

# **NSAA Board of Directors Approve Blanford-Green Resignation**

The NSAA Board of Directors discussed and approved the resignation of NSAA Executive Director, Rhonda Blanford-Green effective June 30, 2015. Blanford-Green has served as the NSAA's Executive Director since July, 2012.

Within Blanford-Green's three-year term, the organization has made significant strides to achieve its mission, goals, and objectives. The Board expressed their gratitude for Blanford-Green's hard work and dedication.

A transition plan for naming an interim Director has been outlined by the NSAA Board of Directors. "We will work to minimize any disruption of the NSAA's operations and management. The Board is pursuing a proactive approach to fill the interim position." said Dr. Brian Maher, NSAA Board Chairman. "We are highly committed to continuing our progress in fulfilling the organization's mission. Our goal is to fill the position with a highly qualified and dynamic individual as soon as is reasonable."

Minutes from the special session held by the NSAA Board of Directors are available by [clicking here](#).

## **Statement of NSAA Board of Directors to NSAA Member Schools Regarding Resignation of Rhonda Blanford-Green**

NSAA Member Schools: As you may be aware, on June 23, 2015, the Board of Directors of the NSAA took action to accept the resignation of NSAA Executive Director, Rhonda Blanford-Green effective June 30, 2015, and to approve a Resignation Agreement with Ms. Blanford-Green. Per statute, the following statement shall be included as an agenda item at the next regularly scheduled public meeting of the Board of Directors in August, for informational purposes:

"On June 23, 2015, the Board of Directors of the NSAA took action to accept the resignation of NSAA Executive Director, Rhonda Blanford-Green effective June 30, 2015, and to approve a Resignation Agreement with Ms. Blanford-Green. The specific terms of Resignation Agreement are confidential per Neb. Rev. Stat. § 84-712.05 and as otherwise provided by statute, and the agreement shall be placed in the personnel files of the NSAA. The agreement generally contains Ms. Blanford-Green's resignation, provides for payment of compensation and benefits through June 30, 2015, and includes standard end of employment and release provisions, and for a monetary settlement of the remaining eleven (11) months of the Executive Director's contract that ran through May 31, 2016 in the amount of \$213,417, and an additional amount in the sum of \$26,583 for the standard employment and release and provisions set forth in the agreement."

