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Commissioner Bentley named to NACo committee

Greene County Commissioner Roseann Bentley has been named to serve on a National Association of Counties (NACo) legislation and policy committee.

Bentley was nominated to NACo's Human Services and Education Steering Committee on Feb. 23, 2011. The committee develops legislative policy and communicates with Congress and federal agencies on matters pertaining to human services, including education. She will serve a one-year term and is eligible for reappointment.

"Serving on a national committee gives me the opportunity to gather information and expertise on a number of issues pertinent to Greene County," said Bentley. "I am honored to serve."

NACo is the only national organization that represents county governments in the United States. Founded in 1935, NACo provides essential services to the nation's 3,068 counties. NACo advances issues with a unified voice before the federal government, improves the public's understanding of county government, assists counties in finding and sharing innovative solutions through education and research, and provides value-added services to save counties and taxpayers money.

For more information, visit www.naco.org or contact Greene County Commissioner Roseann Bentley at 417-868-4112, or Greene County Public Information Officer Jenny Fillmer at 417-829-6019 or 417-224-5510.

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