

**ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION -
2008**

COMMITTEE STATEMENT

LB861

Hearing Date: February 26, 2008

Committee On: Agriculture

Introducer(s): (Agriculture Committee)

Title: Change state fair provisions

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Indefinitely Postponed

Vote Results:

8 Yes	Senators Chambers, Dierks, Dubas, Erdman, Karpisek, McDonald, Preister, Wallman
0 No	
0 Absent	
0 Present, not voting	

Testifiers listed on page 2.

Proponents:

Senator Erdman
 Jerry Fitzgerald
 Donald Dunn
 Jay Vavricek
 Cindy Johnson
 Tonn Ostergard
 Tam Allan
 Ken Gnadt
 Dan Killion
 Jim McClurg
 James Milliken
 Harvey Perlman
 Walt Bleich
 Wendy Birdsall
 Ron Sedlacek
 Lynne Schuller
 Andre Mick
 Joe Hampton
 Keith Olsen
 Dan Reisdorff

Opponents:

Lynn Darling
 Bruce Kuster
 Harry Muhlbach
 John Hansen
 Len Schropfer
 Richard Halvorsen

Neutral:

Kent Seacrest
 Alan Wood

Summary of purpose and/or change:

LB 861 would have removed statutory specification within §2-101 that the state fair be held at its present location.

Explanation of amendments, if any:**Representing:**

Introducer- District 47
 Nebraska State Fair Board
 Grand Island
 Grand Island
 Grand Island Chamber of Commerce
 Friends of Innovation Campus
 Nebraska State Fair Board
 Fonner Park
 Nebraska Association of Fair Managers
 University of Nebraska Board of Regents
 University of Nebraska, President
 University of Nebraska, Chancellor
 Self
 Lincoln Chamber of Commerce
 Nebraska Chamber of Commerce
 Nebraska Horsemen's Benevolent & Protective Assn.
 Lincoln Independent Business Association (LIBA)
 Lincoln Independent Business Association (LIBA)
 Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation
 Self

Representing:

Self
 Self
 4-H, FFA
 Nebraska Farmers' Union
 Self
 Self

Representing:

2015 Vision
 Lancaster County Agricultural Society

Senator Philip Erdman, Chairperson