

Yellow – Term is Expiring
 Blue – Spot is Vacant

**2023
 NOBLES COUNTY
 BOARDS AND COMMITTEES**

NOBLES COUNTY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

(2 yr terms expiring 12/31; Term Limit: 3 consecutive terms)

David Benson	Corrections	2022
Jorge Lopez	Citizen	2023
Kris Hohensee		2024
Michael Dempster		2024
Marissa Marten		2024
Nathalie Nkashama		2024
Nicole Reiter		2024
Vacant	Consumer Representative/Human Service	2019
Vacant	Consumer Representative/Human Service	2013
Vacant	At Large/Health	2014
Vacant	At Large/Health	2019
Vacant	At Large/Human Service	2018
Vacant	At Large/Human Service	2015
Vacant	Consumer Representative/Human Service	2020
Vacant	Consumer Representative/Health	2022

*Background: 15 members governed by Minnesota Statute §402, sections 402.01 - 402.10)

DEVELOPMENTAL ACHIEVEMENT CENTER:

(3 yr terms expiring 12/31; No Term Limits)

Marcia Jonas, Adrian-unexpired term	2023
Dolores Ella, Worthington	2023
Amy Woitalewicz, Worthington	2023
Darrin Pater, Adrian – unexpired term	2023
Stacie Golombiecki, Worthington (completing 3 rd term)	2024
Jesse Leopold, Worthington (apptd 8/21/18 to unexpired term)	2024
Vacant	2019
Vacant	2021

Robert Demuth, Jr., (County of Nobles - Representation as required by law)

*Background: Operated under Minnesota Statute 245B

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31; No Term Limits)

OFFICERS:

Michelle Ebbers, Worthington	(Public Health)	Dec. 2023
Vacant	(Public Safety Supervisor)	Dec. 2023
Bruce Heitkamp	(Government Administration)	Dec. 2023
John Garmer, Brewster	(Fire Services) 50%	Dec. 2023
Pat Shorter, Worthington	(Fire Services) 50%	Dec. 2023
David McNab, Brewster	(Emergency Medical Services)	Dec. 2023
Ryan Kruger	(Law Enforcement)	Dec. 2024
Jared Rozeboom, Brewster	(Hazardous Materials)	Dec. 2024
Edmund McHale	(Member-at-large)	Dec. 2024
Cliff Altman, Worthington	(Public Works)	Dec. 2025
Kyle Rockwell, Worthington	(Health Care)	Dec. 2025

EX OFFICIO MEMBERS:

Don Linssen	(County of Nobles)
Justin Ahlers	(County of Nobles)
Tawn Hall	(Emergency Management)

*Background: 10 members governed by bylaws approved 12/18/2012

EXTENSION COMMITTEE:

(3 yr terms expiring 12/31; No Term Limits)

Megan Prins, Worthington	2023
Kile Behrends, Worthington	2023
Sara Henning, Adrian	2024
Fabio Lopez Sebastian	2024
Brenda Baerenwald, Brewster	2025
Brad Meester, Bigelow	2025

Bob Paplow, County of Nobles
Justin Ahlers, County of Nobles
Joyce Jacobs, Auditor-Treasurer

(Five members at large, plus two County Commissioners, County Auditor, and 2 youth serving on CEC as designated by the 4-H Federation)

*Background: Governed by Minnesota Statute §33 2002, sections 33 – 38 and U of M Extension County Extension Committees Guidelines

HERON LAKE WATERSHED BOARD OF MANAGERS:

(Terms 3 years expiring February 24, not February 14; No Term Limits)

Per Jan Voit 1/24/19: Because the HLWD was created on February 24, 1970, all manager appointments begin on February 24.

Randy Lubben, Reading	(Nobles County) 2024
Mark Bartosh, Dundee (apptd 1/8/19)	(Nobles County) 2025

*Background: Governed by Minnesota Statute 103D.331

JOINT AIRPORT ZONING BOARD: *Contacted City of Worthington

Appointed 3-22-11	(Indefinite term)
Duane Schmitz, Brewster	

Vacant

*Background: Governed by Minnesota Statute 103D.331

JOINT PLANNING COMMISSION (JT JURISDICTIONAL):

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31)

Jeff Barber, Worthington	(Lorain Twp.)	2023
Robert Demuth Jr., Worthington	(County of Nobles)	2023
Larry Janssen, Worthington	(City of Wgtn)	2023
Bob Palpow, Bigelow	(County of Nobles)	2023
Amy Ernst, Worthington	(City of Wgtn)	2023
Bruce Hill, Worthington	(Wgtn. Twp.)	2024
Vacant	(Wgtn. Twp.)	2019
Vacant	(Lorain Twp.)	2021

(Eight members, two from each local unit of government. Ex-officio members: Co. Planning & Zoning Administrator, City Planning & Zoning Administrator and County Attorney)

*Background: Governed by Ordinance

JOINT POWERS TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

Donald Linssen, Commissioner
Justin Ahlers, Commissioner
County Administrator

KANARANZI-LITTLE ROCK WATERSHED BOARD OF MANAGERS:

(Terms 3 years expiring October 7)

Jerry Brake, Wilmont	(Nobles County)	2023
Jason Kellen	(Nobles County)	2023
Layton Gruis, Adrian	(Nobles County)	2024
Adam Henning, Adrian	(Nobles County)	2025

LIBRARY BOARD:

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31; Term Limits: 3 consecutive 3 year terms)

Bob Paplow, County of Nobles	(Ex-Officio)	
Peg Faber, Adrian	(District 2)	2023
<small>(1st term appointed 2013; 3 year term expiring 2016, 2nd term reappointed 2016; 3 year term expiring 2019, 3rd term reappointed 6/18/2019; at-large seat, not considered a full term until 7/20/2020, 3rd and final term reappointed to District 2 seat in July 2020; 3 year term expiring 12/31/2023)</small>		
Katie Kouba	(District 1)	2024
Jensine Kinser	(District 3)	2024
<small>(1st term appointed 3/24/2020 to an open seat; term expiring 12/31/2022)</small>		
Bridget Harberts	(District 3)	2025
<small>(1st term appointed 2023 expiring 2025)</small>		
John Stewart	(District 4)	2025
<small>(1st term appointed September, 2022 to fulfill unexpired term ending 12/31/2022 2nd term ending 2025.)</small>		

*Background: Governed by Minnesota Statute 134(One member from each Commissioner District plus two members appointed at large. The Board of County Commissioners shall appoint one of their own members. Members may serve 3 consecutive 3 year terms; a former Board member may be reappointed after a lapse of one year. If member appointed to unexpired term and serves more than 1 ½ yrs, considered full term. If that member serves 50% or less of unexpired term, it does not count toward a full term.)

OKABENA-CHEDA WATERSHED BOARD OF MANAGERS

(Terms 3 years expiring October 31)

Jeff Rogers, Worthington		2023
Casey Ingenthron, Worthington		2023
Jay Milbrandt, Worthington		2024
Steve Bousema, Worthington		2024
Rolf Mahlberg, Worthington		2025

*Background: Governed by Minnesota Statute 103D.331

PARK BOARD:

(Terms 3 years expiring January 31)

Gary Hibma, Brewster	(District I)	2024
Trysten Olson	(District IV)	2024
Ann Lange, Adrian	(District II)	2025
Galen Benton, Worthington <small>(apptd 1/24/17 unexpired term; apptd 1/8/19)</small>	(At-large)	2025
Roger Henning, Rushmore	(District III)	2025
Kathy Wieneke <small>(apptd 6/21/2022)</small>	(District II)	2025

EX OFFICIO:

Donald Linssen, County of Nobles

(One from each Commissioner District plus one member appointed at large)

PERSONNEL BOARD OF APPEALS:

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31)

Katie Meyer, Worthington		2023
Stacy Fricke, Worthington		2024
Scott Hain, Worthington		2024

PLANNING ADVISORY COMMISSION:

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31)

Dave Vander Kooi, Worthington	(District III)	2023
Richard Schlichte, Worthington	(District IV)	2023
David Thier, Rushmore	(District III)	2023
Martin Rickers, Worthington	(District IV)	2024
John Penning, Wilmont <small>(apptd 12/22/15; 12/18/18)</small>	(District II)	2024
Jay Clarke, Brewster <small>(apptd 12/18/18)</small>	(District I)	2024
Vacant	(District V)	----
Robert Demuth Jr., Worthington	(Commissioner)	

(Ex Officio Members: County Attorney and Zoning Officer)

(Decreasing the number of members from 11 to 7 with one member being from each commissioner district, one County Commissioner and one at-large. A minimum of three members shall have a vested interest in the unincorporated portion of the County. – Per Board Motion on 12/08/2022)

ROCK-NOBLES COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS EXECUTIVE BOARD

(Terms 3 years expiring January 31)

Robert Demuth, Jr.	(Commissioner)	
Justin Ahlers	(Commissioner)	
Joe Sanow, Worthington	(Public)	2024
(Appointed 5/13/20 to replace Mike Harmon)		
David Benson, Bigelow	(Public)	2024

(Members 4 from Nobles and 3 from Rock)

SOUTHWESTERN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31)

David Benson (apptd 12/22/15; 12/18/18)	2024
Bob Paplow, Commissioner	
Robert Demuth, Jr., Commissioner	

TRAVEL SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA, INC (Also known as EXPLORE SW MINNESOTA):

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31)

Kris Hohensee	2023
Kaila Hurlburt	2025
Vacant	2021

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS:

(Terms 3 years expiring December 31)

Ron McCarvel, Brewster	(District I)	2022
Brent Feikema, Lismore (unexpired term)	(District II)	2023
John Penning, Wilmont (Unexpired term)	(District II for District V)	2023
Bruce Hill	(District III)	2024
Adam Blume, Worthington	(District II)	2024

NOT APPOINTED BY THE COUNTY:

NOBLES COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION:

OFFICERS:

Corey Gronewold, President
 Dave VanderKooi, Vice President
 Harold Wietzema, Treasurer
 _____, Secretary

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Scott Rose
 Corey Boehnke
 Matt Timmer
 Randy Bullerman
 Marvin Zylstra

Associate Members:

Ronnie McCarvel Dale Solt
 Karla Talsma Tyler Bullerman
 Tommy Thompson Bob Paplow, Commissioner
 Tom & Trish Bullerman
 Jeff & Jan Weidert

NOBLES COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY:

Justin Ahlers	Pat Demuth
Margaret Erickson	Jerry Fiola
Art Frame	Naomi Hill
Monica King Von Holtum	Jay Milbrandt
Shari Nelson	Al Oberloh
Mike Vosburgh	Ron Wood
Sandy Wood	