Nebraska Taxpayers for Freedom has released its annual report on the conservative voting of members of the Nebraska Unicameral during the **2021** session. NTF rates senators based on their fiscal responsibility, intervention into the private lives of Nebraska citizens, and positions on legislation dealing with law and order.

NTF rates state senators based on a curved point scale. NTF tracked 98 bills and resolutions in the 2021 session. Starting at a base of zero, senators received 1.03 points for each good vote.

In first place was State Senator Rob Clements (District 2). Clements also was our 1<sup>st</sup> place state senator in 2019 and 2020. Placing second was State Senator Steve Erdman (District 47). Placing lowest was State Senator Megan Hunt (District 8).

## Numbers assigned below are <u>not</u> percentages. They are points on a curved scale. The higher the number, the more conservative the voting record.

Aguilar	49.44	Friesen	50.47	McDonnell	43.26
Albrecht	71.07	Geist	59.74	McKinney	42.23
Arch	55.62	Gragert	49.44	Morfeld	44.29
Blood	35.02	Groene	67.98	Moser	55.62
Bostar	42.23	Halloran	48.41	Murman	59.74
Bostelman	54.59	Hansen, B.	51.5	Pahls	43.26
Brandt	47.38	Hansen, M.	38.11	Pansing Brooks	37.08
Brewer	33.99*	Hilgers	62.83	Sanders	60.77
Briese	47.38	Hilkemann	43.26	Slama	64.89
Cavanaugh, John	42.23	Hughes	56.65	Stinner	32.96
Cavanaugh, M.	38.11	Hunt	26.78	Vargas	47.38
Clements	78.28	Kolterman	47.38	Walz	42.23
Day	33.99	Lathrop	42.23	Wayne	46.35
DeBoer	43.26	Lindstrom	49.44	Williams	47.38
Dorn	49.44	Linehan	52.53	Wishart	40.17
Erdman	72.1	Lowe	62.83		
Flood	48.41	McCollister	44.29		

\*Senator Tom Brewer consistently wins a high conservative ranking from NTF. However, this session, a medical condition forced him to miss a number of votes.

Yes, I believe that our state senators can do a much better job in representing their constituents by lowering taxes, cutting spending, and removing unnecessary regulations. I am ready to fight in the front trenches for the fiscal conservative cause as a Taxpayer Watchdog. Sign me up to participate in the NTF Legislature Watch Project today!

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