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# 2022 Convention & Trade Show

OCTOBER 20-21 | EMBASSY SUITES | LINCOLN, NE

# ROLL WITH IT







**Dexter Schrod**  
NICB President/CEO

# Welcome

It is once again time to register to attend the Annual NICB Conference and Trade Show. This year the big event will be held at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Lincoln on October 20-21.

This year's event promises to be a great time with a lineup of speakers that will inform us and give us new insights as to how we can best continue to Roll With It in the ever-changing environment of community banking. State and national policymakers take notice when we band together and unite our voices for our industry and shared interests. With that in mind, there is no better place to get together and share ideas with your peers than our annual conference.

Alongside the business portion of our time together comes the social aspect, when we meet up with old friends and have the opportunity to make new acquaintances. The comradery that takes place is unbeatable and you will gain a renewed enthusiasm to take back to your banks and communities. Together with the NICB Board of Directors, I hope you will join us at the Annual Conference as the organization continues to move forward.

It has been an honor to serve as your President/CEO over the past few months. I look forward to seeing you again, or for the first time, in October.

Sincerely,

**Dexter Schrod, JD**



# Hotel & Convention Information

## Hotel Reservations

Hotel accommodations at the Embassy Suites are not included in your conference registration and should be made directly with the hotel. NICB has reserved a block of rooms for Wednesday and Thursday nights, October 19-20, 2022. This block of rooms consists of hotel guest rooms. The special block price of \$159/night will be held until Wednesday, September 28, 2022. After September 28, neither price nor room availability will be guaranteed, so make your reservations today! Be sure to mention you are with the Nebraska Independent Community Bankers.

## Embassy Suites

(402) 474-1111

Room Block Price: \$159 (double/single/king)

Check in Time is 4:00 p.m. (price and availability cannot be guaranteed after Sept 28)



## What To Wear

Be comfortable! Dress for most events is business casual – including the Tradeshow and General Sessions. Dress for your comfort level as meeting rooms will be slightly cooler.

**NICB Will Host a Past  
Chairman's Dinner on  
Wednesday, Oct. 19.**

***Prior to the  
Annual Conference***

RSVP Requested; See Included Registration Form

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# Don't Miss Your Opportunity to Win

Few shows compare with the annual NICB Tradeshow. Here you will find a great variety of products and services with community banks in mind. From insurance products to computer services, data processing solutions or community bank service products, you will find a great selection of new resources.

Bankers, bring plenty of business cards for use in registering for prizes and sharing industry information at the NICB Tradeshow.

Feeling Lucky? Take a chance and join us for an evening of good friends and good fun. Place your bets at a variety of casino games, or on the Silent Auction items, and hope that lady luck is on your side. NICB will be giving away 2 fabulous prizes at the close of the Tradeshow – Check them out here below!

## Dyson Pure Cool™ TP01

When using the Dyson Pure Cool™ purifying fan TP01 you can choose between Diffused and Focused airflow with your choice of 0 and 70° oscillation. Program your machine to turn off after pre-set intervals. Safe and easy to clean with low maintenance, easy-to-replace filters. Curved and magnetized remote stores neatly on the machine. Certified Asthma and Allergy friendly™ by the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America. Awarded the Parent Tested Parent Approved seal of approval. The seal of approval that families trust.



## Ultimate Griddle by Pit Boss® Grills

The Pit Boss® Ultimate 2-Burner Lift-Off Griddle perfectly blends power, portability and precision to create a one-of-a-kind grilling machine that delivers a Bigger. Hotter. Heavier. outdoor cooking experience unlike anything on the market today.

Fitted with all-new proprietary non-stick armored ceramic cooking surface, this exclusive surface is a dream to clean, needing just a gentle wipe after use. As an added bonus, the ceramic coating also protects the griddle from scratches and rust.

Completely portable, the Ultimate Griddle utilizes our easy lift-off technology for simple transport to any campsite or tailgating event. Featuring a robust 2-burner heating platform, the Ultimate Griddle is the perfect fit for whatever your needs may be.



# Convention Schedule At-A-Glance

## Wednesday – October 19<sup>th</sup>

- 4:00 p.m. Registered guests may check in at the Embassy starting at 4:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m. NICB Past Chairman's Dinner – *Co-Sponsored by MIB & SHAZAM, Inc*

## Thursday – October 20<sup>th</sup>

- 8:00 a.m. **NICB Registration Desk Opens**  
8:00 am – 9:30 a.m. **NICB Directors Breakfast Meeting**  
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. **General Session**  
Welcome – Corby Schweers, NICB Chairman  
Agricultural Economic Update – Jay Rempe, Nebraska Farm Bureau  
Fourth Quarter Playbook: Strategies for 2022 – Jim Reber, ICBA Securities  
12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. **Lunch with Exhibits Open**  
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **General Session**  
Nominee for Governor of Nebraska – Jim Pillen  
Bankers Helping Bankers – Matthew Smith, Independent Bankers  
Association of Texas  
3:20 p.m. – 3:40 p.m. **Annual Membership Meeting**  
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Exhibitor Reception & PAC Auction – Co-Sponsored by MIB & SHAZAM, Inc.**

## Friday – October 21<sup>st</sup>

- 7:45 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. **Breakfast – Sponsored by Bell Bank**  
8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. **General Session**  
Keynote Speaker – Aaron Davis – The Attitude of a Champion  
Regulator Panel – Kelly Lammers & Darcy Bailar, NDBF  
10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **Mid-Session Break – Sponsored by Bankers Healthcare Group (BHG)**  
10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **General Session**  
Crypto Currency – Scott Green, SHAZAM, Inc.

# 2022 Speakers



## **Jay Rempe**

### **Agricultural Economic Update**

Nebraska's farm economy is on solid footing, but clouds are on the horizon. Rempe will examine current financial conditions in Nebraska agriculture, explore what 2023 might hold, and highlight trends farmers think will most impact their bottom lines over the next 10 years.



## **Jim Reber**

### **Fourth Quarter Playbook: Strategies for 2022**

It's clear a different set of dynamics are in play from the recent past as we approach year-end. Between market losses on the bond portfolio, uncertainty about deposit availability and margin compression, bankers are thinking about strategies for the fourth quarter. We will discuss some popular plays run by community banks in 2022, with an eye toward improving future periods.



## **Jim Pillen**

### **Livestock Producer and Republican Nominee for Governor of Nebraska**

Hear firsthand about Jim's conservative vision for growing our state's economy, transforming our tax code, and preserving our Nebraska values.



## **Matthew Smith**

### **Bankers Helping Bankers**

Bankers Helping Bankers is an exclusive platform only available to community bankers. What started off as a place to help banks understand what third party solutions are available to your core environment is quickly evolving to a space where bankers can communicate with any banker in the United States through message boards and obtain educational information directly from a fintech. Come listen in to learn more.

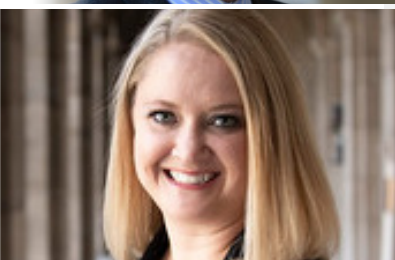


## **Aaron Davis**

### **The Attitude of a Champion**

Attitude, mental toughness and the ability to change and adapt quickly are just a few characteristics that all champions possess. As a member of the Nebraska 1994 National Championship football team, Aaron has a keen understanding of what it takes to achieve incredible results.

Today's working environment is more challenging than ever before and it's those who are able to keep a champion attitude who consistently experience incredible results.



## **Kelly Lammers & Darcy Bailar with Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance (NDBF) - Regulator's Panel**

The panel will touch on updates and topics such as the Financial Innovation Act and regulations concerning digital assets, the Title 45 rewrite to remove hard copy delivery, examiner training, examination protocol, and what examinations will look like as we move past COVID and into 2023.



## **Scott Green**

### **Crypto Currency**

With all time high interest in a digital assets and talk of central bank digital currencies, this session puts them in context and provides a framework for further study. We review cryptocurrencies as a class of digital asset and contrast them with likely attributes of a central bank digital currency. We explore decentralized finance, and how participating with it may help community banks attract and retain clients.

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# BANKER REGISTRATION FORM

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**October 20 and 21, 2022**  
**Lincoln, Nebraska**



**COPY FORM AS NEEDED**  
**Submit to NICB by October 14**

Bank Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Name: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>FULL REGISTRANT</b> Fee includes <u>all</u> sessions, trade show and meals	<b>NICB Member Rate</b>	<b>Non-Member Rate</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Banker Full Registrant – Banker</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$400</b>	= \$ _____
<b>Spouse Full Registrant</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$200</b>	= \$ _____
<b>PARTIAL REGISTRANT</b> To register for specific events only	<b>NICB Member Rate</b>	<b>Non-Member Rate</b>	
<b>NICB Past Chairman's Dinner Only. Wed., Oct. 19. Cost included in Full Registrant.</b>	<b>\$75</b>		= \$ _____
<b>Thursday Only Events: Sessions, Trade Show, Lunch &amp; Reception</b>	<b>\$175</b>	<b>\$275</b>	= \$ _____
<b>Trade Show Reception &amp; Auction – Thursday</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$175</b>	= \$ _____
<b>Friday General Sessions</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$175</b>	= \$ _____

**Total Amount Due: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

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**Special Needs:** Persons with disabilities attending the conference or need auxiliary aids or services, contact NICB in advance so we can make any necessary arrangements.

**IRS Notice:** The IRS requires a notice on registration forms, which informs the attendee of the amount of the fee representing food and beverage. We estimate this cost at \$250.00 for those paying a full conference registration fee. Consult your tax advisor or accountant for any tax advice.

**Hotel Reservations & Cancellation Policy:** Attendees are responsible for their own hotel reservations with the Embassy Suites, Lincoln, Neb., at 402.474.1111. Room rate is \$159 per night and room block expires on Sept. 28, 2022.

**Registration Cancellation Policy:** If received 5 business days before event date receive a full refund. Less than 5 days, no refund.

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