



AAA Ranks Nebraska #1

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"We are excited to be the most economical travel destination for people in the United States," said Dan Curran, director of the Nebraska Department of Economic Development's Division of Travel and Tourism. "The financial value of a vacation in Nebraska allows travelers to extend their stays, enjoy more attractions and explore all the state has to offer."

For more information on vacations in Nebraska and to receive a free Nebraska travel packet, call 1-877-NEBRASKA or visit the Nebraska Travel and Tourism's Web site at www.VisitNebraska.org

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