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To: NITC Commissioners
From: Anne Byers
Subject: Community Council Report

Goals. The Community Council has developed goals to provide direction and focus their activities:

- Promote technology available to communities across the state.
- Educate, share information, and be a resource to communities.
- Promote/educate what resources are available today to develop better community Web sites at a low cost.
- Identify needs in communities and to communicate those needs to the NITC and other entities as appropriate.

These goals will be incorporated into the Community IT Planning and Development strategic initiative. Thanks to John Jordison, Angie Ramaekers, Darla Heggem, Dan Shundoff, Caleb Pollard, Bethanne Kunz, and Scott Bovick for their work in developing the proposed goals.

Membership. The Community Council also has several members whose terms need to be renewed:

- o Norene Fitzgerald, Economic Development Professional
- o John Jordison, Great Plains Communications
- o Chris Anderson, City Administrator, Central City
- o Lynn Manhart, Director, Central City Public Library
- o Michael Nolan, City Administrator, City of Norfolk
- o Ted Smith, Director, Norfolk Public Library

I will be asking you to approve the renewal of their terms.

One member, Steve Williams from the Nebraska Department of Economic Development, has resigned.