

**ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2011**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB496**

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**Hearing Date:** Monday February 14, 2011  
**Committee On:** Appropriations  
**Introducer:** Avery  
**One Liner:** Create the Centennial Mall Project Fund

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Indefinitely postponed

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**Vote Results:**

<b>Aye:</b>	5	Senators Hansen, Harms, Heidemann, Nelson, Nordquist
<b>Nay:</b>	1	Senator Fulton
<b>Absent:</b>	1	Senator Wightman
<b>Present Not Voting:</b>	2	Senators Conrad, Mello

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**Proponents:**

Senator Bill Avery  
Lynn Johnson  
Patty Pansing Brooks  
Suzanne Wise

**Representing:**

Introducer  
City of Lincoln  
Nebraska Centennial Mall Committee  
Nebraska Arts Council

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

**Representing:**

**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB496 newly creates the Centennial Mall Project Fund. Amounts credited to the fund are to be used to renovate and rehabilitate Centennial Mall in the City of Lincoln. The bill further provides that a total of \$2,000,000 in annual increments of \$500,000 is to be transferred from the General Fund to the Centennial Mall Fund on December 31 of 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014 for renovation and rehabilitation of the mall.

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Lavon Heidemann, Chairperson