

Citizen Advisory Council Meeting

JULY 2, 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

**PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR MIC UNTIL YOU ARE
READY TO SPEAK (BOTH ZOOM & IN PERSON)**

Citizen Advisory Council Agenda Overview

6:00 PM CALL TO ORDER (5 minutes)

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

6:15 PM STAFF UPDATES(10 minutes)

- A. [Office of Inclusive Communities Program Updates](#), Monique Glaudé, Director of the Office of Inclusive Communities
- B. [NIA Support Budget Report & DREAMS Project Summary Report](#), Bianca Burnett, Community Programs Administrator

6:05 PM DISCUSSION ITEMS (15 minutes)

- A. [NIA Requests for Community Events Funding \(Bylaws\)](#)

6:25 PM ACTION ITEMS (10 minutes)

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6:35 PM ANNOUNCEMENTS (*0 minutes*)

- A. **Shawnee County Primary Elections** – Deadline for registering to vote or providing updates is 5 PM, Tuesday, July 15th at the Election Office or online at <https://www.kdor.ks.gov/apps/voterreg/home/index> . You can choose from three ways to vote: In-Person Early Voting begins on July 21. Advance by Mail begins July 16th. Election Day voting at your assigned polling place on August 5th. Sample ballots from the Election Office are available 30 days before each election.
- B. Friday, August 1st – **New deadline for 2026 DREAMS 3 Preliminary Applications**
- C. Saturday, August 9th - **National Night Out**. More details to come.
- D. Friday, September 5th – **New deadline for 2026 DREAMS 3 Final Applications**
- E. Saturday, October 25th – **Historic North Topeka East's Annual Trunk or Treat** in the NOTO arts district.
- F. Saturday, November 22nd -- Historic North Topeka East is partnering with the NOTO Art Center for a **Celebration of Lights** event.

6:40 PM ADJOURNMENT (*1 minute*)

Next Meeting – August 6, 2025

THANK YOU!!!

GOOD NIGHT EVERYONE!