



## Governor appoints Daugherty to district court judge seat

LINCOLN – On April 15, Gov. Dave Heineman announced the appointment of Rachel Daugherty of Grand Island to the District Court, Fifth Judicial District, to fill a vacancy created by the retirement of Judge Michael J. Owens. The Fifth Judicial District includes the counties of Boone, Butler, Colfax, Hamilton, Merrick, Nancy, Platte, Polk, Saunders,

Seward and York.

She has served as the chairman for the Mental Health Hearings in Hall and Merrick counties since 2004 and 2012, respectively. She was an adjunct instructor at the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center from 2002 to 2010 and for business and paralegal courses at Central Community College from 1998 to 2005.