendations.

There was no objection to the request.

DISCUSSION OF BOARD MEMBER MEETINGS

A. Emergency Medical System Oversight Administration (EMSOA) - Schorr

Schorr said they discussed whether to allow patients who have been recently released from the Nebraska Heart Hospital to return there by emergency transport as opposed to the hospital that is assigned through rotation.

B. Lincoln Independent Business Association (LIBA) Monthly Meeting - Heier

Heier said discussion focused on the County's budget, levy authority and the upcoming election.

C. Lancaster County Correctional Facility Joint Public Agency (JPA) - Schorr, Hudkins

Schorr said they approved claims totaling \$1,050,975.27 from Wells Fargo for bank fees and Sampson Construction Company, the Construction Manager at-risk. Hudkins said the Mayor expressed concerns that the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has recommended audit procedures that benefit their industry and create additional costs for compliance.

D. Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) Advisory Committee - Raybould

Raybould said they discussed the financial report and had a legislative update. She said they also discussed concerns regarding the proposed relocation of the Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) and Crisis Center to the old Lancaster County Adult Correctional Facility (LCADF).

4 BOARD OF EQUALIZATION (BOE) PROTEST PROCESS - Tom Kubert, Great Plains Appraisal Company (Referee Coordinator); Dan Nolte, County Clerk; Cori Beattie, Deputy County Clerk; Melissa Virgil, Board of Equalization Specialist, County Clerk's Office

Tom Kubert, Great Plains Appraisal Company (Referee Coordinator) noted the County Assessor has done a county-wide property re-valuation and will be sending out 105,000 to 110,000 notices to property owners. He said he anticipates there could be 10,000 to 12,000 protests filed as a result. Kubert presented 2012 Lancaster County Board of Equalization (BOE) Options (Exhibit C):

- Referee Hearings and BOE Testimony
- Referee Hearings and No BOE Testimony
- No Referee Hearings and Only BOE Testimony
- No Referee Hearings and No BOE Testimony

Kubert noted legislation passed last year (LB 384) that will change the protest process. Beginning January 1, 2014 the County Assessor, in any county with a population of at least 150,000 inhabitants, shall provide notice of preliminary valuations to real property owners on or before January 15th of each year. The County Assessor must also provide real property owners with an opportunity, between January 15 and March 1st of each year, to have an informal hearing on their valuation with the County Assessor or the County Assessor's designated representative. Kubert said this is the

last re-valuation year the BOE will have the option of limiting protests to written form without a face-to-face referee hearing. Doing so may cause the County to incur additional costs in the future as more property owners may appeal findings to the Tax Equalization and Review Commission (TERC), adding the referees have the ability to ask the "right" questions. He said if the Board decides to hold referee hearings, the process should be able to handle 10,000 to 12,000 within the allotted time. The cost to add that step for 12,000 protests, with no BOE testimony, is anticipated to be \$228,000 (see Exhibit C).

Raybould suggested a "hybrid" option in which a property owner would file a written protest and have it reviewed. If they did not like the results, they could schedule a referee hearing. She felt that could significantly reduce the number of referee hearings. Kubert said it might eliminate the "easy" ones, similar to the County Assessor holding informal hearings. He said approximately half of the protests are filed at the end of the filing period and that would not allow enough time for what Raybould has suggested. Dan Nolte, County Clerk, said his office has tried to encourage early filings through press releases, emails to interested parties and posting information on the County Clerk's website but many still wait until the end of June to file. **NOTE:** Property owners will receive their valuation notices on June 1st and have until June 30th to file a protest.

Other options suggested were to only allow property owners who filed by a certain date to have a referee hearing, which might encourage property owners to file earlier, or to limit referee hearings or BOE testimony to certain property classes.

MOTION: Heier moved to limit referee hearings to protests that are filed by a certain date.

Schorr asked how property owners will be notified of the change in procedure. Rob Ogden, Chief Field Deputy Assessor/Register of Deeds, appeared and said notification will not be on the valuation notices which are dictated by state statutes. It was suggested that notification be through a press release and the County's website instead.

Nolte stressed there is a good referee system in place which allows citizens the opportunity to meet with appraisers. He expressed concern that there will be "backlash" from property owners if that opportunity is removed. Schorr said the Board will help take those calls. She asked Nolte whether he felt it would be better to have no referee hearings. Nolte said yes, because everyone would be treated the same.

Melissa Virgil, Board of Equalization Specialist, County Clerk's Office, said in the past, the Assessor's Office pre-screened protests and were able to reach a settlement with the property owner, thus eliminating the need to go through the referee process. She asked why that step was eliminated. Norm Agena, County Assessor/Register of Deeds, appeared and said his office used to do pre-screening but no longer has the staff to do it. Rob Ogden, Chief Field Deputy Assessor/Register of Deeds, appeared and said staff

are working on other things, such as starting on the next revaluation. Schorr asked whether one staff member could be designated for this purpose. Ogden said no. Raybould suggested hiring a temporary employee with expertise in this field. Agena said, "It's called your referee system." Kubert said 10-15% of property owners who file protests waive their hearings and said he believes those are the ones that may have been eliminated through pre-screening.

Smoyer said he believes it may be a worthwhile investment on the front-end to at least have the referee hearings.

Schorr suggested delaying further discussion for one week to allow the County Clerk's Office and Great Plains Appraisal to consider how to handle a "hybrid" protest process.

Nolte mentioned his office receives a lot of phone calls from property owners asking valuation-related questions. Heier said those calls should go to the Assessor's Office. Nolte said, "They send them to us." Agena responded, "We don't refer value calls to the Clerk's Office." Schorr said the Board would appreciate cooperation through the process. Agena responded, "I will do whatever I can."

The motion died for the lack of a second.

Cori Beattie, Deputy County Clerk, asked whether the Board wants to notify property owners who still have cases pending before TERC that they need to file protests for 2012. Schorr said yes, the Board does want to provide them notification.

5 COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER (CMHC) MANAGEMENT AND INVITATION TO NEGOTIATE (ITN) PROCESS - C. J. Johnson, Region V Systems Administrator; Dean Settle, Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) Director

Ron Sorenson who is the Director of Strategic Planning and Project Management for Region V Systems was introduced to the Board.

Schorr noted the Board had discussed the possibility of appointing C. J. Johnson, Region V Systems Administrator, the Interim Director of CMHC and having him split his time between Region V and CMHC but some concerns were raised regarding that arrangement (see March 15, 2012 Staff Meeting minutes).

Johnson said he believes Sorenson is a good candidate to fill that role, noting he will have to take a leave of absence from his position at Region V to do so.

Sorenson discussed his background and qualifications.

Raybould said she was not been apprised Sorenson was a candidate for the position until shortly before the meeting and has not seen his resume. She felt the Board should interview other potential candidates to make sure the right individual is selected.

Schorr said she believes Sorenson has the expertise to assist the Board through the transition and the Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) process.

Smoyer said it was his understanding that Sorenson had shown up on everyone's list of candidates, including those of Settle and Johnson, and said he is comfortable with his selection despite the lack of an extensive vetting process.

MOTION: Smoyer moved and Heier seconded to pursue hiring of Ron Sorenson as the Interim Director of the Community Mental Health Center (CMHC).

Raybould felt some of the decisions of the previous County Board lacked transparency and said that was one of the reasons she ran for the office. **NOTE:** Raybould later indicated she intended to say that she won the election based on campaigning against some of the decisions of the previous Board because of the lack of transparency.

Heier called for the question.

ROLL CALL: Heier, Hudkins, Smoyer and Schorr voted aye. Raybould voted nay. Motion carried 4-1.

The Chair and Vice Chair agreed to enter into salary discussions with Sorenson and the Chair asked Sorenson to provide a copy of his resume to the Board and the County Clerk's Office.

Copies of a letter from Dean Settle, Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) Director, was disseminated (Exhibit D).

Settle said he believes the County should have a majority presence on the ITN Review Committee. He suggested that Johnson serve as the facilitator and inclusion of consumers. Eagan said a memorandum of understanding (MOU) between the County and Region V is also recommended and suggested that a member of the CMHC Planning Committee serve on the ITN Review Committee for continuity.

Eagan noted the CMHC Planning Committee recommended development of a communications plan and suggested a letter be sent to the clients and staff to update them on the process. Updates at a regular County Board of Commissioners Meeting and on the County's website and television interviews with Sorenson, Johnson and one or more Commissioners to discuss the transition process were also suggested.

6 COUNTY ROAD ACCESS REQUEST FROM PESTER RIDGE ROAD TO HOME CONSTRUCTION SITE

Schorr said County Engineering is hesitant to grant the property owner's request for temporary access off the county road during a construction project. The property owner cited difficulty in getting the heavy construction equipment over the existing access road that has a levy/dike and steep side embankments. She suggested that access be limited to a six week period, with the ability to apply for an extension.

The Board moved the request to the April 3, 2012 County Board of Commissioners Meeting agenda for action.

7 REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) FOR PROPERTY CLEANUP COSTS - Nancy Clark, Environmental Health Supervisor, Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD); Brittany Behrens, Deputy County Attorney

Nancy Clark, Environmental Health Supervisor, Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD), said an abatement of a nuisance and hazardous waste site near Waverly, Nebraska has been completed (see January 27, 2011 Staff Meeting minutes) and requested authorization to submit an application for reimbursement to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The amount that is reimbursable is \$17,854.46.

MOTION: Hudkins moved and Raybould seconded to authorize the Chair to sign the application for reimbursement. Hudkins, Smoyer, Heier, Raybould and Schorr voted aye. Motion carried 5-0.

8 OLD JAIL SPACE REUSE DISCUSSION - Don Killeen, County Property Manager; John Kay, Sinclair Hille & Associates Inc.; Dan Spiry, BVH Architects

Dan Spiry, BVH Architects, reviewed plans for how the current Lancaster County Adult Detention Facility (LCADF) might be reused once the new LCADF is opened. He noted parking stalls on "H" Street that are currently used by law enforcement will likely be designated for use by the Community Mental Health Center, Crisis Center and Drug Testing/Drug Court. Heier suggested exploration of whether the drug testing function could be combined with the State's. He also suggested consideration of alternative locations for the Crisis Center, such as the 9th & J Street Building or the building that houses the Midtown Center (2966 "O" Street). Spiry said if CMHC and the Crisis Center are located in the building, a decision will need to be made on whether to create a visitors entrance adjacent to the secured entrance or bring visitors through the front door.

Don Killeen, County Property Manager, said preparing for the new County Court Judge is deemed a priority and will require relocation of Juvenile Probation on an interim basis.

Spiry also discussed the need for a structural analysis of the third floor and an estimate of cost to fill in the floor in planning for future District Court expansion (there is currently a mezzanine and a roof depression in that area). Heier suggested it may be more cost effective to build a new building than to renovate the existing building. Raybould noted the renovations will be phased in, which will spread out the costs.

Schorr asked whether interim space could be located for the new County Court Judge while a structural analysis of the third floor is performed and decisions on financing and staging of the project and the future of CMHC are made.

Troy Hawk, Court Administrator, Lancaster County District Court, appeared and said other issues, such as security and prisoner transport, will need to be addressed if the courtroom is moved offsite.

Schorr asked that discussion be scheduled with Becky Bruckner, Judicial Administrator for County Court, and a County Court Judge on the April 5th Staff Meeting agenda. She also asked Killeen to look for interim space for the courtroom.

MOTION: Hudkins moved and Raybould seconded to authorize Kerry Eagan, Chief Administrative Officer; Don Killeen, County Property Manager; and the County Attorney's Office to prepare a contract for a structural analysis of the third floor, not to exceed \$15,000. Smoyer, Hudkins, Raybould, Heier and Schorr voted aye. Motion carried 5-0.

9 LABOR NEGOTIATIONS & POTENTIAL LITIGATION - Doug McDaniel, Personnel Director; Nicole Gross and Amy Saddler, Compensation Technicians; Tom Fox and Brittany Behrens, Deputy County Attorneys

MOTION: Smoyer moved and Hudkins seconded to enter Executive Session at 11:05 a.m. for the purpose of protecting the public interest with regards to labor negotiations and potential litigation.

The Chair restated the motion for the record.

ROLL CALL: Hudkins, Schorr, Raybould, Heier and Smoyer voted aye. Motion carried 5-0.

Smoyer exited the meeting at 11:36 a.m.

MOTION: Raybould moved and Heier seconded to exit Executive Session at a.m. Heier, Raybould, Hudkins and Schorr voted aye. Smoyer was absent from voting. Motion carried 4-0.

10 ACTION ITEMS

There were no action items.

11 CONSENT ITEMS

There were no consent items.

12 ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER REPORT

- A. Abbott Motocross Track Grant Update
- B. County Road Access Appeal (8350 Haley Lynn Lane)
- C. 2012 Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO) Walk for Your Life Challenge
- D. Discount Tickets for Harlem Globetrotters
- E. Request from Douglas County for Presentation on Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) (April 11, 2012)

Items A-E were moved forward on the agenda.

13 PENDING

There were no pending items.

14 DISCUSSION OF BOARD MEMBER MEETINGS

- A. Emergency Medical System Oversight Administration (EMSOA) - Schorr
- B. Lincoln Independent Business Association (LIBA) Monthly Meeting - Hudkins, Schorr
- C. Lancaster County Correctional Facility Joint Public Agency (JPA) - Schorr, Hudkins
- D. Community Mental Health Center (CMHC) Advisory Committee - Raybould

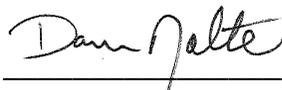
Items A-D were moved forward on the agenda.

15 EMERGENCY ITEMS AND OTHER BUSINESS

There were no emergency items or other business.

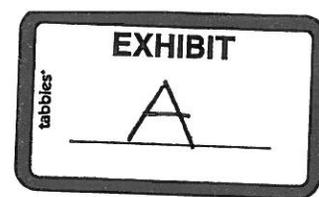
16 ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Heier moved and Raybould seconded to adjourn the meeting at 11:41 a.m. Raybould, Heier, Hudkins and Schorr voted aye. Smoyer was absent from voting. Motion carried 4-0.



Dan Nolte
Lancaster County Clerk





Lancaster County Board of Commissioners

Legislative Update

March 29, 2012

Today is the fifty-second day of the sixty day session. The Legislature is scheduled to adjourn on April 12, 2012.

This week the Legislature addressed LB 867 (Karpisek) which is the change of in the retirement plan for Lancaster County on Select File. The bill was advanced to Final Reading on a voice vote and we anticipate its passage sometime next week. This was a top priority of the Lancaster County Board of Commissioners this year.

I have attached a list of interim studies to be conducted by various committees of the Legislature this summer and into the fall. Please review them at your convenience. We will examine them and provide you with a summary later this spring.

The Budget bills were passed on Tuesday of this week and were provided to the Governor.

Current Interim Study Listing

Second Session

<u>Document</u>	<u>Primary Introducer</u>	<u>Committee</u>	<u>Description</u>
LR387	Lautenbaugh	Urban Affairs	Interim study to analyze the feasibility, process, and profitability of selling Omaha's Metropolitan Utilities District from the public domain to a private entity
LR452	Nordquist	Nebraska Retirement Systems	Interim study to examine the public employees retirement systems administered by the Public Employees Retirement System
LR462	McCoy	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine whether Nebraska's insurance laws should be amended to address the sale of ancillary service contracts and ancillary protection product warranties
LR464	Smith	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine the procurement procedures of governmental units with respect to contracts for publicly funded construction projects
LR465	Smith	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine the impact of the pulse oximetry procedure in testing for critical congenital heart disease in newborns
LR476	Conrad	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to determine whether Nebraska's business entity statutes should be updated
LR478	Nordquist	Judiciary	Interim study to examine the issue of discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity in Nebraska
LR479	Haar	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine Nebraska's laws and regulations on radon gas exposure, particularly the effect of radon gas on children
LR480	Haar	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine how Nebraska's public power utilities can partner with private energy efficiency companies to offer "On Bill Pay," a process in which a consumer contracts with an energy service company to audit, finance, and manage energy efficiency
LR481	Haar	Revenue	Interim study to examine funding sources for the United States Dept. of Education's 21st Century Community Learning Centers Program
LR482	Mello	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the use of eminent domain by political subdivisions for the taking of private land for the use of development or management of recreational trails or corridors
LR483	Harr	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine whether Nebraska should update the Uniform Commercial Code with regard to rejection or removal of fraudulent or otherwise improper financing statements or other records offered for filing with the Secretary of State
LR486	Mello	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine the issues surrounding state procurement policies
LR487	Mello	Judiciary	Interim study to examine issues surrounding restrictions on registered sex offender participation in state and federal holiday activities that are centered around children
LR488	Mello	Appropriations	Interim study to examine issues surrounding the use of state settlement funds
LR489	Adams	Education	Interim study to examine early childhood education programs in Nebraska
LR490	Adams	Education	Interim study to examine funding for educational service units
LR491	Adams	Education	Interim study to examine the effectiveness of the current systems for seeking medicaid reimbursements from the federal government for physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, and administrative claims
LR492	Adams	Education	Interim study to examine the system of financing public education in Nebraska
LR493	Dubas	Appropriations	Interim study to examine the use of the Civic and Community Center Financing Fund and to make recommendations on future use
LR494	Dubas	Transportation and Telecommunications	Interim study to examine uninsured and unlicensed drivers and associated penalties
LR495	Mello	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the flood control needs of Omaha and the greater Omaha metropolitan area
LR496	Mello	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine the issues surrounding the adoption and promulgation of rules and regulations
LR498	Pahls	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine the processes, legislative and administrative, necessary for the establishment in Nebraska of a health insurance exchange in response to the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act
LR500	Lautenbaugh	Education	Interim study to examine the purchasing policies and practices of school districts and educational service units
LR501	Mello	Urban Affairs	Interim study to examine intergovernmental relations between municipal and state governments in Nebraska
LR502	Mello	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine the issues surrounding governmental transparency
LR503	Mello	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine issues surrounding project labor agreements

<u>LR500</u>	<u>Haar</u>	Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine issues surrounding project labor agreements
<u>LR504</u>	<u>Haar</u>	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine Nebraska's statutes and regulations on hydraulic fracturing, also known as fracking
<u>LR505</u>	<u>Howard</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine methods of ensuring that medical professionals, who as part of their scope of practice provide injections to human patients, are following safe injection practices
<u>LR506</u>	<u>Sullivan</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine issues surrounding the moratorium on long-term beds under the Nebraska Health Care Certificate of Need Act
<u>LR507</u>	<u>Sullivan</u>	Agriculture	Interim study to examine establishing a statewide Farm to School initiative in Nebraska to encourage partnerships between farmers and school districts to increase fresh local food availability in schools
<u>LR508</u>	<u>Gloor</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to review, assess, and provide recommendations relating to the implementation and sustainability of the Nebraska Health Care Funding Act
<u>LR509</u>	<u>Lautenbaugh</u>	Appropriations	Interim study to examine the feasibility of a hydroelectric dam on the Platte River near Interstate 80
<u>LR510</u>	<u>Nordquist</u>	Executive Board	Interim study to provide that a select committee gather information and provide recommendations for an early childhood learning and development reform agenda
<u>LR511</u>	<u>Sullivan</u>	Agriculture	Interim study to examine Nebraska's kindergarten through twelfth grade education standards and curricula to determine whether agriculture is incorporated as an essential component
<u>LR512</u>	<u>Avery</u>	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine issues under the jurisdiction of the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee
<u>LR513</u>	<u>Wightman</u>	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine ways in which health benefit policies and contracts could provide coverage for patient-centered medical homes
<u>LR514</u>	<u>Wightman</u>	Revenue	Interim study to conduct a comprehensive review and revision of the laws governing the process for sales of real property for delinquent real property taxes
<u>LR515</u>	<u>Nordquist</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine new ways to pay for and deliver health care services through the Medicaid program that improve the quality of care and health of participants while lowering costs
<u>LR516</u>	<u>Nordquist</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to examine issues relating to the crime of destruction of property through the use of graffiti and to develop recommendations to prevent, combat, and abate graffiti in communities
<u>LR517</u>	<u>Nelson</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine the benefits of adult day service programs currently provided to Nebraska seniors
<u>LR518</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Nebraska Retirement Systems	Interim study to examine issues surrounding the investment of state funds
<u>LR519</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine wage subsidy programs
<u>LR520</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues relating to land banking
<u>LR521</u>	<u>Larson</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to evaluate whether the courts are utilizing the provision which provides that a court may order a parent to pay a reasonable sum to cover support, study, and treatment of a juvenile in the custody of the Dept. of Health and Human Services
<u>LR525</u>	<u>Coash</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to examine how Nebraska's system for screening, assessing, and investigating reports of child abuse and neglect contributes to Nebraska's rates of out-of-home care
<u>LR528</u>	<u>Larson</u>	Agriculture	Interim study to evaluate whether Knox County producers and sales facilities would benefit from the entire county being either inside or outside the brand inspection area
<u>LR529</u>	<u>Campbell</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to provide for review and assessment and make recommendations relating to the entry of children into the child welfare system
<u>LR532</u>	<u>Schumacher</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to assess mechanisms in place for school districts to detect any cause and correlation of unusual health patterns among staff and students arising during construction, renovation, or other school projects in public school buildings
<u>LR533</u>	<u>McGill</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine whether there are enough resources currently present in schools to detect and treat mental illness in school-age children
<u>LR534</u>	<u>McGill</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to determine whether services are available in Nebraska for victims of sex trafficking and labor trafficking
<u>LR535</u>	<u>McGill</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to examine the conditions, use, and effectiveness of Nebraska's youth rehabilitation and treatment centers
<u>LR536</u>	<u>McGill</u>	Education	Interim study to examine methods used by schools in Nebraska to foster creativity, critical thinking, and innovation in their students
<u>LR537</u>	<u>McGill</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to gather data and develop recommendations on the unmet needs of and gaps in services available to youth who transition or "age out" of Nebraska's foster care system
<u>LR538</u>	<u>Dubas</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to examine eminent domain authority and judicial approval and interpretation of the public interest determination
<u>LR539</u>	<u>Schilz</u>	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine ways in which to manage water and provide benefits to landowners and other entities for their ability to store and manage water in recharge areas

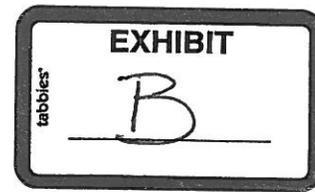
LR540	Schilz	Appropriations	Interim study to examine the concept of a philanthropic entity investing in an area of state government instead of investing in the capital market
LR541	Schilz	Revenue	Interim study to examine changing the percentage of municipal sales and use tax receipts given to municipalities to accommodate those that have been adversely affected by large municipal sales and use tax refunds
LR542	Mello	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues surrounding the creation of a state infrastructure bank
LR543	Mello	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the potential adoption of an energy efficiency resource standard in Nebraska
LR544	Mello	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine economic development programs designed to promote international trade
LR545	Mello	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine statutes and regulations that deal with the Nebraska Power Review Board's approval of major investments in electric utility power plants
LR546	Nordquist	Appropriations	Interim study to examine the potential impact of implementing the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act on the state budget in upcoming years
LR547	Nordquist	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to gather information about what health benefits are important to Nebraskans, evaluate benchmark plan options available to our state, and allow public input into the process of selecting what benefits will be available
LR548	Cook	Education	Interim study to examine the Nebraska state 529 educational savings plan and make recommendations on ways to increase plan participation
LR549	Conrad	Appropriations	Interim study to determine the range of investment returns on the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund over the next ten years and the actual demands upon the current recipients of the funds over the next ten years
LR550	Conrad	Appropriations	Interim study to examine the impact of the federal cuts to Nebraska anticipated due to the Budget Control Act of 2011
LR551	Conrad	Health and Human Services	Interim study to assess the effectiveness of ACCESSNebraska for clients, community-based partners, and workers using qualitative and quantitative analysis
LR552	McGill	Urban Affairs	Interim study to examine economic development in the more rural areas of the state, with a focus on cities of the first class and second class and villages
LR553	Nordquist	Revenue	Interim study to examine strategies to promote the restoration and revitalization of historic business districts throughout Nebraska
LR555	Gloor	Health and Human Services	Interim study to review and examine the ongoing issues within Nebraska's Medicaid Insurance for Workers with Disabilities, also known as Nebraska's Medicaid Buy-In, enacted in 1999
LR556	Carlson	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the current ground water policy contained in Nebraska's statutes
LR557	Carlson	Agriculture	Interim study to examine the progress of the creation of a blender fuel pump infrastructure in Nebraska
LR558	Carlson	Agriculture	Interim study to examine legislation that has been proposed or enacted in several states to protect against disruptions of agricultural operations
LR559	Carlson	Agriculture	Interim study to examine potential structural models for commodity development programs to enhance flexibility, resources, and accountability to producers
LR560	Harms	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to review federal and state laws on the practice of businesses such as gas stations, hotels, or other businesses, placing holds on credit cards for more than the amount of the purchase
LR561	Harms	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Interim study to examine the feasibility of a merger between the Dept. of Economic Development and the Dept. of Labor, as proposed in LB971
LR562	Pahls	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine the impact of the banking and finance industry on the economy of the state
LR563	Christensen	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine the constitutionality of AM1603 to LB514, which would provide an additional recovery amount for compensatory or actual damages sustained due to an unreasonable delay or denial by an insurance company
LR564	Christensen	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the constitutionality of creating standing secondary surface water appropriation rights to unappropriated surface water for interbasin transfers to mitigate flood damage which are inferior in right to any future surface water appropriations that may be issued in the basin of origin
LR565	Cornett	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to tax incentives for affordable housing, including but not limited to, whether other states allow such tax incentives to be used for graffiti removal and abatement
LR566	Cornett	Revenue	Interim study to examine a funding mechanism for all cities and villages to assist in the financing of new projects that will address the need for Nebraska residents currently leaving the state to experience tourist and other destinations that are currently not located in Nebraska
LR567	Cornett	Revenue	Interim study to examine tax burdens and fiscal conditions in Nebraska communities
LR568	Cornett	Revenue	Interim study to examine any aspect of the state tax structure and tax policy
LR569	Fulton	Business and Labor	Interim study to examine implementation of utilization and treatment guidelines in cases before the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court

LR571	Ashford	Judiciary	Interim study to review matters under the jurisdiction of the Judiciary Committee
LR572	Fischer	Transportation and Telecommunications	Interim study to review matters under the jurisdiction of the Transportation and Telecommunications Committee
LR573	Hadley	Revenue	Interim study to examine reporting provisions for tax incentives and analysis methods used to analyze the impacts of tax incentives
LR574	Carlson	Agriculture	Interim study to review the anticipated disease traceability final rule by the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service of the United States Dept. of Agriculture
LR575	Carlson	Agriculture	Interim study to examine the interests and any role of the Dept. of Agriculture relating to incidents of livestock neglect and abandonment, particularly with respect to safeguarding livestock health
LR576	Wightman	Judiciary	Interim study to conduct a review of the laws governing the powers of a court appointed representative of a deceased individual to take control of or terminate any accounts or message services that are considered digital assets
LR577	Nordquist	Agriculture	Interim study to research needs and resources related to food insecurity in Nebraska
LR578	Bloomfield	Health and Human Services	Interim study to assess the State of Nebraska's compliance with both the federal Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978 and the Nebraska Indian Child Welfare Act, and to make recommendations for improvements
LR579	Pirsch	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to statutory and constitutional limitations on bond indebtedness of municipalities
LR580	Haar	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the potential for research, development, and deployment of liquid fluoride thorium reactors in the State of Nebraska
LR581	Lautenbaugh	Business and Labor	Interim study to analyze the effectiveness of vocational rehabilitation in workers' compensation cases in Nebraska
LR582	McGill	Urban Affairs	Interim study to conduct a comprehensive review of the laws governing powers of a city to enter into a redevelopment project for property within a radius of three miles of the boundaries of a city
LR583	Avery	Transportation and Telecommunications	Interim study to examine the structure, authority, and mission of the Public Service Commission in its administration of transportation by passenger motor carriers
LR584	Avery	Judiciary	Interim study to examine the authority and execution of eminent domain and condemnation proceedings
LR585	Avery	Judiciary	Interim study to examine the structure, maintenance, and mission of the parole system and the Board of Parole
LR586	Karpisek	General Affairs	Interim study to examine issues under the jurisdiction of the General Affairs Committee
LR587	Coash	Judiciary	Interim study to determine if there is a need for and what kind of safeguards are needed to protect adults with developmental disabilities, who require a guardian or conservator, from being unduly influenced to make changes for the financial benefit of another person, rather than for the best interests of the adult
LR588	Harr	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to encourage ways to encourage tourism throughout the State of Nebraska
LR589	Harr	Revenue	Interim study to analyze the Nebraska Advantage Act
LR590	Adams	Education	Interim study to review matters under the jurisdiction of the Education Committee
LR591	Adams	Education	Interim study to examine the progress toward the development of a state longitudinal education data system
LR592	McCoy	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine autism and the ways in which the educational, medical, and insurance industries can collaborate to provide successful treatment to children
LR593	Christensen	Revenue	Interim study to examine the taxing of flavored malt beverages at a separate, higher rate category than the current beer rate under the Nebraska Liquor Control Act
LR594	Christensen	General Affairs	Interim study to examine several policy issues regarding the definition of a flavored malt beverage
LR595	Pirsch	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine possible methods to increase direct investment from both domestic and foreign sources in Nebraska's economy
LR596	Pirsch	Revenue	Interim study to examine methods of enhancing the budgetary coordination between the Revenue Committee and Appropriations Committee of the Legislature
LR597	Pirsch	Education	Interim study to examine methods to enhance educational and employment opportunities involving science, technology, engineering, and mathematics in Nebraska
LR598	Pirsch	Revenue	Interim study to examine methods to more equitably value agricultural lands for tax purposes in Nebraska
LR600	Lathrop	Revenue	Interim study to examine the Municipal Equalization Fund, including the formula and the sources of funding
LR601	Lathrop	Business and Labor	Interim study to determine the workforce training opportunities that renewable energy projects can provide in Nebraska communities and how Nebraska can be more strategic and competitive in its job training approaches

<u>LR602</u>	<u>Schilz</u>	Judiciary	Interim study of the intent of LB919, and the current fees paid to sheriffs for performing their statutory responsibilities and increasing docket fees to cover the actual costs associated with using the court system
<u>LR608</u>	<u>Transportation and Telecommunications Committee</u>	Transportation and Telecommunications	Interim study to examine the issues surrounding the One-Call Notification System Act

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<u>LR85</u>	<u>Pahls</u>	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to determine how insurance laws should be amended by the Legislature to respond to the provisions of the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act
<u>LR138</u>	<u>Nordquist</u>	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to find a solution to the exit of insurers from the health insurance marketplace for stand-alone health insurance policies for children
<u>LR174</u>	<u>Gloor</u>	Transportation and Telecommunications	Interim study to examine what impediments exist in state statute to attracting national agricultural and business conventions and trade shows to facilities in Nebraska
<u>LR197</u>	<u>Nordquist</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine issues relating to the implementation of an all-payer claims database in Nebraska
<u>LR198</u>	<u>Adams</u>	Education	Interim study to examine the governance and coordination of postsecondary education in Nebraska
<u>LR200</u>	<u>Pahls</u>	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to determine whether insurance laws should be amended to provide that insurance providing coverage to an operator of a motor vehicle not owned by the operator shall be primary to any insurance or self-insurance providing coverage to the motor vehicle
<u>LR202</u>	<u>Nordquist</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to examine public assistance programs with income-based eligibility criteria and the program rules that contribute or detract from asset building and economic stability for participating families
<u>LR203</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Urban Affairs	Interim study to examine issues surrounding vacant residential and commercial properties
<u>LR205</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Natural Resources	Interim study to examine the potential establishment of a statewide electronics recycling program
<u>LR206</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Education	Interim study to examine funding streams available to adult education programs to better transition adults into postsecondary education through bridge programs
<u>LR207</u>	<u>Dubas</u>	Urban Affairs	Interim study to examine the formation and governance of sanitary and improvement districts
<u>LR208</u>	<u>McGill</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to determine the best manner in which to license certified applied behavioral analysts
<u>LR209</u>	<u>Urban Affairs Committee</u>	Urban Affairs	Interim study to examine all of the building codes in Nebraska
<u>LR210</u>	<u>Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee</u>	Nebraska Retirement Systems	Interim study to examine the public employees retirement systems administered by the Public Employees Retirement Board
<u>LR211</u>	<u>Education Committee</u>	Education	Interim study to examine the offering of elementary and secondary courses and high school diplomas through electronic means
<u>LR212</u>	<u>Gloor</u>	Health and Human Services	Interim study to review the operations and usefulness of the Nebraska Regulation of Health Professions Act
<u>LR214</u>	<u>Mello</u>	Judiciary	Interim study to examine issues surrounding graffiti, vandalism, the sale of spray paint or markers, destruction of property, and graffiti abatement
<u>LR215</u>	<u>Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee</u>	Nebraska Retirement Systems	Interim study to examine issues relating to defined benefit plans of political subdivisions
<u>LR216</u>	<u>Smith</u>	Business and Labor	Interim study to examine public employee contracts entered into pursuant to collective bargaining and benefits for public officials
<u>LR217</u>	<u>Cornett</u>	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to creating a regional transportation commission or authority for purposes of helping to fund political subdivisions' transportation infrastructure projects
<u>LR219</u>	<u>Pahls</u>	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	Interim study to examine insurance coverage of services to treat individuals with autism
<u>LR220</u>	<u>Cornett</u>	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to the imposition of occupation taxes by local governments
<u>LR221</u>	<u>Cornett</u>	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to Nebraska's property tax homestead exemption program
<u>LR222</u>	<u>Cornett</u>	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to changing and adjusting individual and corporate income tax rate brackets
<u>LR223</u>	<u>Cornett</u>	Revenue	Interim study to examine issues pertaining to Nebraska's special capital gains income tax deduction, the dividend income tax deduction, and issues pertaining to codification of the economic



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LB14	Wightman	Speaker	Change and eliminate fees received by registers of deeds and clerks	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.19.11	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs AM1954 filed; Placed on General File with AM1954	X	
LB33	Louden		Change valuation of agricultural and horticultural land	Revenue	1.21.11		X	
LB48	Janssen		Adopt the Illegal Immigration Enforcement Act	Judiciary	3.2.11		X	
LB49	Krist		Provide certain requirements relating to filing of nonconsensual liens	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	1.31.11		X	
LB51	Krist		Require health clinics to have patient transfer agreements	Health and Human Services	1.26.11	General File with AM79; Conrad AM438-443, 445, 447, 449, 450, 452, 453, 457, 458, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464 filed; Cook MO14 Recommit to committee filed; Krist MO17 Indefinitely postpone filed; Conrad AM438-443, 445, 447, 449, 450, 452, 453, 457, 458, 460-464 withdrawn; Cook MO14 withdrawn; Laid over	X	

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LB62	Heidemann		Change budget revision and salary approval provisions for counties	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.20.11	General File with AM245; AM245 adopted; Select File with ER26; ER26 adopted; Lathrop AM496 filed & adopted; Final Reading with ST6; Dubas AM611 filed; Motion to rtn to Select File for specific amendment pending; Sullivan FA7 filed; Motion to rtn to Select File failed; Dubas AM611 withdrawn; Sullivan FA7 withdrawn; Final Reading 40-5-4 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	Monitor
LB66	Cornett		Change provisions relating to DNA collection	Judiciary	1.19.11	General File with AM241; Cornett AM386 filed; Judiciary AM241 adopted ; Cornett AM386 adopted ; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Enrollment and Review ER143 filed; Placed on Select File with ER143; Enrollment and Review ER143 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading	X	Support
LB69	Louden		Change provisions relating to use of comparable sales for tax valuation	Revenue	1.21.11		X	

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LB78	Pahls		Define a term in the Public Funds Deposit Security Act	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	1.24.11	General File; AM194 filed; AM194 adopted; Select File with ER22; ER22 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 45-0-4 3.4.11 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	
LB81	Cornett		Prohibit the levying of certain taxes on nonresidents of a municipality	Revenue	1.20.11	General File with AM14; Cornett AM132 filed; Cornett AM198 filed & adopted; AM14 adopted; AM132 withdrawn; McCoy AM146 filed; Select File with ER8; McCoy AM146 withdrawn; Cornett AM553 filed & adopted; Final Reading with ST9; Cornett AM620 filed; Returned to Select File for specific amendment; Cornett AM620 adopted; Placed on Final Reading second; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 37-4-8 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	Monitor
LB84	Fischer	Fischer	Adopt the Build Nebraska Act and authorize bonds for the highway system	Revenue	2.10.11	General File with AM385; Final Reading with ST26; AM1273 withdrawn; Passed on Final Reading 33-10-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB87	Christensen		Change provisions relating to mowing weeds in ditches	Transportation and Telecommunications	3.8.11		X	

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LB106	Schilz	Louden	Authorize a county sales tax for capital improvements for public safety services and transportation infrastructure	Revenue	1.27.11	General File with AM731; Louden AM870 filed; AM731 & AM870 adopted; Select File with ER100; ER100 adopted; Final Reading 43-3-3 5.18.11 Governor Approved 5.24.11	X	Support
LB111	Gloor		Change membership on mental health boards	Health and Human Services	1.19.11	General File with AM98; AM98 adopted; Select File; Final Reading 49-0-0 2.16.11 Governor Approved 2.22.11	X	
LB113	Dubas		Prohibit job discrimination based upon credit history	Business and Labor	1.31.11		X	Monitor
LB115	Council		Change limitation of action provisions under the Political Subdivisions Tort Claims Act	Judiciary	2.3.11		X	Oppose
LB117	Avery		Change publication requirements for constitutional amendments and initiative and referendum measures	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.21.11		X	
LB128	Avery		Change DNA collection provisions	Judiciary	1.19.11	IPP'd 2.11.11	X	Support
LB129	Avery		Eliminate the statute of limitation for certain felonies	Judiciary	1.27.11		X	
LB133	Ashford		Require inclusion of sentencing costs in presentence reports	Judiciary	2.2.11		X	

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LB135	Smith		Change the date for remitting certain funds under the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.18.11	General File; Langemeier AM56 filed; Select File; Smith AM61 filed; Langemeier AM56 withdrawn; AM61 adopted; Final Reading 45-0-4 5.12.11 Governor Approved 5.18.11	X	
LB136	Lautenbaugh		Change number of years between appearances before Board of Pardons	Judiciary	1.19.11		X	
LB137	Lautenbaugh	Speaker	Change provisions relating to postconviction relief	Judiciary	2.2.11	General File with AM735; AM735 adopted; Select File with ER96; ER96 adopted; Final Reading 45-0-4 5.5.11 Governor Approved 5.11.11	X	
LB139	Lautenbaugh		Change surplus property sale provisions of the County Purchasing Act	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.26.11	General File with AM292; Motion to suspend rules to IPP filed; IPP'd 5.26.11	X	Support
LB151	Lathrop	Business and Labor	Change location, hearing, and document provisions of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court	Business and Labor	1.24.11	General File with AM1243; AM1243 adopted; Select File with ER125; ER125 adopted; Lathrop AM1454 filed & adopted; Final Reading with ST40 with Emergency Clause 45-0-4 5.19.11 Governor Approved 5.24.11	X	

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LB152	Lathrop	Cook	Change applicability of a medical fee schedule under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Business and Labor	2.14.11	General File with AM1449; AM1449 adopted; Select File with ER136; ER136 adopted; Lathrop AM1503 filed & adopted; Final Reading with ST44 46-0-3 5.24.11 Governor Approved 5.26.11	X	
LB153	Lathrop		Change reimbursement for medical services under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Business and Labor	2.14.11		X	
LB157	Coash		Change guardianship and conservatorship provisions	Judiciary	1.20.11	General File; Coash AM106 filed; Flood AM107 filed & adopted; Flood AM112 filed; AM106 & AM112 adopted; Coash AM140 filed & adopted; Select File; Coash AM215 filed; Flood AM110 & AM111 withdrawn; Coash AM215 adopted; Final Reading 49-0-0 2.16.11 Governor Approved 2.22.11	X	
LB159	Urban Affairs Committee		Authorize bond powers for cities, villages, and counties for nonprofit enterprises	Urban Affairs	1.18.11	General File with AM244; AM244 adopted; Select File with ER36; Schumacher AM470 filed; ER36 adopted; AM470 adopted; Final Reading w/Emergency Clause 48-0-1 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11	X	

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LB160	Campbell		Eliminate a duty of the county assessor relating to information on trusts that own agricultural land	Agriculture	2.1.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 47-0-2 3.4.11 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	
LB161	Karpisek		Change provisions relating to recounting votes	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.21.11	General File with AM264; Karpisek AM383 filed; Lautenbaugh MO13 Bracket until June 8, 2011 filed & prevailed	X	
LB162	Campbell		Change provisions relating to abstracts of property assessment rolls	Revenue	2.17.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 44-0-5 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB164	Louden		Provide notification requirements before moving buildings or other large objects on a county or township road	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.31.11	General File with AM286; AM286 adopted; Select File; Final Reading 47-0-2 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11	X	
LB179	Krist		Change pharmacy provisions	Health and Human Services	1.26.11	General File with AM124; AM124 adopted; Select File; Krist AM423 filed; AM423 adopted; Final Reading with ST7 47-0-2 3.4.11 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	
LB182	Hansen		Change provisions relating to the issuance of one license plate	Transportation and Telecommunications	3.7.11		X	
LB183	Wightman		Change abandoned motorboat and trailer provisions	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.31.11		X	

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LB184	Smith		Change interest rate provisions under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Business and Labor	3.7.11		X	
LB185	Fulton		Provide for one vehicle license plate	Transportation and Telecommunications	3.7.11		X	
LB186	Sullivan		Require nonpartisan ballots for county officers	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.16.11		X	
LB189	Council		Adopt the Criminal Offender Employment Act	Business and Labor	1.24.11		X	
LB191	Council		Change provisions relating to sentence reductions	Judiciary	2.2.11	General File; Select File with ER37; ER37 adopted; Final Reading w/Emergency Clause 45-0-4 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11	X	
LB202	Council		Authorize petitions for recall and resentencing for certain minors sentenced to life imprisonment	Judiciary	1.27.11	General File with AM399	X	
LB203	Council		Change sentencing requirements with respect to certain minors	Judiciary	1.27.11		X	
LB206	Wightman		Provide for disposition of abandoned camper units and cabin trailers	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.31.11		X	
LB210	Cornett		Change revenue and taxation provisions	Revenue	1.19.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 48-0-1 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11	X	

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LB214	Pankonin		Require nonpartisan election of county and city officials	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.16.11		X	Monitor
LB226	Gloor	Speaker	Create the offense of assault with a bodily fluid against a public safety officer	Judiciary	2.4.11	General File with AM1068; Hadley AM1381 filed; AM1068 & AM1381 adopted; Select File with ER126; ER126 adopted; Final Reading 40-5-4 5.18.11 Governor Approved 5.24.11	X	Support
LB233	Krist		Decrease the number of members of the Legislature to forty-five	Redistricting	2.16.11		X	
LB234	Fischer		Change provisions relating to county office and service facilities of the Department of Health and Human Services	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.3.11	General File; AM740 filed; AM740 adopted; Select File; Final Reading 42-0-7 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	Support
LB238	Conrad		Eliminate workers' compensation three-judge review and change certain procedural provisions	Business and Labor	2.14.11		X	

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LB239	Janssen	Schilz	Require presentation of government-issued photographic identification to vote in elections	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.24.11	General File with AM727; Mello AM1641; Lathrop AM1633; Haar AM1631; Mello AM1645; Council AM1649; Council AM1667; Mello AM1627; Council AM1629; Mello AM1654; Avery AM1624; Council AM1639; Harr AM1637; Avery AM1625; Mello AM1684 filed; Council AM1667 pending; Government, Military and Veterans Affairs AM727 pending; Schumacher AM2297 filed; Schumacher FA62 filed; Harr AM2653 filed; Lathrop FA63 filed; Lathrop FA64 filed; Haar AM2652 filed; Mello FA65 filed; Mello FA66 filed;	X	
LB242	Hadley		Change provisions relating to assault, assault on an officer, and offenses by a confined person	Judiciary	2.4.11		X	
LB251	Council	Judiciary	Change court fees	Judiciary	1.26.11	General File with AM945; AM945 adopted; Failed to advance to Enrollment & Review Initial	X	
LB254	Campbell		Provide and change requirements for instruments recorded by the register of deeds	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.3.11	General File with AM240; AM240 adopted; Select File; Final Reading 41-0-8 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB266	Sullivan		Change the Open Meetings Act relating to closed sessions	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.26.11		X	

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LB270	Executive Board		Eliminate duties and positions in the Public Counsel's office	Executive Board	3.3.11		X	Support
LB274	Gloor		Change provisions relating to the return of dispensed drugs and devices	Health and Human Services	1.26.11	General File; Select File with ER30; Gloor AM472 filed; ER30 adopted; AM472 adopted; Final Reading 47-0-2 3.4.11 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	
LB277	Coash		Change the Nebraska Visitors Development Act to provide for the advice of a visitors committee to a county board	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	3.9.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 42-0-7 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	Support
LB278	Coash		Authorize payment to county officers and employees by electronic funds transfer	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.3.11	General File; Select File with ER34; ER34 adopted; Final Reading 48-0-1 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11	X	Support
LB289	Mello	Speaker	Authorize the operation on public highways of low-speed vehicles as prescribed	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.15.11	General File with AM416; AM416 adopted; Select File with ER91; ER91 adopted; Mello AM1239 filed & adopted; Fischer AM1376 filed; Final Reading with ST29; Rtd to Select File for specific amendment; AM1376 adopted; Final Reading Second 49-0-0 5.18.11 Governor Approved 5.24.11	X	

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LB295	Lathrop		Provide a complaint procedure with the Public Service Commission regarding towing and storage fees	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.8.11		X	
LB301	Ashford		Change provisions for sealing records under the Nebraska Juvenile Code	Judiciary	2.24.11		X	
LB304	McGill		Provide for treatment of sexually transmitted diseases as prescribed	Health and Human Services	2.24.11	General File; pending; McGill AM1753 filed; McGill AM1753 adopted ; Failed to advance to Enrollment and Review Initial	X	
LB318	Cornett		Redefine qualified claimant for homestead exemption purposes	Revenue	2.9.11		X	Monitor
LB319	Cornett		Change reimbursement for homestead exemptions	Revenue	2.9.11		X	Monitor
LB320	Cornett		Change homestead exemption income limitations	Revenue	2.9.11		X	Monitor
LB321	Cornett		Change calculations relating to homestead exemptions	Revenue	2.9.11		X	Monitor
LB322	Cornett		Provide requirements for prescription drug insurance	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.14.11		X	Monitor
LB327	Campbell		Change motor vehicle fees and distribution of the proceeds	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.1.11		X	

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LB330	Cook		Change requirements for dental hygienists in public health-related settings	Health and Human Services	3.4.11	Placed on General File with AM2479	X	
LB337	Fulton	Speaker	Change timeframes for audits by the Auditor of Public Accounts	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.10.11	General File with AM275; AM275 adopted; Select File with ER66; ER66 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 46-0-3 4.20.11 Governor Approved 4.26.11	X	
LB339	Ashford		Change Nebraska Juvenile Code predisposition evaluation procedures	Judiciary	2.9.11		X	Monitor
LB344	Ashford		Change provisions relating to municipal counties and merger of governmental services	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.25.11	General File with AM1577, AM1672 filed; Government, Military and Veterans Affairs AM1577 adopted; Avery AM1672 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Enrollment and Review ER162 filed; Placed on Select File with ER162; McCoy AM2384 filed	X	
LB361	Cornett		Set the salary of members of the Tax Equalization and Review Commission	Revenue	2.3.11		X	
LB363	Cornett		Change provisions relating to the Tax Equalization and Review Commission and property taxes and provide a duty for the Secretary of State	Revenue	2.17.11		X	

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LB365	Sullivan		Change access provisions for voter information and voter registration registers	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.24.11		X	
LB368	Brasch		Change nomination provisions for partisan offices	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.2.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 48-0-1 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11; President/speaker signed; adopted	X	Support
LB370	Wightman		Eliminate provisions relating to issuance of tax deeds	Revenue	2.11.11	General File; Pending; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial President/Speaker signed; Placed on Select File with ER145; Adopted; Enrollment and Review ER145 filed; Wightman AM1996 filed ; Wightman AM1996 adopted; Enrollment and Review ER145 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading with ST55; Passed on Final Reading 48-0-1; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 01, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 07, 2012	X	
LB371	Schumacher		Provide for an unfair insurance trade practice relating to public officials	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.15.11		X	

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LB373	Speaker Flood		Make deficiency appropriations	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM901; AM901 adopted; Select File with ER117; ER117 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 41-0-8 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB374	Speaker Flood		Appropriate funds for state government expenses	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM902; Heidemann AM1307 & AM1313 filed; AM902 adopted; AM1307 withdrawn; Heidemann AM1360 filed & adopted; AM1313 adopted; Select File with ER124; Heidemann AM1397 filed; ER124 & AM1397 adopted; Final Reading with ST37 with Emergency Clause 43-0-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB375	Speaker Flood		Appropriate funds for salaries of members of the Legislature	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 43-0-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB376	Speaker Flood		Appropriate funds for salaries of constitutional officers	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM1300; AM1300 adopted; Select File with ER105; Heidemann AM1384 filed; ER105 & AM1384 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 43-0-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	

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LB377	Speaker Flood		Appropriate funds for capital construction	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM903; AM903 adopted; Select File with ER122; ER122 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 42-1-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB378	Speaker Flood		Provide for fund transfers and change provisions relating to various funds	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM904; AM904 adopted; Select File with ER116; ER116 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 43-0-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB379	Speaker Flood		Transfer funds from the Cash Reserve Fund	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM1250; Heidemann AM1301 filed; AM1250 adopted; AM1301 withdrawn; Heidemann AM1347 filed & adopted; Select File with ER109; ER109 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 43-0-6 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	
LB380	Speaker Flood		Change provisions relating to depreciation charges relating to state buildings	Appropriations	2.7.11	General File with AM834; AM834 adopted; Select File with ER108; ER108 adopted; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 44-0-5 5.11.11 Governor Approved 5.17.11	X	

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LB383	Cornett	Revenue	Eliminate state aid for municipalities, counties, and natural resources districts	Revenue	1.26.11	General File; Louden AM288 filed; Council AM252 filed; AM288 & AM252 lost; Select File; Council AM331 filed; Council AM334 filed; Council AM334 lost; Mello AM490 filed & lost; Council AM331 lost; Final Reading with Emergency Clause 36-9-4 3.4.11 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	Oppose
LB384	Cornett	Revenue	Eliminate a commissioner of the Tax Equalization and Review Commission and authorize single commissioner hearings	Revenue	2.3.11	General File with AM944; AM944 adopted; Cornett AM1127 filed & adopted; Select File with ER86; Louden AM1132 filed; Cornett AM1204 filed; ER86 adopted; AM1132 lost; AM1204 adopted; Final Reading with ST33; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 36-11-2 5.5.11 Governor Approved 5.11.11	X	
LB388	Wightman	Wightman	Adopt the Site and Building Development Act and change provisions relating to the Affordable Housing Trust Fund	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.7.11	General File; Wightman AM649 filed; AM649 adopted; Select File with ER59; Flood AM1136 filed; ER59 & AM1136 adopted; Final Reading with ST23 46-0-3 4.20.11 Governor Approved 4.26.11	X	

LB/LR	Sponsor	Priority	One-Liner	Committee	Hearing Date	Status	LC	LC Position
			Change provisions relating to jails and corrections and create the Community Corrections Division of the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice			General File with AM1537; AM1537 adopted; Ashford AM1542 filed & adopted; Ashford AM1541 filed; Select File with ER142; ER142 adopted; AM1541 withdrawn; Ashford AM1572 filed & adopted; Final Reading with ST48 with Emergency Clause 47-0-2 5.26.11 Governor Approved 5.26.11		
LB390	Ashford	Speaker		Judiciary	1.27.11		X	Oppose
			Create the Nebraska Invasive Species Council			General File with AM683; Natural Resources AM683 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Schilz AM1804 filed; Enrollment and Review ER159 filed; Placed on Select File with ER159; Schilz AM1831 filed; Schilz AM1830 filed; Enrollment and Review ER159 adopted; Schilz AM1804 withdrawn; Schilz AM1831 adopted; Schilz AM1928 filed Schilz AM1928 adopted; Schilz AM1830 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading with ST52; Schilz AM2402 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Reengrossment		
LB391	Schilz			Natural Resources	2.17.11		X	
			Provide powers and duties relating to aquatic invasive species					
LB392	Schilz			Natural Resources	2.17.11		X	

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LB396	Pahls		Change bond provisions relating to the deposit and investment of certain county funds	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	1.31.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 46-0-3 3.4.11 Governor Approved 3.10.11	X	
LB398	Lathrop		Change provisions relating to notaries public	Judiciary	1.28.11	Judiciary AM1789 filed; Placed on General File with AM1789; Judiciary AM1789 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER236	X	
LB405	Cornett		Authorize hearings by a single commissioner of the Tax Equalization and Review Commission	Revenue	2.17.11		X	
LB409	Utter		Provide for the retention of insurance proceeds by a country or municipality to repair or demolish damaged property	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.14.11	General File with AM577	X	
LB415	Wallman		Change provisions relating to contraband in a detention facility or providing an inmate with contraband	Judiciary	2.10.11	General File with AM525; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Judiciary AM525 adopted; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading 46-0-3; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on February 07, 2012; Returned by Governor without approval on February 13, 2012	X	

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LB430	Cornett		Change property tax levy limitations	Revenue	2.2.11	General File; Motion to suspend rules to IPP filed; IPP'd 5.26.11	X	
LB437	Urban Affairs Committee		Change state building code provisions	Urban Affairs	2.8.11		X	
LB441	Heidemann		Change levy provisions for rural and suburban fire protection districts	Revenue	3.3.11		X	
LB444	Avery		Provide methods for notice under the Open Meetings Act	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	1.26.11		X	
LB447	Fulton		Change provisions relating to vehicular pursuit	Judiciary	2.25.11		X	Support
LB449	Nelson	Speaker	Change the Election Act	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.16.11	General File with AM867; AM867 adopted; Select File with ER93; ER93 adopted; Nelson AM1302 filed & adopted; Final Reading with ST30 47-0-2 5.5.11 Governor Approved 5.11.11	X	
LB451	Ashford		Change court fees, procedures, offices, and judgeships	Judiciary	2.11.11		X	Monitor
LB452	Ashford		Provide for lottery winnings and tax refund intercept for debts owed to courts	Judiciary	1.28.11		X	Monitor
LB457	Campbell		Provide for notice of preliminary valuations and in-person meeting relating to property taxes and change certain dates	Revenue	2.17.11		X	Monitor

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LB459	Schilz		Limit the adoption of any law by a political subdivision regarding the ownership of domestic animals	Agriculture	3.1.11	General File with AM720; Placed on Select File with ER149; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading 47-0-2; President/Speaker signed; Presented to the Governor on March 1, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 07, 2012	X	
LB460	Ashford		Change the Sex Offender Registration Act	Judiciary	3.16.11; 4.5.11 on AM873; 4.5.11 on AM969	Ashford AM873 & AM969 filed	X	Monitor
LB474	Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee		Require certain retirement reports be submitted to the Auditor of Public Accounts	Nebraska Retirement Systems	1.27.11	General File with AM123; AM123 adopted; Select File with ER23; ER23 adopted; Final Reading; Nordquist AM417 filed; Returned to Select File for specific amendment; AM417 adopted; Final Reading 48-0-1 3.10.11 Governor Approved 3.16.11	X	
LB475	Lautenbaugh		Change garnishment provisions to include independent contractors providing services to government entities	Judiciary	2.11.11		X	
LB479	Lathrop	Lathrop	Authorize a minor to give consent to evidence collection and examination and treatment in cases of sexual assault	Judiciary	2.10.11	General File with AM335; Lathrop AM890 filed; AM335 & AM890 adopted; Select File; Final Reading with ST25 46-0-3 4.20.11 Governor Approved 4.26.11	X	

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LB480	Krist		Provide for agreements relating to public building commissions	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.9.11	General File; Select File; Final Reading 48-0-1 5.12.11 Governor Approved 5.18.11	X	Monitor
LB482	Utter	Utter	Change provisions governing industrial disputes involving municipal corporations under the Industrial Relations Act	Business and Labor	2.7.11		X	
LB491	Mello		Change state budget preparation provisions	Appropriations	3.3.11		X	
LB496	Avery		Create the Centennial Mall Project Fund	Appropriations	2.14.11	IPP'd 4.7.11	X	
LB499	Price	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	Change provisions relating to filing for office, registering to vote, and voting under the Election Act	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.2.11	General File with AM404; AM404 adopted; Select File with ER74; ER74 adopted; Final Reading 45-0-4 4.20.11 Governor Approved 4.26.11	X	
LB504	Campbell		Change motor fuel tax rates	Revenue	2.10.11		X	
LB506	Wallman		Change definitions of wages for the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Business and Labor	2.14.11		X	
LB507	Harms		Change Welfare Reform Act requirements relating to education for recipients of assistance	Health and Human Services	2.3.11	General File with AM670; Placed on Select File with ER161; Placed on Final Reading with ST53; Passed on Final Reading 48-0-1; President/Speaker signed; Presented to the Governor on March 1, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 07, 2012	X	

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LB508	Bloomfield		Authorize certain residency restrictions near parks for sexual predators	Judiciary	3.16.11		X	
LB513	Christensen		Adopt the Escort Services Accountability and Permit Act	Judiciary	2.25.11		X	
LB518	Christensen		Change certain penalty and violation provisions of the Concealed Handgun Permit Act	Judiciary	2.23.11		X	
LB519	Pirsch		Change the priority of liens for special assessments	Revenue	2.17.11		X	
LB529	Carlson		Change provisions relating to conservation and preservation easements and the Nebraska Environment Trust	Natural Resources	2.3.11		X	Monitor
LB530	Council		Adopt the Employee Credit Privacy Act	Business and Labor	1.31.11		X	Monitor
LB536	Wightman		Adopt the Nebraska Uniform Real Property Transfer on Death Act	Judiciary	2.17.11	Placed on General File with AM1668; Placed on Select File with ER171; Placed on Final Reading with ST57; Seiler AM2232 filed; Returned to Select File for specific amendment; Seiler AM2232 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Reengrossment; Placed on Final Reading Second	X	

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LB538	Karpisek		Change provisions relating to the disposition of seized firearms	Judiciary	2.16.11	Judiciary AM2329 filed; Placed on General File with AM2329	X	
LB541	Health and Human Services Committee	Speaker	Provide for third-party contracts to promote medicaid integrity and cost containment	Health and Human Services	2.9.11	General File; Select File; Campbell AM988 filed; AM988 adopted; Final Reading; Conrad AM1483 filed; Campbell AM1914 filed; Campbell AM2179 filed; Conrad AM1483 withdrawn; Campbell AM1914 withdrawn; Campbell AM2179 adopted; Returned to Select File for specific amendment; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading Second	X	
LB545	Pahls		Establish a copay for medical services provided at a correctional facility	Judiciary	3.16.11		X	
LB546	Gloor	Gloor	Change provisions relating to adoption of the International Residential Code	Urban Affairs	2.8.11	General File with AM348; AM348 adopted; McGill AM599 filed & adopted; Select File with ER44; Krist AM748 filed; ER44 adopted; AM748 lost; Final Reading 31-9-9 4.8.11 Governor Approved 4.14.11	X	
LB564	Fulton	Fulton	Change and eliminate provisions of the Industrial Relations Act and the State Employees Collective Bargaining Act	Business and Labor	2.7.11		X	

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LB565	Ashford		Require secure storage of firearms and notice of such requirement by retailers upon sale and create the offense of improper storage of a firearm	Judiciary	3.17.11		X	
LB569	Coash		Require employers to e-verify the immigration status of new employees	Judiciary	3.2.11		X	
LB571	Price		Change provisions relating to homeowners' association and condominium association liens	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.22.11		X	
LB573	Price		Authorize use of rotating or flashing amber lights on any motor vehicle operated by or for a storm spotter	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.15.11	General File with AM344; AM344 adopted; Select File with ER114; ER114 adopted; Final Reading 48-0-1 5.12.11 Governor Approved 5.18.11	X	
LB574	Price		Adopt the Electronic Prescription Transmission Act	Health and Human Services	2.4.11		X	
LB584	Fulton		Exempt deployed military personnel from motor vehicle registration fees	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.1.11		X	
LB597	Pahls		Require consolidation of county offices	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.25.11		X	

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LB605	Conrad		Provide for voter registration on election day and require identification to vote	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.24.11		X	
LB609	Pirsch		Adopt the Correctional Facility Reimbursement Act	Judiciary	3.16.11		X	
LB613	Pirsch		Change certain lien provisions relating to homeowner's associations and condominiums	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.22.11	Banking, Commerce and Insurance AM1749 filed; Placed on General File with AM1749	X	
LB614	Pirsch		Change provisions relating to homeowners' association and condominium association liens	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.22.11		X	
LB623	Lautenbaugh		Change effect of Industrial Relation Act petitions and provide provisions for counties encompassing a city of the metropolitan class	Business and Labor	2.7.11		X	
LB628	Cook	Speaker	Authorize certain political subdivisions to donate certain motor vehicles to charitable organizations	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.11.11	General File; Select File with ER67; Rtd to Select File for specific amendment; AM1400 adopted; Final Reading Second 43-1-5 5.18.11 Governor Approved 5.24.11	X	
LB631	Cook		Provide for a permanent early voting request list	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.24.11		X	

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LB638	Karpisek		Provide restrictions relating to sale of county records for commercial purposes	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs		Karpisek MO10 Withdraw bill filed; MO10 prevailed; Bill withdrawn	X	
LB643	Lautenbaugh		Provide additional public records that may be withheld	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	3.10.11		X	
LB658	Karpisek		Change the fee for obtaining a handgun certificate	Judiciary	2.23.11		X	
LB664	Nelson	Nelson	Repeal the Industrial Relations Act and the State Employees Collective Bargaining Act and prohibit public collective bargaining and work stoppage	Business and Labor	2.7.11		X	
LB669	Flood	Speaker	Change provisions relating to sealing of juvenile court records	Judiciary	2.24.11	General File with AM1342; AM1342 adopted; Select File with ER131; Coash AM1448 filed; Ashford AM1471 filed; Fulton AM1452 filed; ER131 adopted; AM1448, 1471 & 1452 adopted; Final Reading with ST42 with Emergency Clause 47-0-2 5.23.11 Governor Approved 5.26.11	X	
LB670	Flood	Flood	Authorize court-ordered conditions for dispositions under the Nebraska Juvenile Code	Judiciary	2.24.11	General File with AM1447; AM1447 adopted; Select File with ER137; Schilz AM2496 filed	X	Monitor
LB672	Flood		Provide an exemption from the documentary stamp tax	Revenue	2.3.11		X	

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LB674	Haar		Prohibit or restrict certain electronic monitoring of employees by employers	Business and Labor	3.7.11		X	Monitor
LB676	Lathrop		Change provisions relating to emergency protective custody under the Nebraska Mental Health Commitment Act	Judiciary	2.17.11		X	Monitor
LB681	Karpisek		Provide for distribution of a portion of keno tax proceeds for thoroughbred horseracing purses	General Affairs	2.7.11		X	
LB684	Schilz	Speaker	Change provisions relating to an advisory committee for travel and tourism	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	2.8.11	Schilz AM30 filed; General File with AM375; Schilz AM1190 filed; AM1190 withdrawn; AM375 adopted; AM30 withdrawn; Select File with ER104; Schilz AM1421 filed; ER104 adopted; AM1421 withdrawn; Final Reading 48-0-1 5.18.11 Governor Approved 5.24.11	X	
LB685	Schilz		Change provisions of the Nebraska Visitors Development Act relating to the use of funds and the members of committees	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	3.9.11	Schilz AM31 filed	X	Oppose

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LB688	Smith		Require certain law enforcement officers and firefighters to work until age fifty-five to receive full benefits and prohibit elective officers from receiving retirement benefits	Nebraska Retirement Systems	2.15.11		X	Monitor
LB709	Executive Board: Wightman, Chairperson		Revisor bill to repeal obsolete statutes relating to temporary zoning regulations that expired July 1, 2001	General File		Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading 45-0-4; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on February 07, 2012; Approved by Governor on February 13, 2012	x	
LB714	McCoy		Update references and change provisions in the Real Property Appraiser Act	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	1.17.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Dispensing of reading at large approved; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 49-0-0; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 01, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 07, 2012	x	

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LB718	Fischer		Change provisions relating to certificates of title, the distribution of titling fees, and registration fees for fleet vehicles	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.24.2012		x	
LB721	Larson		Redefine the term police animal	Judiciary	1.19.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB722	Coash		Authorize fines or costs to be deducted from a defendant's cash bond	Judiciary	2.24.2012	Judiciary AM2327 adopted; Placed on General File with AM2327; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER253	x	
LB729	Mello		Provide powers to an authority and change bond provisions under the Community Development Law	Urban Affairs	1.17.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB732	Mello		Provide procedures for the use of eminent domain by cities and villages for trails	Natural Resources	2.8.2012		x	
LB736	Schumacher		Require provision of secret-ballot envelopes for elections	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	1.25.2012		x	oppose
LB740	Schilz		Change provisions relating to farmers hauling hay and livestock forage vehicles	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.23.2012	Transportation and Telecommunications AM2212 filed; Placed on General File with AM2212; Transportation and Telecommunications AM2212 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER246	x	

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LB744	Schilz		Change provisions relating to court fees	Judiciary		Schilz MO67 Withdraw bill filed; bill withdrawn; Schilz MO67 prevailed	x	
LB750	Cornett	Lambert	Change provisions relating to comparable sales used for tax assessment	Revenue	1.20.2012	Revenue AM2183 filed; Placed on General File with AM2183; Revenue AM2183 adopted; Cornett AM2573 adopted; Enrollment and Review ER223 filed; Placed on Select File with ER223; Cornett AM2628 filed	x	
LB762	Louden		Change provisions relating to comparable sales for tax assessment	Revenue	1.20.2012		x	
LB765	Krist		Change bidding requirements relating to contracts with providers of certain health and social services as prescribed	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.13.2012		x	
LB769	Fischer		Change provisions relating to application for and issuance of operators' licenses and state identification cards	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.17.2012		x	support
LB772	Smith		Change provisions relating to the payment of salaries for county board members	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.2.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB785	Christensen		Authorize possession of firearms as prescribed	Judiciary	2.22.2012		x	

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LB787	McGill		Authorize inspection and regulation of staff secure facilities by the Jail Standards Board	Judiciary	1.26.2012	Judiciary AM2266 filed; Placed on General File with AM2266	x	
LB790	Coash		Transfers a county court judgeship to another district	Judiciary	1.18.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 38-8-3; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 08, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 14, 2012	x	
LB793	Lautenbaugh	Speaker	Limit frivolous civil actions filed by prisoners	Judiciary	1.20.2012	Judiciary AM2056 filed; Placed on General File with AM2056	x	
LB795	Avery		Change provisions relating to applying for membership in veterans homes	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.15.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB798	Urban Affairs Committee		Provide that certain assessments are levied and collected as special assessments	Revenue	2.22.2012		x	

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LB801	Fischer		Eliminate obsolete references to designated county officials	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.17.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading with ST66; Dispensing of reading at large approved; Passed on Final Reading 47-0-2; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 08, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 14, 2012	x	
LB802	Lautenbaugh		Authorize carrying of concealed handguns by certain authorities within the scope of their employment	Judiciary	1.25.2012		x	
LB818	Harr		Exempt certain deeds from the documentary stamp tax	Revenue	1.19.2012	Revenue AM1846 filed; Placed on General File with AM1846	x	
LB822	Adams		Change notice provisions relating to changes in real property valuations	Revenue	1.19.2012	Revenue AM2313 adopted; Placed on General File with AM2313; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB823	Adams		Change duties of county treasurers	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.2.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER235	x	
LB827	Dubas		Require mediation for budget disputes between a county board and a county officer	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.8.2012		x	

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LB832	Howard		Require a report on qualifications by proposed appointee as chief executive officer of the Department of Health and Human Services	Health and Human Services	1.18.2012		x	
LB833	Krist		Change provisions relating to surcharges for 911 services	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.13.2012	Placed on General File	x	
LB836	Pahls		Change provisions relating to deposit and investment of public funds in certificates of deposit and time deposits	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	1.17.2012	Placed on General File with AM1700 ; Banking, Commerce and Insurance AM1700 filed; Banking, Commerce and Insurance AM1700 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 49-0-0; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 01, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 07, 2012	x	
LB839	Council		Require reporting of sexual misconduct by a school employee	Judiciary	1.25.2012		x	
LB840	Council		Provide powers and duties relating to inmate mail	Judiciary	1.27.2012		x	
LB846	Sullivan		Require employers to maintain employee emergency contact information	Business and Labor	1.23.2012		x	

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LB847	Sullivan		Change the Enhanced Wireless 911 Services Act	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.13.2012		x	
LB851	Fischer		Change provisions relating to tax receipts	Revenue	1.19.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB859	Avery		Provide funding for renovation of Centennial Mall	Appropriations	1.23.2012		x	
LB861	Cornett		Change hours of sale provisions under the Nebraska Liquor Control Act	General Affairs	1.23.2012	Placed on General File; Placed on Select File; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading 44-0-5; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 27, 2012	x	
LB865	McGill		Authorize the voluntary waiver of compensation by jurors	Judiciary	1.18.2012	Judiciary AM2305 adopted; Placed on General File with AM2305; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB866	Haar		Adopt the Nebraska Fair Employment Opportunity Act	Business and Labor	1.23.2012		x	
LB867	Karpisek	Nebraska Retirement Systems	Change employer contribution provisions under certain county retirement plans	nebraska Retirement Systems Committee	2.06.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER218; Enrollment and Review ER218 filed; Enrollment and Review ER218 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment	x	

LB/LR	Sponsor	Priority	One-Liner	Committee	Hearing Date	Status	LC	LC Position
LB871	Gloor		Provide for policies relating to fees and copays relating to the Behavioral Health Services Act	Health and Human Services	1.20.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Enrollment and Review ER183 filed; Placed on Select File with ER183; Enrollment and Review ER183 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Passed on Final Reading 47-0-2; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 08, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 14, 2012	x	
LB878	Wallman		Change election calendar, vacancy, ballot, and counting machine provisions	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	1.25.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading; Dispensing of reading at large approved; Passed on Final Reading 47-0-2; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 08, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 14, 2012	x	

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LB879	Pahls		Change a security requirement for depositories of public funds	Banking, Commerce and Insurance	1.23.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final reading; Dispensing of reading at large approved; Passed on Final Reading 49-0-0; President/Speaker signed; Presented to Governor on March 01, 2012; Approved by Governor on March 07, 2012	x	
LB881	Coash		Change medical services payment provisions relating to jails and correctional facilities	Judiciary	1.27.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	support
LB897	Pahls		Change provisions relating to the completion of tax lists	Revenue	2.15.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	

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LB902	Harr	Harr	Redefine a term relating to property tax exemptions and change provisions relating to a sales tax exemption for purchases by the state or a governmental unit	Revenue	2.9.2012	Placed on General File with AM2281; Revenue AM2281 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Flood Unanimous consent to expedite. No objections. So ordered; Placed on Select File with ER213; Enrollment and Review ER213 filed; Enrollment and Review ER213 adopted; Harr AM2466 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading with ST70; Harr AM2563 adopted; Schumacher AM2638 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Reengrossment	x	
LB910	Lautenbaugh		Define "certified traffic personnel" and authorize their use at special events	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.24.2012		x	
LB912	McCoy		Provide requirements for local laws regulating discrimination	Judiciary	2.22.2012		x	
LB914	McGill		Change provisions relating to reductions in sex offender registration periods	Judiciary	2.22.2012		x	
LB917	Cornett		Change truancy provisions for absences relating to military employment activities	Judiciary	2.13.2012		x	
LB918	Cornett		Change provisions of the Community Development Law	Urban Affairs	1.24.2012		x	

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LB919	Schilz		Change court fees, sheriff's fees, and handgun certificate fees	Judiciary	2.8.2012		x	
LB922	Mello		Change provisions relating to vehicle load contents and spillage	Transportation and Telecommunications			x	
LB930	Brasch		Allow operation of golf car vehicles on highways as prescribed	Transportation and Telecommunications	1.30.2012	Transportation and Telecommunications AM2272 filed; Placed on General File with AM2272	x	
LB931	Karpisek		Change provisions relating to flood protection and water quality enhancement bonds	Natural Resources	1.20.2012		x	
LB932	Krist		Provide voting rights for residents of sanitary and improvement districts	Urban Affairs	1.24.2012	Indefinitely postponed	x	
LB933	Ashford	Langemeier	Change provisions relating to truancy	Judiciary	2.13.2012	Judiciary AM2001 filed; Placed on General File with AM2001; Langemeier AM2245 filed; Judiciary AM2001 adopted; Langemeier AM2245 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Enrollment and Review ER201 filed; Placed on Select File with ER201; Enrollment and Review ER201 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment	x	
LB934	Karpisek		Provide for appointment of all election commissioners by the county board	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.1.2012		x	

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LB937	Smith		Regulate dealers in the business of buying and reselling precious items	Judiciary	2.16.2012		x	
LB956	Ashford		Authorize an increase in city sales tax rates	Revenue	2.16.2012		x	
LB967	Schumacher		Change an interest rate relating to delinquent taxes and special assessments	Revenue	2.15.2012	Schumacher AM1998 filed	x	
LB970	Cornett	McCoy	Terminate the inheritance tax and change income tax rates and calculation	Revenue	1.26.2012	Revenue AM2391 filed; Placed on General File with AM2391; Cornett FA50 filed; Cornett FA57 filed; Cornett AM2572 adopted; Revenue AM2391 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER224	x	oppose
LB972	Ashford	Judiciary	Transfer the youth rehabilitation and treatment centers from the Office of Juvenile Services to the Department of Correctional Services	Judiciary	1.26.2012	Placed on General File with AM2598	x	
LB973	Coash		Provide for the use of retirement benefits to pay civil damages	nebraska Retirement Systems Committee	1.31.2012		x	
LB975	Smith		Adopt the Fair Bidding Act	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.22.2012	Smith AM1937 filed	x	
LB977	Mello		Adopt the Property Tax Relief Act	Revenue	2.8.2012		x	

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LB981	Ashford		Appropriate funds for renovation of certain living units at the Youth Rehabilitation and Treatment Center-Kearney	Appropriations	2.6.2012		x	
LB985	Krist		Provide for a juvenile justice pilot program	Judiciary	1.26.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment; Placed on Final Reading	x	
LB988	Howard		Provide a rate of payment for certain medical services in emergency protective custody situations	Health and Human Services	1.27.2012		x	monitor
LB999	Price		Authorize the display of an honor and remember flag at public buildings	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.15.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB1000	McGill		Change certain marriage related fees	Judiciary	2.1.2012		x	
LB1009	Ashford		Provide that probation records are not subject to disclosure	Judiciary	2.2.2012		x	
LB1011	Dubas		Adopt the Property Tax Relief Act	Revenue	2.23.2012		x	
LB1012	Lautenbaugh		Change medical treatment and temporary disability provisions under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Business and Labor	1.30.2012		x	

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LB1014	Conrad		Authorize the Auditor of Public Accounts to conduct a performance audit of the Department of Roads	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.9.2012		x	
LB1035	Sullivan		Provide for automatic nomination of airport authority board members as prescribed	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.1.2012	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs AM1900 filed; Placed on General File with AM1900; Government, Military and Veterans Affairs AM1900 adopted; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER237	x	
LB1040	Schilz		Change provisions relating to snow removal on state highways and encroachments and regulation of state rights-of-way	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.6.2012		x	
LB1046	Harr		Change provisions relating to law enforcement certification and continuing education	Judiciary	2.16.2012	Placed on General File	x	
LB1052	Christensen		Change provisions relating to maintenance of drainage facilities on county roads	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.6.2012		x	
LB1061	Heidemann	Hedemann	Change provisions relating to valuation of agricultural land	Revenue	2.8.2012		x	

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LB1067	Karpisek	Karpisek	Change restrictions on keno	General Affairs	1.30.2012	General Affairs AM1961 filed; Placed on General File with AM1961; Karpisek AM2260 filed; Karpisek AM2260 withdrawn; General Affairs AM1961 adopted; Christensen AM2270 filed; Christensen AM2270 lost; Failed to advance to Enrollment and Review Initial	x	
LB1069	Wightman		Change provisions relating to tax sales to collect delinquent property taxes	Revenue	2.15.2012		x	
LB1070	Wightman		Change eligibility provisions for petitioning on the general election ballot	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.1.2012	Placed on General File	x	
LB1075	Cornett		Provide for assessment of rent-restricted housing projects by the Property Tax Administrator	Revenue	2.23.2012		x	
LB1076	Karpisek		Change requirements for copies of public records and speaking at public meetings	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.22.2012		x	
LB1091	Fischer	Speaker	Adopt the Prepaid Wireless Surcharge Act and eliminate certain charges on prepaid wireless service	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.13.2012	Placed on General File; Krist AM2559 filed	x	
LB1093	Hadley		Change provisions relating to foreclosure proceedings for delinquent real estate taxes	Revenue	2.15.2012		x	

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LB1094	Harms		Provide for an election in certain counties to require elections by mail	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.8.2012		x	
LB1095	Larson		Provide for Beef State license plates	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.7.2012		x	
LB1096	Ashford		Prohibit entry into a motor vehicle without permission of the owner or for the purpose of committing a crime	Judiciary	2.24.2012		x	
LB1098	Council		Repeal the Build Nebraska Act and change distribution of sales and use tax revenue	Revenue	2.16.2012		x	
LB1099	Council		Change expense provisions under the Nebraska Juvenile Code	Judiciary	2.23.2012		x	
LB1101	Wightman		Change provisions relating to election of county assessors	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs	2.8.2012	Placed on General File; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File with ER240	x	
LB1102	Wightman	Wightman	Change inheritance tax rates and exemption amounts	Revenue	2.8.2012		x	
LB1107	Pirsch		Change provisions relating to the movement of vehicles and other property after an accident and provide immunity	Judiciary	2.8.2012		x	

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LB1112	Flood		Change provisions relating to state highway system plans	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.6.2012		x	
LB1121	Lambert		Change signature requirements for recall petitions for sanitary and improvement districts	Urban Affairs	2.7.2012	Urban Affairs AM1872 adopted; Placed on General File with AM1872; Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial; Placed on Select File	x	
LB1132	McGill	Speaker	Change the Community Development Law	Urban Affairs	2.14.2012		x	
LB1134	Avery		Change agency procedures for eminent domain	Judiciary	2.15.2012		x	
LB1150	McGill		Adopt the Young Adult Voluntary Foster Care Services Act	Health and Human Services	2.2.2012		x	monitor
LB1151	Iathrop	Business and Labor	Eliminate a sunset provision under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act relating to certain first responder injuries	Business and Labor	1.30.2012		x	
LB1166	Ashford		Eliminate certain elective county offices when approved by the voters and provide for appointments	Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs		Ashford MO75 prevailed; Howard AM1731 filed; Bill withdrawn	x	
LB1167	Lautenbaugh		Require certain provisions in highway and bridge construction and maintenance contracts	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.14.2012	Indefinitely postponed	x	

LB/LR	Sponsor	Priority	One-Liner	Committee	Hearing Date	Status	LC	LC Position
LR2CA	Harms		Constitutional amendment to authorize county manager form of county government	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs	2.25.11		X	
LR3CA	Fischer		Constitutional amendment to authorize pledge of state sales and use taxes for highway bonds	Transportation and Telecommunications	2.1.11		X	
LR9CA	Schilz		Constitutional amendment to change agricultural and horticultural land valuation	Revenue	3.3.11		X	
LR29CA	Nelson		Constitutional amendment to prohibit government from engaging in collective bargaining	Business and Labor	2.7.11	Indefinitely postponed	X	

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Hearings and BOE Testimony

<u># Protest</u>	<u>Referee Cost</u>	<u>Coor. Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>	<u>\$/Parcel</u>	<u># Protest</u>
8,000	\$336,000	\$120,000	\$456,000	\$57	8,000
10,000	\$400,000	\$130,000	\$530,000	\$53	10,000
12,000	\$456,000	\$144,000	\$600,000	\$50	12,000
14,000	\$532,000	\$168,000	\$700,000	\$50	14,000

Hearings and No BOE Testimony					
<u># Protest</u>	<u>Referee Cost</u>	<u>Coor. Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>	<u>\$/Parcel</u>	<u># Protest</u>
8,000	\$336,000	\$102,000	\$438,000	\$55	8,000
10,000	\$400,000	\$110,500	\$510,500	\$51	10,000
12,000	\$456,000	\$122,400	\$578,400	\$48	12,000
14,000	\$532,000	\$142,800	\$674,800	\$48	14,000

No Hearings and Only BOE Testimony

<u># Protest</u>	<u>Referee Cost</u>	<u>Coor. Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>	<u>\$/Parcel</u>	<u># Protest</u>
8,000	\$168,000	\$150,000	\$318,000	\$40	8,000
10,000	\$200,000	\$162,500	\$362,500	\$36	10,000
12,000	\$228,000	\$180,000	\$408,000	\$34	12,000
14,000	\$266,000	\$210,000	\$476,000	\$34	14,000

No Hearings and No BOE Testimony					
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8,000	\$168,000	\$102,000	\$270,000	\$34	8,000
10,000	\$200,000	\$110,500	\$310,500	\$31	10,000
12,000	\$228,000	\$122,400	\$350,400	\$29	12,000
14,000	\$266,000	\$142,800	\$408,800	\$29	14,000

-Based on estimated Referee labor costs.

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Regarding the transition and divestment possibility of CMHC, there are some huge budget considerations if the integrated mental health service system is fractured and parceled out to other vendors/providers.

CMHC did prepare a 2013 budget for the County Board with a 3% reduction of County Property Tax monies - \$77,000 less support from the County or another Outpatient Therapist if you want a face and impact.

We received a request at the same time from Region V Systems to increase Lancaster County Mental Health contribution by \$59,442. Region V's annual support now amounts to \$638,941 from Lancaster County. It is 73% of the total county contributions of all 16 counties in Region V.

Other projected costs to be paid by Lancaster County should the County Board vote to go forward with breaking apart a very successful comprehensive Mental Health Center are:

Staff sick leave and vacation leave paid out - estimate \$1,000,000

staff unemployment estimate \$250,000

General Assistance purchase of services estimate from other vendors \$300,000 - \$400,000

2 - 3 FTEs will be needed to added to the Crisis Center staffing if the CMHC support staff are no longer available to help with that program: Information Services, Human Resources, Coding & Billing and Bookkeeping.


Dean Settle, Director
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