



Affiliate Annual Report Form

Submit this form to Cindy Thompson, Central Region Director at cpthom08@iastate.edu and the NEAFCS National Office at djessup@executiveoffice.org.

Please return this form by December 31st of each year to your Regional Director and a copy to the National Office. **This report should cover anything that has occurred between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.**

State/Territory: Nebraska Date: 12/20/22
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What accomplishments/progress has your Affiliate made in the past year? (Consider member resources, awards and recognition, public affairs, etc.)

- Our constitution and bylaws were updated, voted upon, and approved at our annual meeting in November.
- The Professional Development Committee hosted a virtual professional development opportunity "Communication 101 and The Art of Storytelling" by Ben Lorenzen, Creative Director for Champions Run in Omaha, on March 31, 2022.
- Awards - National Award Winner: Distinguished Service (DSA) Award – Lisa Poppe, Central Region Award Winner: 2nd Place Communication Radio and Podcasting Award – LaDonna Werth & Lisa Poppe

What are your Affiliate's goals for the next 12 months?

- Increase number of members
- Increase member engagement
- Provide professional development opportunities for members

What challenges do Cooperative Extension and/or Family & Consumer Sciences face in your state?

- Improving access to affordable, nutritious, and safe food
- Encouraging healthy decisions when it comes to nutrition and physical activity
- Enhancing high-quality learning experiences for children, families, and early childhood professionals
- Reducing stress in rural Nebraskan Communities

To assist NEAFCS in future planning and communication, please list concerns your Affiliate has for the NEAFCS Board to address: