

# Bereuter outlines plans for possible GOP Congress

**By Ken Paulman**  
Staff Reporter

Congressman Doug Bereuter raised the issues of credibility, education and the prospects of a Republican Congress at the College Republicans' meeting Wednesday night.

Bereuter, who is running for his ninth term in the U.S. House of Representatives, said credibility and being prepared for office were two advantages he had over his opponent, Democrat Patrick Combs.

Bereuter said his experience in state offices and the Nebraska Legislature helped him serve

Nebraska in Congress. Combs has no such experience, he said.

Education is one of his top priorities, Bereuter said. He discussed his time in the state Legislature, where he said he helped the University of Nebraska-Lincoln get funding for more professors.

Bereuter said public schools should be able to compete for funding but that he did not support federal vouchers for private schools.

When asked about consolidation in rural

school districts, Bereuter said such changes can be good, but should not be federally mandated.

Bereuter also outlined the GOP Contract for Reform and Change, a series of 10 bills that he said would be brought to the House if the Republicans gained a majority.

Some of those bills include:

— A welfare reform program that would prohibit welfare to teen-age mothers in an effort to discourage illegitimacy, deny welfare to families that have collected for more than five years and require welfare recipients to work.

— Tax relief for middle-class families, including a \$500 per child tax credit.

— A defense program that would prohibit U.N. command of U.S. troops, renew America's commitment to a national missile defense and prevent cuts in the defense budget to fund social programs.

— A program to spur economic growth by, among other provisions, cutting the capital gains tax rate by 50 percent.

Bereuter said he wanted to change the way the House is run and restore democracy to it.

## Noise

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lem for at least one group. A certified public accountant test review course, held Saturdays in the northwest corner of the College of Business Administration building, was forced to relocate.

"The speaker system was really disruptive to the class," said Paul Shoemaker, who teaches the course.

The class moved to an interior classroom after the first game, Shoemaker said.

maker said. Since the move, he said, the noise has not been a problem.

Residents living closest to the stadium said the new speaker system did not bother them.

Several residents said they could not hear noise from the stadium at all when they were inside their house. Others said they could hear it faintly, but it was not a problem.

The noise also was no big deal for Lynnette Osborn of 1048 N. Ninth St. "I can hear it, but it doesn't bother me because I'm a big Nebraska fan," she said.

## Garage

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That site also has accessibility problems, he said.

Another potential site would be on the southeast corner of 17th and R streets, he said. UNL would have to tear down a convenience store located at the site, Carlson said. UNL owns the convenience store.

Other potential sites include the parking lot west of Memorial Stadium, the parking lot north of Morrill Hall, and the parking lot east of Alpha Chi Omega Sorority and north of the Cather-Pound residence hall complex at 17th and Vine streets.

Another option, Carlson said, was to not build a parking garage. UNL would not build a garage if demand was low, he said.

## Employers, schools to come to UNL

**By Rick Grady**  
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More than 130 companies and graduate programs will be at UNL on Friday for Career Connections '94, held in the concourse of the Bob Devaney Sports Center.

The career and graduate school fair will run from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., and students from 25 other Nebraska colleges may attend the fair.

Career Connections, coordinated by University of Nebraska-Lincoln Career Services, is drawing corporations such as Black & Decker and Norwest Financial. Some major graduate universities — including Cornell, Harvard and Purdue — will recruit.

Geri Cotter, assistant director of Career Services, is serving as director of the fair.

"I think the fact that so many representatives are coming speaks well of UNL students," Cotter said.

Career Connections is an opportunity for students to interact with many companies and graduate program representatives, she said.

Cotter said the best way to gather career information was by talking directly to employers.

In addition to speaking with representatives, students can attend workshops on career and graduate school issues from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. and a style seminar with

UNL men's basketball coach Danny Nee and women's basketball coach Angela Beck.

The idea of having both companies and graduate programs at the same fair is a new idea, Cotter said.

Career Services in the past held separate fairs in the Nebraska Union. Cotter said she hoped the combination would make it easier for students to see all the options available to undergraduates.

Career Connections is sponsored by the College Placement Association of Nebraska, UNL Office of Graduate Studies and KFRX radio, which will broadcast live from the event.

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