

# Citizen Advisory Council Meeting

July 6, 2022 | 6:45 PM



## 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.”

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# Citizen Advisory Council Agenda Overview

6:45 PM Call to Order (1 minute)

6:45 PM Presentations (55 minutes)

7:40 PM Staff Updates (10 minutes)

7:50 PM Tools (2 minutes)

7:50 PM CAC Working Groups (15 minutes)

8:05 PM CAC Minutes (1 minute)

8:05 PM Adjournment (1 minute)

6:45 PM  
Call to Order  
(1 minute)

*Enter name and represented neighborhood  
or organization on the sign-in sheet  
or  
use the chat feature in Zoom please.*

6:45 PM  
PRESENTATIONS  
(55 minutes)

- A. [Topeka Community Cycle Program – Andy Fry \(10 minutes\)](#)
- B. Community Risk Assessment Process and Breakdown of Area Stats – *Alan Stahl, Public Education Office of Topeka Fire Department (25 minutes)*  
<https://dashboards.mysidewalk.com/template-commproxl-template-phase-ii-3689b97d51ca>
- C. Quarterly Report to CAC – *Corrie Wright, Division Director of Housing Services (20 minutes)*

7:40 PM  
Staff Updates  
(10 minutes)

- A. [Get Digital Program Update](#)
- B. [Board Leadership Training](#)
- C. [Neighborhood Lawn Mowing RFP](#)
- D. [NIA Consultations for DREAMS Planning with City/County Departments](#)

7:50 PM [Tools](#) (2 minutes)

## 7:50 PM Status of CAC Working Groups (15 minutes)

(To include the scope/vision for the working group and what the working group wants to accomplish in the second, third, and fourth quarters of 2022)

- A. Affordable Housing – Michael Bell, Jill Thompson
- B. Dumpster Project – David Holl, Jill Rice, Kim Thompson
- C. Membership (lack of participation) – Tommy Green, Debby DuBois, Don Fortin, Susan McClacherty
- D. Infrastructure – Alicia Barber, David Bawden
- E. Translations for Spanish speaking families: ShaMecha Simms
- F. Water Drainage Problems, Flooding – Kim Thompson



8:05 PM CAC Minutes (1 minute)

- [June 1, 2022](#)

8:05 PM  
Adjournment  
(1 minutes)

- A. Topeka Fiesta Mexicana is set for July 14-July 16 on the grounds of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, 201 NE Chandler. Daily food windows start at 4 PM while music and entertainment will begin at 5 PM.
- B. Free Yard Waste Disposal for Residents Only at Forestry Products Recycling Center (3431 SE 21st) is July 16 from 8 AM – 5 PM. [All loads of trees and limbs should be covered and secured.]
- C. Free Board Leadership Training starts July 20 from 6-7:30 PM at CRC – Avondale East, 455 Golf Park Blvd (media room)
- D. FREE Summertime Blues Concert Series brought to you by Topeka Blues Society. Stranded in the City is playing July 20th at Gage Park Amphitheater from 7-9 PM
- E. National Night Out is August 6 and held in various neighborhoods throughout Topeka

THANK YOU!!!  
GOOD NIGHT EVERYONE.

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