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## YOUR MONTHLY BOARD AGENDA UPDATE VIDEO LINK FOR MARCH

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### MARCH

MARCH BOARD MEETING ZOOMS W/ NDE & NASB | 7:30 PM | SEE PAGE 2

BOARD PRESIDENT RETREAT WORKSHOP | MARCH 14-15 | KEARNEY

BOARD PRESIDENT RETREAT WEBINAR | MARCH 16

VIRTUAL NAEP STATE CONVENTION | MARCH 30 | ZOOM

BUDGET & FINANCE WORKSHOP | MARCH 31 - NORFOLK

### APRIL

BUDGET & FINANCE WORKSHOP | APRIL 7 - GERING

NSBA 2021 ONLINE EXPERIENCE | APRIL 8-10

NASB LEGISLATIVE LUNCH | APRIL 12 | 12:00 PM CT

NEW BOARD MEMBER WORKSHOP | APRIL 14 | KEARNEY

BUDGET & FINANCE WORKSHOP | APRIL 20 - LINCOLN

### AND BEYOND ...

GOLF & THE NASB SUMMER CONFERENCE | JUNE 2-3

ALICAP WORKSHOPS | JUNE 29 - JUNE 30 - JULY 1

AREA MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS | AUGUST TO SEPTEMBER

2021 STATE EDUCATION CONFERENCE | NOVEMBER 17-19

Board Presidents: Check your inbox each month for the monthly 'NASB Update' to include in your meeting agenda.  
Please contact [mbelka@NASBonline.org](mailto:mbelka@NASBonline.org) with any questions, or if you are not receiving them.



## MARCH 2021 BOARD MEETING AGENDA ITEM - NDE RULE 10 AND 14 REVISIONS

### Approval, Accreditation, and Accountability Rule Development

During your March Regular Board Meetings, NASB will be facilitating a 15-minute Zoom presentation by Brad Dirksen of NDE at 7:30 PM to engage boards and superintendents!

**To:** Nebraska Public School Districts and ESU Boards of Education  
**From:** NASB and the Nebraska Department of Education (NDE)  
**RE:** Approval, Accreditation, and Accountability Rule Development / March 2021 Board Meeting Agenda Item

**Background:** The Nebraska Department of Education is required to accredit and/or approve all schools in the state, guided by current Rules 10 and 14. In Fall 2018, the State Board of Education directed the NDE to begin a process for revision and reinterpretation of these rules. In response, the NDE is creating three separate, but interrelated rules of Approval, Accreditation, and Accountability of public and non-public schools to replace Rules 10 and 14. More information can be found at this link:

#### AQuESTT System of Approval, Accreditation, and Accountability

<https://cdn.education.ne.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/AQuESTT-System-of-Approval-Accreditation-and-Accountability.pdf>

**Purpose:** NDE is partnering with NASB to gather your feedback. We are planning a coordinated 15-minute presentation via Zoom during the March Regular Board Meetings with all school districts and ESUs. Following this presentation each board member and superintendent/ESU Administrator will have the opportunity to provide feedback pertaining to the proposed change to Rules 10 and 14.

**Conclusion:** To accommodate the regular meeting dates of all boards, NASB/NDE will coordinate a presentation at 7:30 p.m. CT and again at 7:30 p.m. MT. The meeting dates include:

Monday -- March 1, 8, 15  
Tuesday -- March 2, 9, 16  
Wednesday -- March 10 & 17  
Thursday -- March 11 & 18

Following the presentation, every board member, superintendent and ESU administrator will receive a link to an online survey. This process has been designed to ensure that Nebraska's Boards of Education and administrators are engaged in the key changes and afforded the opportunity to provide your valued feedback.

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