

Citizen Advisory Council Meeting

MARCH 5, 2025 | 6:00 PM

Citizen
Advisory
Council

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.”

6:00 PM
Call to Order
(1 minute)

Please sign your name on the sign-in sheet

or

use the chat feature in Zoom to enter your name and the neighborhood or organization that you represent.

ZOOM RECORDING WILL BEGIN NOW

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Citizen Advisory Council Agenda Overview

6:00 PM CALL TO ORDER (5 minutes)

- A. Approval of **February 2025 [Meeting Minutes](#)** (2 min)
- B. Adopt **March 2025 [Agenda](#)** (2 min)

6:05 PM DISCUSSION ITEMS (25 minutes)

- 501(c)3 NIA share the pros/cons of having this designation
- Tier 2 NIAs share the pros/cons of having this partnership
- Share your NIAs goals in 2025
- Share how your NIA budgets their finances
- Share any events planned in the next three months or the rest of the year
- Ideas for making DREAMS consults more productive
- Share how information is shared among residents and/or others in the community
- Share your NIAs favorite partnership
- Share other relevant information
- [Recommended changes to DREAMS Program beginning in 2026](#)

6:30 PM STAFF UPDATES(10 minutes)

- A. [Community Engagement Division Status & Program Update](#), Monique Glaudé, Division Director of Community Engagement

6:40 PM ROUND TABLES (45 minutes)

- A. Sharing of greatest 2024 neighborhood improvement (15 minutes)
- B. Sharing of greatest 2024 neighborhood event (15 minutes)
- C. Sharing of leadership commitments in 2025 (15 minutes)

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7:25 PM ACTION ITEMS (10 minutes)

- A. [Distribution of CAC and NIA Support Funds Funds Analysis](#)
- B. Call for CAC Members Volunteering for Articles Promoting Health and Prevention Causes – <https://b2b.healthgrades.com/insights/blog/2025-health-observances-calendar/>

7:35 PM ANNOUNCEMENTS (0 minutes)

- A. Consolidated Action Plan public comment period ends March 30, 2025

7:40 PM ADJOURNMENT (1 minute)

- A. Next Meeting – April 2, 2025 Holliday Building Conference Room, First Floor-620 SE Madison, 6:00 PM

THANK YOU!!!

GOOD NIGHT EVERYONE!