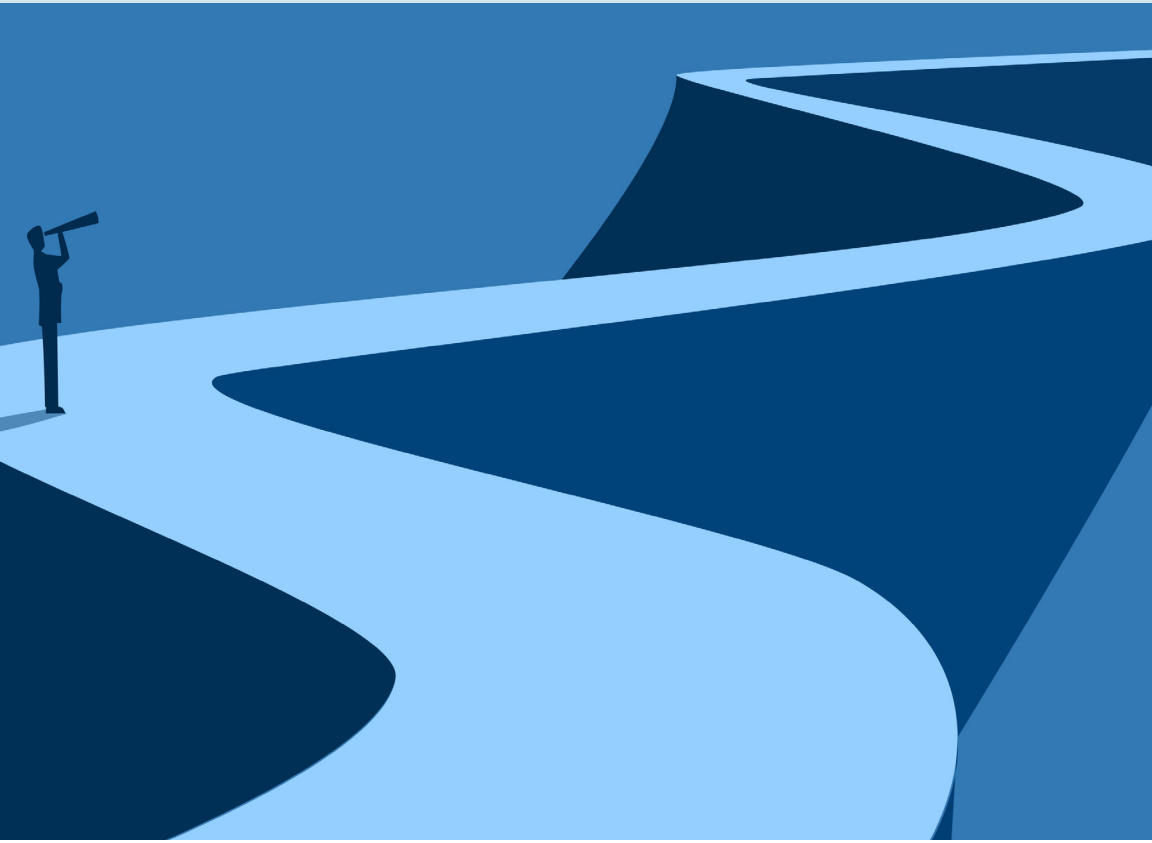
2027 NASB BOARD PRESIDENT RETREAT

FEBRUARY 15, 2027
HOLIDAY INN - KEARNEY

WHEN COMMUNITY CONFIDENCE IS AT A CROSSROADS

This interactive workshop is designed to address CRISIS—CLARITY—DIRECTION for the board and superintendent. We will explore and define how reality, priorities, leadership and action can lead to improved student success.



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REGISTER NOW FOR THE BOARD PRESIDENT RETREAT

CALL TO ORDER: WELCOME TO THE BOARD TABLE

Congratulations, and welcome to the board table! The NASB Board President Retreat will empower you to be a driver for student success by strengthening your understanding of board governance and superintendent leadership. The workshop offers valuable insights and practical strategies designed for board officers, board members, and superintendents, individuals of all experience levels will benefit.

TO REGISTER:
Go to **www.NASBonline.org** and log in using your email and password using the top left 'My Membership' tab. If you do not have an email and password to log in or have forgotten it, please contact NASB at 402-423-4951 for assistance.

Registration fees for the event are as follows:

Member Registration	$170
Cancellation Fee	$25

Registration Deadline - Wednesday, February 10, 2027
No refunds after the deadline. No non-member attendees.
15 AWARDS OF ACHIEVEMENT POINTS WILL BE EARNED FOR ATTENDING

SUGGESTED AUDIENCE:
Board Presidents, Officers, Board Members, Superintendents, and ESU Administrators

PRESENTERS:
Marcia Herring, Stacie Higgins & Stephanie Summers - NASB Board Leadership

AGENDA:
8:30 AM - Registration & Breakfast
- Crisis, Clarity, and Direction
- January through June Board Meeting Agenda

12:00 PM - Lunch with a Side of Scenarios
- July through December Board Meeting Agenda

3:00 PM - Evaluation and Adjourn

To reserve your hotel rate of $139.95 at the Holiday Inn - Kearney (110 2nd Avenue) in the NASB block please call 308-237-5971 by January 14, 2027.

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WORKSHOP SETTING

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Experience one year in the life of the board-superintendent when the district's challenges become impossible to ignore.

Meet Nebraskaland Public Schools, a fictional district facing declining student achievement, staffing challenges, growing concerns about student behavior and safety, and a community increasingly questioning the direction of its schools. Public pressure is mounting. Social media attention is growing. The board and superintendent are being challenged to respond, restore confidence, and demonstrate that meaningful progress is underway. Is this a temporary period of community frustration, or a turning point that demands a different approach to leadership?

Step Into the Challenge: The 2027 NASB Board President Retreat, will allow participants to step into the Nebraskaland case study and work through the decisions facing a board and superintendent under pressure. Together, we will explore how to:

- Assess reality and identify the most urgent concerns affecting student success, district culture, community trust, and leadership.
- Prioritize what matters, examine the strategic plan goals and determine the issues that demand immediate attention, which will have the greatest impact, and which require sustained, long-term effort.
- Strengthen board-superintendent leadership and clarify governance responsibilities, administrative leadership, communication expectations, and shared accountability.
- Take action, establish priorities, isolate the measures of progress, and determine what the board and superintendent must accomplish throughout the coming year.

Participants will help Nebraskaland determine how to respond to immediate challenges without losing sight of long-term student success. The work will connect the district's strategic direction to the board's annual work, ensuring that policy, budget decisions, governance practices, and accountability remain focused on what matters most.

Join us for a day of practical problem-solving, candid discussion, and collaborative leadership. Leave better prepared to navigate difficult conversations, align decisions with strategic priorities, and guide your district forward with purpose.

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