

Nebraska State Legislature

SENATOR BRAD VON GILLERN

**District 4:
18370 Honeysuckle Drive
Elkhorn, Nebraska 68022**

**Legislative Address:
State Capitol
PO Box 94604
Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-4604
(402) 471-2621
bvongillern@leg.ne.gov**



COMMITTEES

**Chairperson – Revenue
Banking, Commerce and Insurance**

November 5, 2025

Greetings, neighbors!

We're about two months from the opening of the 2026 legislative session, which means the work is really accelerating in my office at the state capitol as my staff and I prepare to serve the people of District 4. I could not be more honored at the opportunity to serve you in my fourth session as your representative and look forward to yet another opportunity to work hard for the good of all Nebraskans.

To make your voice heard, you can write to my office email at bvongillern@leg.ne.gov or make contact by calling the office phone at 402-471-2621. If you decide to contact me via email, please include your full name and home address so my staff and I can determine how to best serve you. Your input is valued and sincerely appreciated and we will make every effort to reply in a timely fashion. For cost savings and environmental reasons, we would prefer to send future newsletters to you electronically. If you are interested, please send your email address to: bvongillern@leg.ne.gov. Simply write 'Monthly Newsletter Request' in the subject line.

In this letter, I want to fill you in on some of what I've been up to throughout the month of October:

➤ At the end of October, I was honored with the opportunity to speak on a panel with fellow legislators at the annual Platte Institute Legislative Summit. We fielded questions about the budget and legislative priorities for the upcoming session. I stressed the importance of maintaining the historic income tax cuts I authored in 2023. I believe these cuts have such a crucial role to play in the economic future of our state, making Nebraska a friendlier place to work and do business and more affordable for working families by keeping your money in your pockets.



➤ You may also have spotted me on First Alert 6 hosting an open-forum property and income tax roundtable with citizens at Cunningham's Restaurant in Blackstone. I had the opportunity to share details about what

we in the Legislature have done (and are doing!) to lower property taxes. I stressed the impact of the 2023 income tax cuts and the significance of our 2024 special session in disconnecting the growth in your home or property valuation from growth in your property taxes.

- The Infrastructure Review Task Force also met in mid-October to hear from two experts from a national organization to speak about the importance of our state road systems. We discussed how critical these assets are to virtually every sector of Nebraska’s economy and the lives of everyday Nebraskans. Over the next month, my office will be preparing a report to the Legislature on the task force’s work, drawing special attention to our infrastructure needs and the challenges of maintaining and expanding our highways.



- I attended a roundtable hosted by Banking and Insurance Committee Chairman Jacobson with experts and professionals in the insurance industry. We discussed what we can do as legislators to promote an efficient and competitive insurance market boasting stable and affordable premiums for Nebraskans, especially for property and casualty insurance.



- On October 29, I participated in a press conference with Douglas County Sheriff Aaron Hanson about the problem of high-value thefts from construction sites plaguing our Omaha community. I committed to introducing legislation in January to address this issue, saying: “These thefts lead to higher construction costs that contribute to the challenge of affordable home building [...] and we need to do everything that we can to stop it.”
- Finally, I want to congratulate Ezra Millard Elementary for having been recognized as a “blue ribbon school” by the Nebraska Department of Education. What an honor it is to have such an outstanding school in our District 4 community!

Please, reach out to tell my office how we can serve you and the people of District 4 in the run-up to the 2026 legislative session!

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "R. Brad von Gillern".

Senator R. Brad von Gillern
District 4, Nebraska Legislature