



Senior Corps Week



September 20-24, 2010

ServeNebraska is proud to join our partners in Senior Corps programming throughout the state in celebrating the efforts of those 55+ volunteers who make our state better

Senior Corps connects today's over 55s with the people and organizations that need them most. We help them become mentors, coaches or companions to people in need, or contribute their job skills and expertise to community projects and organizations. Volunteers receive guidance and training so they can make a contribution that suits their talents, interests, and availability. Check out the [flyer](#)

Governor's Proclamation: Senior Corps Week

Honoring Senior Corps Volunteers



Lt. Governor Rick Sheehy (right), presents Nebraska Senior Corps leadership the proclamation proclaiming 2010 Senior Corps Week

Senior Corps Week incorporates a focused, concentrated effort designed to increase awareness and recognition of seniors answering the President's call to service.

"We are excited about the first ever National Senior Corps week September 20-24 sponsored by the Corporation for National and Community Service because it gives us the opportunity to celebrate, recognize and honor our 55 and over volunteers.

Whether they are serving through the Foster Grandparent program, RSVP or as a Senior Companion they are continually making a difference in their community. They may be driving meals on wheels, tutoring a student, mentoring, caring for an

individual so they are able to remain in their home or filling food pantry orders to ensure that no one goes hungry; each one impacting lives to ensure others are taken care of.

On behalf of all of the directors across the state who implement these programs I want to thank the Governor and Lieutenant Governor for being leaders that know the importance and vital role that volunteering in our state makes. Without all volunteers Nebraska would not be the great state that it is to live in. Thank you."

Julie Nash, Executive Director, [Senior Action Inc.](#) (Hastings) President, Nebraska Senior Service Corps Association

Senior Corps in Nebraska

Click on the links or logos below to learn about efforts in Nebraska

RSVP

Lead With Experience

[Retired Senior Volunteer Program \(RSVP\)](#) connects volunteers age 55 and over with service opportunities in their communities that match their skills and availability.

Foster Grandparents

Share Today. Shape Tomorrow.

[The Foster Grandparent Program](#) connects volunteers age 60 and over with children and young people with exceptional needs.

Senior Companions

Make Independence a Reality

[The Senior Companion Program](#) brings together volunteers age 60 and over with adults in their community who have difficulty with the simple tasks of day-to-day living.