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# NEBRASKA REAL PROPERTY APPRAISER BOARD PROPOSED CHANGES TO TITLE 298 OF THE NEBRASKA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

The Nebraska Real Property Appraiser Board ("Board") will hold a public hearing at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 21, 2016 in the Nebraska Real Property Appraiser Board Office on the 1st Floor of the Nebraska State Office Building at 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska for proposed changes to Title 298 of the Nebraska Administrative Code. These changes represent the first major overall of Title 298 in years.

The proposed changes to Title 298 address changes to the Nebraska Real Property Appraiser Act ("Act") that became effective in 2015, and include restructuring and changes to all chapters of Title 298 to provide clarity, address inconsistencies, address issues concerning the administration and enforcement of Title 298, and to harmonize the language between the Act, the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice, and Title 298. To accomplish this, the Board proposes the outright repeal of chapters one through eleven, and the addition of new chapters one through nine.

Draft copies of all rules and regulations to be adopted, amended, or repealed are available for examination at the Nebraska Real Property Appraiser Board office, Monday through Friday, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., and on the Nebraska Secretary of State's website at <a href="http://www.sos.ne.gov/rules-and-regs/regtrack/index.cgi">http://www.sos.ne.gov/rules-and-regs/regtrack/index.cgi</a>. A description of the fiscal impact may also be examined at the Nebraska Real Property Appraiser Board office, Monday through Friday, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. All interested persons are invited to attend and testify orally or by written submission at the hearing. Interested persons may also submit written comments prior to hearing which will be made part of the hearing record at the time of hearing if received by the Nebraska Real Property Appraiser Board on or before January 20, 2016. If auxiliary aids or reasonable accommodations are needed to participate in the hearing, or if hearing impaired, please contact the Board's office at 402-471-9015 by no later than Tuesday, January 19, 2016.

## **Board Members**

Chairman of the Board Thomas W. Kubert, Lincoln Certified General Appraiser 1st District Representative Term Expires: January 1, 2016

Vice Chairman of the Board Marc V. Woodle, Omaha Certified General Appraiser 2<sup>nd</sup> District Representative Term Expires: January 1, 2017

### **Board Member**

Chris R. Langemeier, Schuyler Certified General Appraiser Licensed Real Estate Broker Rep Term Expires: January 1, 2018

#### **Board Member**

Larry D. Saxton, Omaha Certified General Appraiser Financial Institutions Rep Term Expires: January 1, 2019

### **Board Member**

Sandra J. Gutwein, Scottsbluff Certified General Appraiser 3<sup>rd</sup> District Representative Term Expires: January 1, 2020



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