



**TO:** Roger Breed, Ed.D.  
Commissioner of Education

**FROM:** Freida Lange

**SUBJECT:** Accreditation of Educational Service Units for the 2012-2013 School Year

**Proposed Board Action:**

Discuss approval of accreditation for the Educational Service Units appearing on the accompanying list for the 2012-2013 school year in accordance with the provisions of Rule 84 (92 NAC 84), "Regulations for Educational Service Units".

**Background Information:**

All of the Educational Service Units have submitted a statement of assurance indicating compliance with the provisions of Rule 84. Based on the assurance statements, a review of their staff qualifications, and other relevant documents, all the service units are found to be in compliance with Rule 84 and are thereby entitled to be accredited for the 2012-2013 school year. Educational Service Units will continue to operate in the 2012-2013 school year and provide support to Nebraska's school systems. The State Board in April 2011 took action to accredit the Educational Service Units for 2011-2012.

Statutory Requirement: 79-318(6) and 79-1204(4) (Educational Service Unit Accreditation)

**Estimated Cost:**

N/A

**Supporting Documentation Included:**

Nebraska Educational Service Units for 2013-2014 list.

**For Additional Information on this item:**

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**Nebraska Educational Service Units  
2012-2013**

Educational Service Unit #1  
Wakefield

Educational Service Unit #10  
Kearney

Educational Service Unit #2  
Fremont

Educational Service Unit #11  
Holdrege

Educational Service Unit #3  
Omaha

Educational Service Unit #13  
Scottsbluff

Educational Service Unit #4  
Auburn

Educational Service Unit #15  
Trenton

Educational Service Unit #5  
Beatrice

Educational Service Unit #16  
Ogallala

Educational Service Unit #6  
Milford

Educational Service Unit #17  
Ainsworth

Educational Service Unit #7  
Columbus

Educational Service Unit #18  
Lincoln

Educational Service Unit #8  
Neligh

Educational Service Unit #19  
Omaha

Educational Service Unit #9  
Hastings