



Community Engagement  
Cyrus K. Holliday Building  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor Conference Room  
620 SE Madison Street

## City of Topeka CITIZEN ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

**Date:** Wednesday, August 6, 2025

**Zoom meeting link:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87092189595?pwd=VGlxRHZVSVPjbi9PSTZHaWFzMU5Zdz09>

**Meeting ID:** 870 9218 9595

**Passcode:** 628865

**Time:** 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

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**Citizen Advisory Council Vision Statement:** “A community of neighborhoods illuminating collaborative models to foster harmonious and balanced neighborhood communities.”

**Citizen Advisory Council Mission Statement:** “The Citizen Advisory Council is a community of neighborhoods organized to forge available resources to empower, rebuild, and revitalize areas within the city of Topeka.”

### **I. CALL TO ORDER (5 minutes)**

Susan McClacherty, *Citizen Advisory Council Chair*

A. Approval of July 2025 Meeting Minutes (2 minutes)

B. Adopt August 2025 Agenda (2 minutes)

### **II. PRESENTATION (60 minutes)**

A. 3D Printed Homes by Trident Homes, Chris Stemler (30 minutes, 10 minutes for Q&A)

B. Proposed Changes to Washburn University Community Studies Class Working with NIAs, Dr. Michaela Saunders, Lecturer & Interim Faculty Fellow for Community-Engaged Learning (10 minutes, 5 minutes for Q&A)

### **III. STAFF UPDATES (10 minutes)**

A. Office of Inclusive Communities Status & Program Update, Monique Glaudé, Director of the Office of Inclusive Communities

B. City of Topeka Conflict of Interest Waiver for Boards & Commissions, Bianca Burnett, Community Programs Administrator

### **IV. AFFORDABLE REVIEW HOUSING COMMITTEE UPDATE (5 minutes, 5 minutes for Q&A)**

A. Sandra Batts, CAC Representative

### **V. DISCUSSION ITEMS (10 minutes)**

A. NIA Support Fund Balances

B. NIA Requests for Community Events Funding



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### **VI. ACTION ITEMS (10 minutes)**

- A. NIA Support Fund Adjustments
- B. NIA Requests for Community Events Funding
- C. TPS Family Fitness Fun Night Booth

### **VII. ANNOUNCEMENTS (0 minutes)**

- A. August 4-15, Monday-Friday 9 AM to 4 PM, Creations of Hope Art Exhibit held in the Heritage Bank Lobby, 3024 SW Wanamaker RD
- B. Saturday, August 9 at 9 AM – 19th Annual Tennessee Town Basketball Tournament held at King's Court Basketball Court (SW Corner of Lincon and Munson). Call 785-235-1834 for registration. At 9:30 AM at 1149 SW Lincoln ST there will be a recognition of Old Timers of Historic Tennessee Town. For questions call the church at 785-235-1834 for the 9:30 AM event.
- C. Saturday, August 9 from noon to 5 PM – National Night Out at the Agriculture Hall, 1 Expocentre DR.
- D. **Friday, September 5, 2025 Final 2026 DREAMS 3 Applications due to Office of Inclusive Communities**
- E. **Saturday, October 4, 2025 CAC 2026 DREAMS Application Review & Scoring Workshop – more information to come.**
- F. Sunday, October 5 from 2-4 PM, Welcome Baby Jubilee at Pozez Education Center at Stormont Vail Hospital
- G. Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> – Historic North Topeka East's Annual Trunk or Treat in the NOTO arts district.
- H. Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> -- Historic North Topeka East is partnering with the NOTO Art Center for a Celebration of Lights event.

### **VIII. ADJOURNMENT (1 minute)**

- A. Next Meeting – September 3, 2025

2025 MEETING SCHEDULE			
January 8	February 5	March 5	April 2
May 7	June 4	July 2	August 6
September 3	October 1	November 5	December 3