

## **Ways to Become Involved with the Nebraska Democratic Party**

- **Become a Precinct Coordinator:**
  - The Precinct Coordinator is the volunteer in charge of coordinating all campaign activities within their precinct. Duties include:
    - Build the Precinct Team
    - Support candidates
    - Help get out the vote on election day
    - Commit to recruit additional Election Day Volunteers
  - Contact the Carmyn Egge at the Nebraska Democratic Party:
  - Phone: (402) 434-2187 or (800) 677-7068
  - Web: [www.nebraskademocrats.org](http://www.nebraskademocrats.org)
  - Email: [Carmyn@nebraskademocrats.org](mailto:Carmyn@nebraskademocrats.org)
- **Attend your local County Party meeting**
  - For information on the next meeting in your area, check the Events Center at [www.nebraskademocrats.org](http://www.nebraskademocrats.org)  
or
  - Contact Carmyn Egge at the NDP Office
- **Write Letters to the Editor**
  - Help spread the Democratic message to local papers and radio talk shows.
  - For more information contact Amanda McGill at (402) 434-2184 or (800) 677-7068 or by email [Amanda@nebraskademocrats.org](mailto:Amanda@nebraskademocrats.org)
- **Participate in a Training**
  - Check out our website [www.nebraskademocrats.org](http://www.nebraskademocrats.org) for more information on the next NDP Grassroots Academy in your community.

## **2006 is an Exciting and Important Year for Nebraska Democrats!**

2006 is a critical year because Nebraska Democrats have an opportunity to:

### Re-elect Senator Ben Nelson:

Senator Ben Nelson of Nebraska is from the most Republican state in the nation that elects a Democrat to the US Senate. A combination of prairie populism and fiscal conservatism is the basis for his electoral success and makes Senator Nelson the most popular elected official from Nebraska. He is outspoken on behalf of alternative energy such as ethanol, greater funding for education, and a return to the era of balanced budgets.

Despite his popularity, the GOP has targeted Nelson for defeat and plan to spend millions in their attempt to do so. This Republican State is bound to make this a close election and your support is vitally needed.

### Elect Jim Esch in the Second Congressional District:

Jim Esch is running for Congress in Nebraska's 2<sup>nd</sup> Congressional District which includes Omaha. Jim is an attorney and the former Director of the Greater Omaha Economic Development Partnership at the Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce. "I am running because America deserves and can do better. An efficient and productive government will only be realized when our government changes with the times. This requires, modernizing education, developing domestic energy sources such as wind and bio-diesel, and re-building relationships throughout the world. I am running because the progress we make today is the future."

### Elect Scott Kleeb in the Third Congressional District:

Scott Kleeb is fourth-generation Nebraskan with deep roots in the ranching traditions of the Sandhills. His family owned a ranch outside Broken Bow for nearly 100 years. Scott has divided the last seven years of his life between working at the McGinn Ranch Company, south of Dunning, and completing the requirements for a Masters and Doctorate Degree at Yale University. While researching a dissertation on the transformation of American agriculture around the turn of the last Century, Scott traveled through every state West of the Mississippi, gathering local history and listening to the stories of ranchers, farmers and small town workers. He became increasingly convinced that Congress is ignoring – and in many cases actively damaging – rural economies and communities. If elected to Congress, Scott has pledged to tackle critical challenges threatening to undermine Nebraska's rural way of life, including the soaring budget deficit, the loss of good paying jobs, out-of-control health care costs, diminished access to small business loans, unfunded incentives for agricultural innovation, and declining funding for public schools, to name but a few.

### Elect Nebraska Democrats to 20 open seats in the State Legislature and many local offices:

Check out [www.nebraskademocrats.org](http://www.nebraskademocrats.org) for information on new candidates in your community to learn how you can be involved on their campaigns.

We can elect Nebraska Democrats up and down the 2006 ticket if we sign-up now, work together, contribute and support our great Democratic team.