



## Staff Report

Date: March 25, 2026

TO: KSBN Board Members

FR: Carol Moreland, Executive Administrator

RE: March 2026

Executive Administrator Report

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### **Purpose of the Agenda Item and/or the Board Action Requested:**

*This report is an update on the activities of the Executive Administrator for November 15, 2025, through March 5, 2026, to support the KSBN strategic plan.*

Board Action requested: None

### **Strategic Outcome and actions taken to support the strategic outcome:**

#### Strategic Objective 1 – 1 Enhance collaborative relationships with other nursing and health-related organizations and other state agencies in Kansas

- Participated in Small Agency Head Brown Bag meetings which strengthens the relationships between small non-cabinet agency heads
- Participated in Non-Cabinet Agency Leadership meeting which strengthens collaborative relationships with other Non-Cabinet state agencies
- 1/15/26 Attended NCSBN Executive Officer Leadership Council

#### Strategic Objective 1 – 4 Legislative Engagement

- November and December 2025 Participated in Investigative Committee Statute Review Task Force
- 12/2/25 Attended Claims Against the State Committee and answered questions
- 12/8/26 Provided testimony at House Special Committee on Government Oversight
- 1/5/26 Report regarding Reinstatement after Revocation for 2025 compiled and sent to the Legislative Health Committees
- Continually collaborating with NCSBN and other Boards of Nursing and utilizing their resources as needed. They have provided support and offers of assistance they can provide.
- Developed consistent talking points for our meetings with leadership of Legislature and members of the House Health and Human Services and Senate Public Health and Welfare Committees
- Continue to meet with Legislators to provide education and information about HB 2478, HB 2528 and HB 2532, and strengthen relationships between the Legislature and KSBN

- 1/8/26 Testified for House Special Services Budget Hearing
- Coordinated meeting with Investigative and Discipline Division meeting with Jay Douglas, external consultant
- 2/3/26 Provided testimony to House Health and Human Services Committee regarding HB 2478
- 2/5/26 Provided Testimony to House Health and Human Services Committee regarding HB 2528
- February 2026 met with Stakeholders regarding HB 2528
- 2/27/26 Testified to House Select Committee on Government Oversight Committee regarding actions KSBN has taken in response to concerns voiced
- 3/4/26 Testified to Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee re: HB 2478

**Professional Development:**

**Upcoming NCSBN meetings:**

- 2026 NLC Midyear Meeting, March 16, 2026, Phoenix, AZ
- 2026 NCSBN Midyear Meeting, March 17 – 20, 2026, Phoenix, AZ
- Discipline Case Management Conference, May 27 & 28, 2026 – Rosemont, IL
- NLC Commission Meeting, June 16, 2026 – Virtual
- 2026 Scientific Symposium, July 15, 2026 - Virtual
- 2026 NLC Annual Meeting, August 18, 2026 – Chicago, IL
- 2026 NCSBN Annual Meeting, August 19 – 21, 2026 Chicago, IL
- 2026 NCLEX virtual Conference, September 17, 2026 - Virtual
- Leadership & Public Policy Conference, October 7 – 9, 2026, Philadelphia, PA

**Board Member Terms:**

- Andrea Watson (7/1/20 through 6/30/28 – second term)
- Amy Hite (7/1/24 through 6/30/28 - first term)
- Michelle Terry (12/5/2022 -through 6/30/26 – first term)
- Adri Gouldsmith (7/1/23 through 6/30/27 – second term)
- Melissa Oropeza (7/1/25 through 6/30/29 – second term)
- Ruth Burkhart (7/1/22 through 6/30/26 – first term)
- Brenda Sharpe (7/1/23 through 6/30/27 – second term)
- Steven Peterson (7/1/25 – 6/30/29 – first term)
- Tosha Fields (7/1/23 – 6/30/27 – first term)
- Belinda Katz (7/1/25 – 6/30/29 – first term)
- Vacant Public Member position

**Attachments:**

None