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### **\*\*\*PRESS RELEASE\*\*\***

## **State Auditor Otto Becomes President of National Organization**

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**ST. PAUL (7/26/2013)** – Minnesota State Auditor Rebecca Otto has been chosen to serve as President of the National State Auditors Association (NSAA). NSAA is an organization dedicated to uniting state auditors across the country by encouraging and providing opportunities for the free exchange of information and ideas between auditors on the state, federal and local levels.

"I thoroughly enjoy working with this group of professionals from around the nation who are focused on transparency, accountability and excellence in government," said Auditor Otto. "As President of the Association, I look forward to hosting the NSAA conference in St. Paul in June 2014," said State Auditor Otto.

Otto also serves on the Executive Committee of the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers (NASACT), in addition to various other committees. Auditor Otto is in her third year as Chair of the NSAA Human Resources Committee.

NSAA was organized in 1979 as an associate of the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers (NASACT). NSAA performs much of its work through a set of standing committees. NSAA's committees meet in conjunction with the association's annual conference in June each year and also during business meetings held throughout the year.

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*Rebecca Otto is Minnesota's 18<sup>th</sup> State Auditor. A high-resolution official photo is available for download at [http://www.auditor.state.mn.us/images/otto\\_hires.jpg](http://www.auditor.state.mn.us/images/otto_hires.jpg). To learn more about State Auditor Otto, see <http://www.auditor.state.mn.us/default.aspx?page=bio>.*