

Anton Karl Neff Biography

As of 3/16/2026

Government - Current

Owen County Council Member, 2003+, Vice President (2025+)
MYPath Trail System Advisory Board Member, 2020+
Association of Indiana Counties (AIC) Board Member & Past President, 2021+
AIC Education Committee Member, 2019+, Chairman (2019)
AIC Himsel Award Committee Member, 2025+, Chairman (2025)
AIC Legislative Committee Member, 2014 – 2019, 2024+, Chairman (2017)
AIC Nominating Committee Member, 2025
Indiana State Comptroller Roundtable Member, 2024+
National Association of Counties (NACo) Board Member, 2025+
NACo Healthy Counties Innovation Council Member, 2025+
NACo Membership Committee Member, 2016 – 2018, 2022+, Vice Chair (2025+)
NACo Rural Action Caucus Member, 2025+
United States Selective Service System Area Board Member, 2018+, Chairman (2025+)

Government - Past

Owen County Community Corrections Advisory Board (2015 – 2023)
Owen County Plan Commission (2003 – 2014), President (2012 – 2014)
AIC, President (2020), 1st Vice President (2019), 2nd Vice President (2018),
3rd Vice President (2017), Treasurer (2016), COVID-19 Recovery Committee (2020),
Nominating Committee (2021, 2023), Awards & Scholarships Committee Member (2013, 2018)
Indiana County Councils Association (ICCA), Secretary (2016 – 2022), Vice President (2023),
President (2024, 2025)
NACo Live Healthy Program Committee Member (2021)
NACo Annual Conference Delegate (2019, 2020, 2021, 2025)
NACo Legislative Conference Attendee (2017, 2018, 2020, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026)
Town of Spencer, Election Board (2007, 2011, 2015, 2023), President (2015, 2023)

Awards

“Sagamore of the Wabash”, Indiana’s 51st Governor, 2024
“Arthur R. Himsel Award”, AIC, 2024
“Owen County Fair Grand Champion”, Photography, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2025
“Donald Neiswinger Community Award”, Owen Valley Fire Territory, 2023
“Outstanding County Council Member”, AIC/ICCA, 2015

Education - All

Graduate, NACo / High Performance Leadership Academy, 2021
Graduate, AIC's Institute for Excellence in County Government, 2016
Graduate, Indiana University, B.A. Telecommunications, 1999
Graduate, Owen Valley High School, 1995
Professional Designation, Certified Insurance Counselor (CIC), 2010+
Trained Weather Spotter, US National Weather Service, 2016+
FEMA ICS-100 Training, Incident Command System Introduction, 2007
FEMA IS-700 Training, National Incident Management System Introduction, 2007

Employment

Insurance Agent, Bloomington & Duling Insurance Agencies, 2003+
Telecommunications Cost Analyst, Teletron, 1999 – 2002

Other

Friends of McCormick's Creek State Park Member
Gosport VFW Post 7850 & Auxiliary Memorial Day Ceremony Guest Speaker (2023)
Owen County Chamber of Commerce Legislative Breakfast Moderator, 2021+
Owen County Community Foundation Grants Committee, 2023+
Owen County Democratic Party Chairman (2001 – 2013)
Owen County Democratic Party Washington 1 Precinct Committee Chair
Owen County Garden Club Member
Owen County Heritage & Culture Center Member
Owen County Preservations Member
Owen Valley High School Commencement Speaker (2020, 2025)
Owen Valley Middle School Basketball Game Bookkeeper & Announcer
Spencer Lions Club Member, 2000+
Spencer Main Street Member
Swiss Club of Central Indiana Member