

Matthew H. Williams – Bio

Matt is Chairman and President of Gothenburg State Bank, a \$120 million community bank located in Gothenburg, Nebraska. He is a fourth-generation banker and has been with the family owned bank since 1973.

Matt currently serves as Chairman of the American Bankers Association and also serves on the ABA Board. Matt has been a member of the ABA Government Relations Council and has served as the ABA State Grassroots Coordinator for the State of Nebraska. He was selected as one of 14 bankers from across our country to serve on the FDIC Advisory Committee on Community Banking. Matt was chairman of the Nebraska Bankers Association in 2003-2004 and has served on many NBA committees.

Matt serves as a Trustee of the University of Nebraska Foundation, UNL Ag Builders, the University of Nebraska President's Advisory Council, the University of Nebraska Finance Department Advisory Board, and is a past Director of the State Chamber of Commerce. He was recently appointed by the University of Nebraska Board of Regents to the Board of Directors of Innovation Campus. Matt has been very involved with economic development in Gothenburg and Dawson County formerly serving as Chairman of the Gothenburg Improvement Company and President of the Gothenburg Area Chamber of Commerce. Matt also served as a State Director for the Tom and Nancy Osborne TeamMates mentoring program.

Matt received his undergraduate and Law degrees from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Matt and his wife Susan have two children and five grandchildren.