

CONNECTING YOUNG NEBRASKANS SUMMIT 2018



Over 150 young leaders representing 44 Nebraska communities convened in Pender on November 7, 2018 to discuss their important role in Nebraska's future. The gathering was hosted by Connecting Young Nebraskans (CYN), a statewide network designed to connect, empower and retain young people across Greater Nebraska.

The CYN Summit was facilitated in an "un-conference" style which allowed attendees to host table top discussions around subjects that are important to them and the future of their hometowns. Participants could then self-select the discussions they wanted to take part in. Topics included leadership succession, creating a positive rural narrative, regional partnerships immigration, and education.

Impact of the Summit

73% Of survey respondents expanded their social network at the CYN Summit

84% felt fairly or extremely hopeful about the future due to the Summit

91% felt recharged as a result of attending the summit

97% agreed the Summit motivated them to make a difference in their community



"My favorite part of the CYN Summit experience was the flexibility to discuss difficult topics, in an open forum, to help formulate solutions " ~Summit Attendee

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