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Baird Holm LLP Partner Kenneth W. Hartman Appointed President of the Nebraska State Bar Association

October 20, 2026 (OMAHA, Neb.) – Baird Holm LLP is pleased to announce that partner Kenneth W. Hartman has been elected President of the Nebraska State Bar Association (NSBA), one of the highest leadership positions within Nebraska’s legal profession.

Hartman is a proud Nebraska Lawyer who, as President, will work alongside NSBA leadership and its Executive Council to advance the Association’s mission — helping lawyers help people as well as work to promote the administration of and access to justice across the state.

“Ken has been a respected attorney within the firm and Nebraska’s legal community for many years,” said Christopher R. Hedican, managing partner of Baird Holm LLP. “He has had many leadership roles in the NSBA, and we are pleased to see him take on this key leadership role and know he will represent both the Association and the profession well. His election continues a proud tradition of Baird Holm attorneys giving their time and talents to organizations that strengthen the legal profession.”

Hartman has maintained an active role in the NSBA throughout his career and has been a strong advocate for professional excellence, attorney development, and public service.

Baird Holm’s tradition of service to the profession and leadership in the NSBA runs long and deep. Hartman is the fifth Baird Holm attorney to serve as President of the NSBA, following:

- Jill Robb Ackerman (2021)
- William G. Dittrick (2006)
- William H. Baird (1970)
- Raymond G. Young (1941)

Other firm leaders are also currently active in NSBA, including:

- Michael W. Chase – Chair, Health Law Section
- Sapphire M. Andersen – Secretary, Labor Relations & Employment Law Section
- Sarah M. Huyck – Executive Committee, Labor Relations & Employment Law Section
- Robert L. Kardell – At-Large Member, Technology, Privacy and Security Law Section
- Kimberly A. Lammers – At-Large Member, Health Law Section
- Lindsay K. Lundholm – At-Large Member, Corporate Counsel Section
- Hannes D. Zetsche – At-Large Member, Agricultural, Natural Resources, Environment & Energy Section

This service reflects Baird Holm’s long-term and continued support of the NSBA and its work on behalf of Nebraska’s legal community.

About Baird Holm LLP

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