

Citizen Advisory Council Meeting

AUGUST 6, 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.

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**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 July 2025 [Meeting Minutes](#) (2 min)
- B. Adopt August 2025 [Agenda](#) (2 min)

6:05 PM 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)

6:15 PM STAFF UPDATES (10 minutes)

- A. [Office of Inclusive Communities Program Updates](#), 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

6:05 PM AFFORDABLE REVIEW HOUSING COMMITTEE UPDATE (10 minutes)

- A. Sandra Batts, CAC Representative

6:05 PM DISCUSSION ITEMS (10 minutes)

- A. [NIA Support Fund Balance](#)
- B. [NIA Requests for Community Events Funding - NONE](#)

6:25 PM ACTION ITEMS (10 minutes)

- A. [NIA Support Fund Adjustments](#)
- B. [NIA Requests for Community Events Funding - NONE](#)
- C. [TPS Family Fitness Fun Night Booth](#)

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6:35 PM 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 25th – Historic North Topeka East's Annual Trunk or Treat** in the NOTO arts district.
- H. 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 – September 3, 2025

THANK YOU!!!

GOOD NIGHT EVERYONE!