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INNOVATION VISION ENGAGEMENT LEADERSHIP 2020 STATE EDUCATION CONFERENCE | LIVE! NOVEMBER 18-20 STREAMING ON DEMAND THROUGH DECEMBER 31

GROWING GREATNESS, FROM THE COMFORTS OF HOME ...

A little different look to the State Education Conference this year. While not how we envisioned this year's Conference to look, we are still able to deliver 3-days of school leaders networking, sharing, and learning. Takeaways from this year's virtual Conference include:

> Two engaging Pre-Conference sessions titled 'Risk Dial Turned Red' and 'A Silver Lining to Digital Learning in the COVID Era'.

> > 40 breakout sessions

Commissioner Matt Blomstedt opened the conference looking back on the past year, and looking forward to the future.

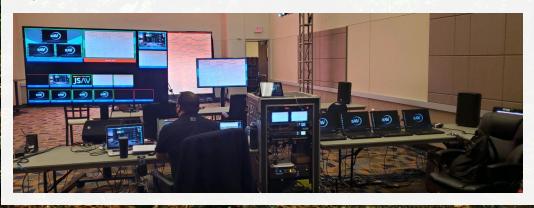
A State of Your State Association presented by NASB's John Spatz, highlighting everything NASB is and does to help you become more interconnected as a community leader.

Exhibitor Engagement, Hollywood Squares, Networking and More!

Head to the State Education Conference page of www.NASBonline.org now to ...

Register to view on demand, any and all sessions now through December 31, 2020.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to join us live, or plans to "attend" and view sessions throughout December. We look forward to seeing you face to face in 2021 and beyond! Mark your calendars now for the 2021 State Education Conference, scheduled for November 17-19, 2021, back at the CHI Health Center - downtown Omaha!



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NOVEMBER 2020

UPCOMING INFO & EVENTS

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2020 STATE EDUCATION CONFERENCE **GROWING GREATNESS** ON DEMAND THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2020 http://members.nasbonline.org/index.php/state-education-conference

BE SURE TO REGISTER FOR THE PRE-CONFERENCES AS WELL ... "RISK DIAL TURNED RED" "A SILVER LINING: DIGITAL LEARNING IN THE COVID ERA"

NEW BOARD MEMBER WORKSHOPS & WEBINARS STARTING NOVEMBER 30, 2020 5:50 TO 8:30 PM CT

BOARD ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES - NOV 30/DEC 1, 2 & 3 OPEN MEETINGS LAW/ADVOCACY - DECEMBER 7, 8, 9, & 10 AT THE BOARD TABLE - JANUARY 4, 5, 6 & 7, 2021 BOARD LEADERSHIP - FEBRUARY 1, 2, 3 & 4, 2021

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6 FIRST DAY OF THE 2021 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BOARD MEMBER SEATING AFTER AN ELECTION MONDAY, JANUARY 4 - 1ST MONDAY OF THE MONTH TUESDAY, JANUARY 5 - 1ST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH THURSDAY, JANUARY 7 - TERMS EXPIRE ON THE FIRST THURSDAY AFTER THE FIRST TUESDAY

ANY MEETING HELD AFTER THURSDAY, JANUARY 7 WILL NEED TO HAVE THE SWEARING IN OF NEW MEMBERS AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS!

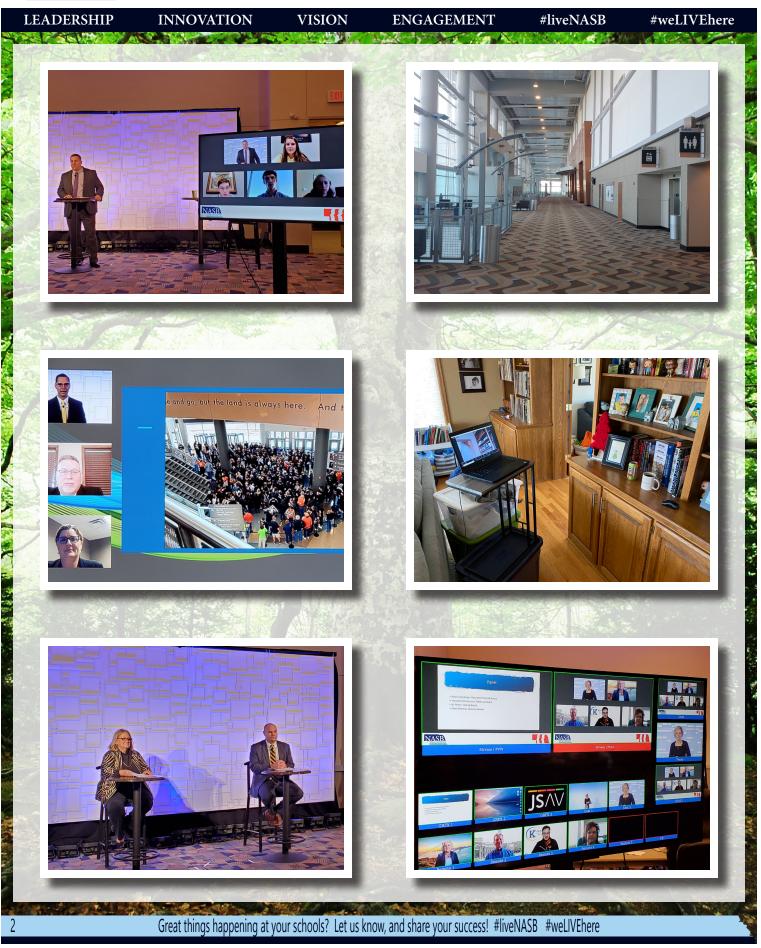
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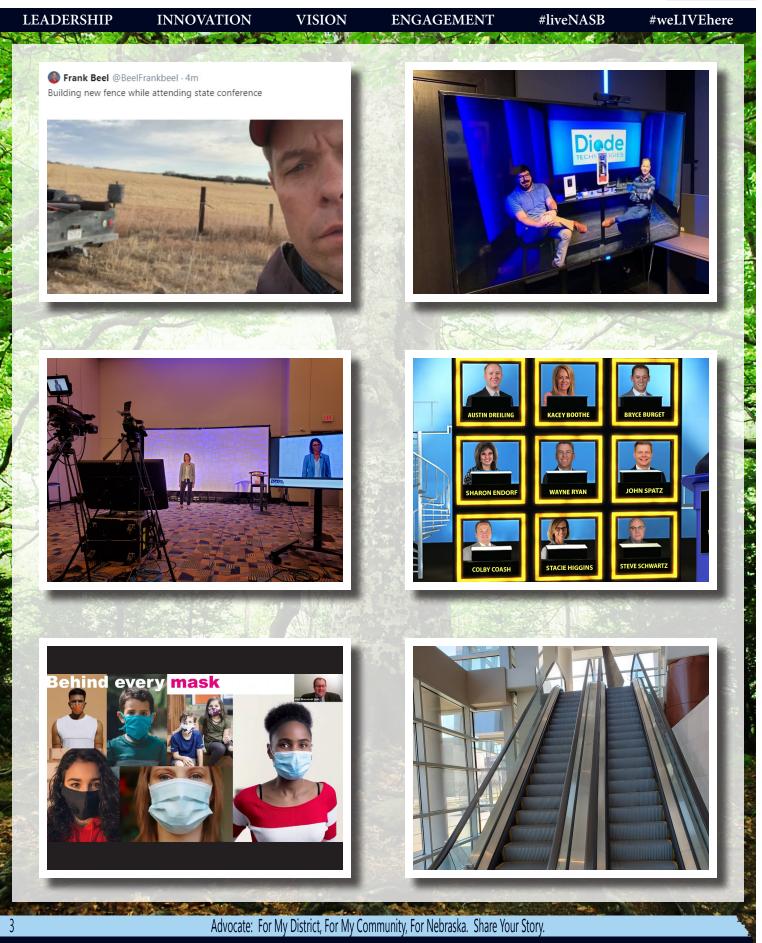


GROWING GREATNESS: IN PHOTOS



STATE CONFERENCE: SOCIALLY DISTANCED







THE ANNUAL PASSING OF THE GAVEL?

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What's next? New year, same NASB Officers.

At the annual NASB Delegate Assembly, which was held virtually this year, the assembly voted to renew the terms of the four NASB officers for an additional year. Keeping their current roles are:

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- Stacie Higgins President (Nebraska City Public Schools)
- Brad Wilkins President-Elect (Ainsworth Community Schools)
- Kim Burry Vice President (Bayard Public Schools)
- Steve Blocher Past-President (West Point Public Schools)



ELECTION UPDATE

The dust has settled, and we now know the players for the upcoming Legislative Session, and other key state and federal offices.

		<u>1st Elected</u>			<u>1st Elected</u>
District 1	Julie Slama	2019	District 26	Matt Hansen	2014
District 2	Robert Clements	2017	District 27	Anna Wishart	2016
District 3	Carol Blood	2016	District 28	Patty Pansing Brooks	2014
District 4	Robert Hilkemann	2014	District 29	Eliot Bostar	2020
District 5	Mike McDonnell	2016	District 30	Myron Dorn	2018
District 6	Machaela Cavanaugh	2018	District 31	Rich Pahls	2005
District 7	Tony Vargas [∗]	2016	District 32	Tom Brandt	2018
District 8	Megan Hunt	2018	District 33	Steve Halloran	2016
District 9	John Cavanaugh	2020	District 34	Curt Friesen	2014
District 10	Wendy DeBohr	2018	District 35	Raymond Aguilar	1999
District 11	Terrell McKinney	2020	District 36	Matt Williams	2014
District 12	Steve Lathrop	2007	District 37	John Lowe	2016
District 13	Justin Wayne*	2016	District 38	Dave Murman*	2018
District 14	John Arch	2018	District 39	Lou Ann Linehan	2016
District 15	Lynne Walz	2016	District 40	Tim Gragert*	2018
District 16	Ben Hansen	2018	District 41	Tom Briese*	2016
District 17	Joni Albrecht	2016	District 42	Mike Groene	2014
District 18	Brett Lindstrom	2014	District 43	Tom Brewer	2016
District 19	Mike Flood	2005	District 44	Dan Hughes*	2014
District 20	John McCollister	2014	District 45	Rita Sanders	2020
District 21	Mike Hilgers	2016	District 46	Adam Morfeld	2014
District 22	Mike Moser	2018	District 47	Steve Erdman*	2016
District 23	Bruce Bostelman	2016	District 48	John Stinner*	2014
District 24	Mark Kolterman*	2014	District 49	Jen Day	2020
District 25	Suzanne Geist	2016		* Former School Board Membe	er

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AT THE BOARD TABLE

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NOVEMBER/DECEMBER BOARD MEETING TOPICS

MISSION, VISION & GOALS

- Review School Improvement Plan
- Strategic Plan Update; District Goals Update

POLICY GOVERNANCE

• Review, update, and adopt policy

ACCOUNTABILITY & STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- Career Education Content Areas Revision begins Dec 2020 to be implemented in Schools August 1, 2022
- See the NDE Standards Revision Timeline at: https://cdn.education.ne.gov/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/TandL-Standards-Timeline-ONLY-2019.pdf

ADVOCACY

Review the 2021 Legislative Session Calendar
<u>https://www.nebraskalegislature.gov/pdf/session/2021tentativecalendar.pdf</u>

DISTRICT/ESU RESOURCES [BUDGET]

• ESU Annual Financial Report – On or before January 31, the ESU Administrator of each ESU will submit to the Commissioner of Education an Annual Financial Report. § 79-1229

REPORTS

- Board Committees; Superintendent; Administrators
- Review the NDE State of Schools Report

BOARD-SUPERINTENDENT RELATIONS

• Review the Superintendent Evaluation Summary

BOARD PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

• NASB New Board Member Workshops Modules I, II, II, and IV start Monday, November 30

LEARNING COMMUNITY

 Report Evaluation and Research Results. On or before January 1, each learning community coordinating council shall use any funds received pursuant to section 79-1241.03 for evaluation of programs related to the community achievement plan. § 79-2104.02

BOARD ELECTION

• Notify the County Clerk/Election Commissioner. On or before January 5, the board must notify the County Clerk of Election Commissioner of the member seats open for the upcoming election.



NEW BOARD MEMBER WORKSHOP & WEBINARS

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NASB Member: \$100/person Non-Member: \$200/person

Registration Deadline for the LIVE 4-Module Webinars is November 29

Each LIVE module will address a fundamental component of board service, scenarios for each area of board leadership, and will be provided on four different evenings from 5:50pm-8:30pm. Participant registration will include the opportunity to participate in any of the offered dates for each module and will also include the new board member publication.

Module I – Board Role and Responsibilities Offered Nov 30/Dec 1, 2 & 3, 2020 Topics include: Board Code of Conduct, Roles and Responsibilities, & Board Standards

Module II – Open Meetings Law/Advocacy Offered December 7, 8, 9, & 10, 2020 Topics include: Open Meetings Law, NDE Rule 10, & Advocacy

Module III – At the Board Table Offered January 4, 5, 6 & 7, 2021 Topics include: Board Operations, Board Meeting Protocol, & Board Committees

Module IV – Board Leadership Offered February 1, 2, 3 & 4, 2021 Topics include: Board-Superintendent Relations, Superintendent Evaluation, & School Finance

DATES FOR BOARD MEETING SEATING AFTER ELECTION Statute 79-4, 129

Tuesday, November 3, 2020 - Election Date

Friday, January 1, 2021 - 1st date of the new year

Monday, January 4, 2021 - 1st Monday of the month meetings

Tuesday, January 5, 2021 - 1st Tuesday in January 2021

Thursday, January 7, 2021 - Term expires on the first Thursday after the first Tuesday in January

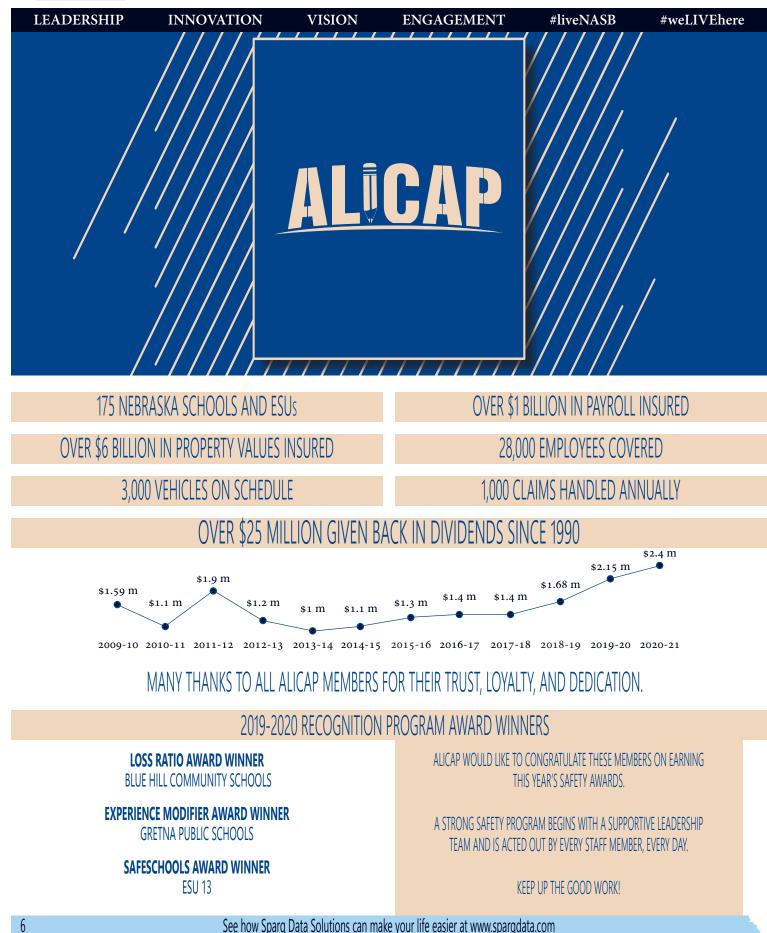
Monday, January 11, 2021 - 2nd Monday of the month meetings

Any meetings held after Thursday, January 7 will need to have the swearing in of new members and election of officers.

Thank you for the work you are doing for Nebraska's students. Your NASB Board Leadership Team - Marcia, Kori, Melissa, and Karla. Please call us if we can support you in any way 800-422-4572

Searching for a new Superintendent? Contact Shari Becker at 800-422-4572 or visit www.NASBsuptsearch.org

NASALICAP RECOGNIZES ITS ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS



GAZILLIONS OF GALLONS: PRODUCING HAND SANITIZER FOR SCHOOLS



My name is Jan tenBensel and I am Chairman of the Nebraska Ethanol Board. In addition to that, I have served on the Cambridge Public Schools Board of Education.

While this is simply a brief summary of this project and I fail to mention all of the 100's of people that helped make this happen, I wanted to highlight the work of Dr. Hunter Flodman, Associate Professor of Practice, Department of Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering with UNL's College of Engineering. Without his chemistry know-how this project would have never been able to get off the ground. Dr. Flodman is also a product of public education in Nebraska as a graduate of Lakeview Public Schools!

This journey started in late March with a phone call from Jeff Carver at BASF. We discussed the shortage of hand sanitizer and how to encourage commercial production.

After conferring with Dr. Hunter Flodman, the Technical advisor, and Roger Berry of the Nebraska Ethanol Board we contacted the Governors office to begin figuring out a way to mass produce hand sanitizer as soon as possible, here in the state of Nebraska.

The decision was made to partner with the University of Nebraska at Lincoln at the Food Processing Center on Innovation Campus.

This began a whirlwind of procurement of raw materials, ingredients, processing equipment and containers. I called everyone I could think of who had supplies that could help.

Now, we had some barriers. We realized we could never pass Fire Marshal Code doing a project inside a university building, so we designed a "farmer style" mixing facility to go in a parking lot at campus, where a large tent was set up inside a secure fence. Within a few days of that very first phone call, we were in production of UNL hand sanitizer.

In the early days, we did public distributions in hot spot communities and counties, such as South Sioux City, Grand Island, Hastings, Kearney, Lexington, among others. The idea was to get sanitizer to front line workers at businesses who had to be in contact with the public. Next, how do we get the sanitizer to the K-12 school systems? After contacting the ESUs we distributed in excess of 75,000 gals to the k-12 schools across Nebraska.

This is just a glimpse. In the end we produced in excess of hundreds of thousands of gallons of high quality hand sanitizer with a retail value of 20-30 million dollars all given away free of charge.

Without the help of my good friend and colleague, Dr. Hunter Flodman, this would have never been possible. There were many others who gave so much and did whatever was asked of them. This was a true effort of Nebraskans coming together to help Nebraska.



Worrying about the budget pinch? By next school year, be a member of NJUMP/CJUMP. Contact Jim Luebbe at iluebbe@NASBonline.org to learn more!



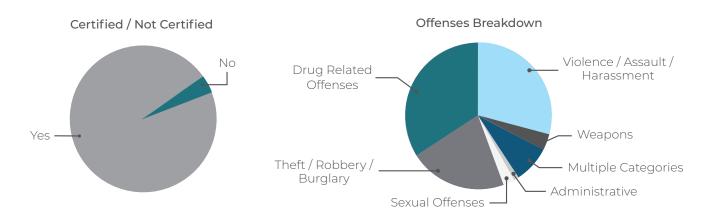
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Here is a glance at last quarters One Source Certified Contractors report:



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... ALICAP & INSURANCE

INNOVATION

ALICAP's Annual Membership Meeting which usually takes place on Wednesday at 4:00 PM while in Omaha for the State Education Conference, was canceled. However, ALICAP's team will be recording the meeting's presentation and posting it online at <u>www.ALICAP.org</u> by December 1st.

Watch for an email from ALICAP's director, Megan Boldt, for more details.

Thanks, Megan!

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... MEMBER ENGAGEMENT

We missed seeing all of you in person at the 2020 State Education Conference! Our team worked hard to quickly shift the Conference from hybrid to 100% virtual. If you didn't have a chance to watch any sessions when they premiered, you can still view the content on demand through December 31. Registration will stay open until December 31 as well.

> Looking forward to seeing many of you soon! Sharon



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... POLICY

Policy 402.15 Staff Conduct With Students was recently revised to meet the requirements of LB1080 passed in this year's Legislative session. We first created this policy about 15 years ago when several news making incidents of inappropriate behavior between school staff and students were reported across the nation. These events are traumatic not just to the victims and their families, but to the entire community. Unfortunately, these types of incidents are still going on and the Legislature has gotten more prescriptive about its expectations. A specific definition of grooming was included in the statute and is now in the policy. The new statute also prohibits teachers from engaging in a dating or romantic relationship with a student or former student within one year of the student's graduation or end of enrollment.

Contact Jim to learn more!

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... SEARCH, STRENGTHS & AWARDS

EDUCATION LEADERSHIP SEARCH SERVICE

Contact Shari at <u>sbecker@NASBonline.org</u> for a proposal to facilitate a search for your next Superintendent/ESU Administrator. Applicants - contact Anne at <u>asilknitter@NASBonline.org</u> to hear about the new online application process and discuss openings.

Visit <u>www.nasbsuptsearch.org</u> to view current openings: Dundy County Stratton Humboldt-Table Rock-Steinauer (HTRS) Lyons-Decatur Northeast Pleasanton Ponca Wakefield

AWARDS OF ACHIEVEMENT

Contact Lisa at lsteinkuhler@NASBonline.org for questions on points.

GALLUP STRENGTHSFINDER Gallup has 34 CliftonStrengths Themes. One of those is *Focus*.

Focus describes people who gain energy the closer they get to a task. When you set goals, discipline yourself to include timelines and measurements. These will provide regular proof that you are indeed making progress. Is this theme in your top 5?

- Shari -

... ENERGY PURCHASING

Energy prices the last few months have been higher than seen previously but are expected to trend downward as we go through the winter months due to the very soft economy. This would be even more dramatic were it not for the huge shift to the use of natural gas in electricity production away from coal in the last few years. Natural gas is now the largest source of electricity generation in the U.S. This trend was predicted by our marketing consultants for NJUMP and CJUMP many years ago, and they are one of the primary reasons that our natural gas consortiums have continued to provide a great money-saving resource year after year for our member schools.

Contact Jim to learn more!

... TECHNOLOGY

<u>Welcome New Sparq Subscribers</u> Gordon-Rushville Public Schools City of Valley Village of Kenesaw

We have exciting updates coming next weekend to Sparq Meetings. Watch for the newsletter for more information!

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The 2021 Legislative Session begins Wed, January 6th ... Look for the updated NASB Advocacy Handbook with all items approved by YOU at the Delegate Assembly posted online in the upcoming weeks!

Call Colby & Matt with any questions! #liveNASB #weLIVEhere

... BOARD LEADERSHIP

Check out *"At the Board Table"* on Page 5 to see what the Board Leadership team is up to.

Join us for the New Board Member Workshops, beginning November 30!

> Module I starts November 30 Module II starts December 7 Module III starts January 4 Module IV starts February 1

Marcia, Kori, Melissa & Karla

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JANUARY 2021 FIRST DAY OF THE 2021 LEGISLATIVE SESSION | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6



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