

# Safe Property Management Training

**Real Life Problems. Real Life Solutions.**

Tuesday, March 22, 2022 | 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Shawnee County Health Department, 2600 SW East Circle Drive

\$50 | Advance Registration Required

Join Safe Streets and our community partners for a training comprised of important, updated information on issues affecting you, as rental property owners, managers and workers.

Presentations will include experts in the following areas: Property Maintenance (Code Enforcement), Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design, Narcotics Recognition, Animal Control and Legal Issues among others.

### Ideal Training for:

- ◆ Apartment/Rental Property Managers
- ◆ Property Maintenance Workers
- ◆ Landlords
- ◆ Those considering becoming landlords

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### SAFE PROPERTY MANAGEMENT REGISTRATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Business \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Cost is \$50 per person, only lunch and bottled water provided      Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

**MASKS ARE REQUIRED—SOCIAL DISTANCING WILL BE SET UP**

**Registration due by Wednesday, March 16, 2022**

Send registration to Safe Streets, 2209 SW 29th Street, Topeka, Kansas 66611-1908.

Questions? Call 266.4606 or email [jwilson@safestreets.org](mailto:jwilson@safestreets.org)

***Registration will not be refunded if cancelled 5 or fewer days before program.***

ACCOMMODATIONS: If you need accommodations, please call 266.4606 for arrangements.



Shawnee County Health Department

**Shawnee County Health Department**  
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[www.shawneehealth.org](http://www.shawneehealth.org)

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**  
2/24/2022

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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

#### **Updated COVID-19 Recommendations from Local Health Officer**

**Topeka, Kan.** – With significant improvements in all Shawnee County COVID-19 metrics over the last four weeks Shawnee County Health Officer, Dr. Erin Locke, has issued updated recommendations to continue the mitigation of COVID-19 in the Shawnee County community. Several previously recommended mitigation strategies have been removed due to the improved community situation, including the following:

- Recommendations to prepare for staffing and supply chain shortages
- Recommendation to Board of Health to institute a mask mandate
- Recommendation to reschedule or move events and meetings to virtual settings
- Recommendation to limit in-person attendance to 50%
- Recommendation to avoid crowds
- Recommendation to work from home

These updated recommendations continue to be in accordance with recommendations from both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the State of Kansas. Recommendations continue to focus on the primary mitigation measures that have been shown to have the greatest impact on reducing the spread of COVID-19. Employers, organizations and individuals should continue the practice of conducting risk assessments to gauge necessary mitigation strategies for their particular environment and situations.

Vaccination continues to be one of our best tools at combating COVID-19, as such, the SCHD continues to strongly encourage residents to protect themselves by getting a COVID-19 vaccine and subsequent booster dose once they are eligible. At this time, individuals aged 5 and older are eligible for COVID-19 vaccination and individuals aged 12 and older are eligible for a booster dose. Currently, 60% of the population in Shawnee County has completed a primary vaccine series and 66% has received at least one vaccine dose. Many opportunities to receive a COVID-19 vaccine continue to exist in our community and can be found easily through the [CDC's Vaccine tool](#).

Testing continues to be available and free to Shawnee County residents. To find a location near you, visit [www.knowbeforeyougoks.com](http://www.knowbeforeyougoks.com), find locations on the SCHD testing webpage [here](#), or contact your healthcare provider.



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Questions regarding the Health Officer Recommendations can be sent to [HAAdmin@snco.us](mailto:HAAdmin@snco.us) or by calling **785.251.4949**. Questions regarding COVID-19 vaccine can be sent to [CovidVaccine@snco.us](mailto:CovidVaccine@snco.us).

**Attachment:**

COVID-19 Recommendations from the Local Health Officer (2/24/2022)

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*Shawnee County Health Department is committed to working in partnership with our community to promote and protect the optimal health of all people by bridging gaps to eliminate health inequities, respecting the diversity of our community, through adaptive and innovative processes.*

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## COVID-19 RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER

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Local health officer recommendations issued on this 24th day of February 2022 to mitigate the spread of SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) in Shawnee County, Kansas.

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On the 31st day of January 2020, the United States Secretary of Health and Human Services declared a national public health emergency from Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). In recognition of the continued consequences of the pandemic, this national public health emergency remains in effect.

On the 19th day of August 2021, as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Shawnee County, Kansas declared a state of local disaster emergency pursuant to K.S.A. 48-932, the same has been extended to March 31, 2022 (Resolution No. 2021-118).

COVID-19 has resulted in 47,614 reported positive cases and 560 deaths of Shawnee County residents. COVID-19 is a respiratory disease that continues to mutate into variants, including Omicron, which spread easily from person to person and may result in serious illness or death.

The highly transmissible Omicron variant led to a rapid surge of new cases, hospitalizations and deaths in January 2022. Fortunately, as the local situation improves, certain mitigation measures can now be safely lifted. Following guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), the local health officer continues to recommend the following measures.

### GENERAL PUBLIC

#### WHEN YOU ARE FEELING SICK

- Review if your symptoms are consistent with COVID-19 (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>).
- Stay home so you don't spread illness to others.
- Get tested as soon as possible.
- If your test is positive:
  - Do not return to work, school or other activities until isolation is complete (see below).
  - Notify your close contacts that they have been exposed.
  - Contact your healthcare provider if you are high risk for severe disease (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-with-medical-conditions.html>).

### **TEST FREQUENTLY**

- Monitor for symptoms and test immediately if symptoms develop.
- If you have been exposed, test 5 days after exposure, regardless of symptoms.
- Find a test on [knowbeforeyougo.com](https://www.knowbeforeyougo.com)

### **WEAR YOUR MASK**

- When indoors in public spaces
- When outdoor settings are crowded and distancing is difficult to maintain
- When using public transportation, taxis or ride-sharing services
- Upgrade your mask to a well-fitting medical procedure mask or KN95.
- Certain individuals should not wear a mask. See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/about-face-coverings.html> for more information.

### **GET YOUR VACCINE**

- All eligible individuals who are not yet vaccinated should receive a COVID-19 vaccine.
- All individuals should receive a vaccine booster if:
  - 5 months or longer since completion of a Pfizer or Moderna primary series
  - 2 months or longer since completion of the Janssen (J&J) primary series
- Find your vaccine on [vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov)

### **ISOLATION AND QUARANTINE**

- Remember 5 + 5 = 10
- 5 days at home + 5 days wearing a well-fitting mask
- If unable to wear a mask, stay home for 10 days
- More detailed information available at <https://www.snco.us/hd/>

### **HYGIENE**

- Wash hands frequently with soap and water or use hand sanitizer containing at least 60% alcohol.
- Cover your coughs and sneezes.
- Clean high-touch surfaces regularly.

### **BUSINESSES**

#### **STRENGTHEN INFECTION CONTROL**

- Send employees home when sick.
- Utilize sick time policies.
- Follow isolation and quarantine timelines.
- Require patron-facing employees to wear masks.

Shawnee County Recommendations  
February 24, 2022

- Certain individuals should not be required to wear a mask. See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/about-face-coverings.html> for more information.
- Optimize physical distancing for employees and patrons.
- Continue cleaning and disinfection, particularly “high-touch” surfaces.
- Review further guidance at <https://www.osha.gov/coronavirus>

**OPTIMIZE VENTILATION**

- Ensure the HVAC system is maintained, regularly change filters and circulate air with fans.

**MASS GATHERINGS AND OTHER EVENTS**

**LIMIT CROWD SIZE**

- Ensure physical distancing of at least 6 feet between households

**OPTIMIZE VENTILATION**

- Ensure the HVAC system is maintained, regularly change filters and circulate air with fans.
- Hold outdoors, weather permitting.

**REQUIRE MASKS**

- In all indoor spaces
- When outdoor settings are crowded and distancing is difficult to maintain
- Certain individuals should not be required to wear a mask. See <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/about-face-coverings.html> for more information.



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Erin Locke, MD, MPH  
Shawnee County Health Officer

***For Immediate Release***

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Development Director  
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**DOING THE  
MOST GOOD**

## **Salvation Army Provides Warming Center**

### ***Corps community center in Topeka available during cold weather.***

Topeka, KS (Feb. 10, 2022) - With some of the coldest temperatures experienced so far this winter season hitting the Topeka area, The Salvation Army has its doors open as a warming center and every day for the rest of the winter if temperatures dip to 20 degrees or below.

The Salvation Army at 1320 SE 6<sup>th</sup> Street will open as a warming center from 10 am to 4 pm on weekdays and from 10 am to 1 pm on Sundays.

Every person utilizing the warming center will receive a bag containing water, light snacks, and cold weather safety information.

"We know people need a warm place to stay in during the day with these extremely cold temperatures, and we wanted to take steps to provide those locations while also maintaining as much of a safe space as possible," said Capt. Cristian Lopez

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### **About The Salvation Army**

The Salvation Army annually helps nearly 23 million Americans overcome poverty, addiction and economic hardships through a range of social services. By providing food for the hungry, emergency relief for disaster survivors, rehabilitation for those suffering from drug and alcohol abuse, and clothing and shelter for people in need, The Salvation Army is doing the most good at 7,600 centers of operation around the country. In the first-ever listing of "America's Favorite Charities" by The Chronicle of Philanthropy, The Salvation Army ranked as the country's largest privately funded, direct-service nonprofit. For more information about the Kansas and Western Missouri Division, visit [SalArmyMoKan.org](http://SalArmyMoKan.org). Follow us on Twitter: [@SalArmyMoKan](https://twitter.com/SalArmyMoKan) and [#DoingTheMostGood](https://twitter.com/DoingTheMostGood).





# SHAWNEE COUNTY BABY BASICS PRENATAL CLASSES

## Becoming a Mom® Group Prenatal Education

Whether you are experiencing a pregnancy for the first time or the fourth time, each experience is different and can create new challenges and concerns!

Interact with other pregnant women and find out more about common pregnancy experiences including what to expect during labor and delivery, how to be successful with breastfeeding, and how to calm your baby.

Classes are held at the Health Department.



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**Free sessions!**

**Share your  
experiences and  
learn!**

**Earn rewards!**

**Next Session:  
Wednesdays**

**March 30<sup>th</sup> – May 4<sup>th</sup>  
3:30-5:30p.m.**

**Register today!**

**[babybasics@snco.us](mailto:babybasics@snco.us)**

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\*This program utilizes the March of Dimes Becoming a Mom®/Comenzado bien curriculum and is supported by the Kansas Department of Health & Environment and March of Dimes.



Hello Everyone

**United Way of Greater Topeka is excited to host the Topeka Volunteers Event on April 21<sup>st</sup> from 11-5:30PM at Fairlawn Plaza.** The Topeka Volunteers Event is a community volunteer engagement fair where nonprofits have the opportunity to talk about their services, but also how community membership can volunteer with those agencies to give back to our community. This capacity building opportunity to recruit volunteers for all our nonprofits is very important to the success of the work we do within Shawnee County.

**We are recruiting 50 agencies to participate in this year's event, if your nonprofit agency is interested in hosting a table at this event, please email Jessica Barraclough at [jnb@unitedwaytopeka.org](mailto:jnb@unitedwaytopeka.org).** Space is limited, so make sure you confirm today!

**We are encouraging organizations, businesses and schools to encourage attendance to members, staff and students.**

If you have any questions don't hesitate to connect.

In service,

Jess

**Jessica Neumann Barraclough** (she/her/hers)  
**Director of Volunteer Engagement**  
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United Way  
of Greater Topeka

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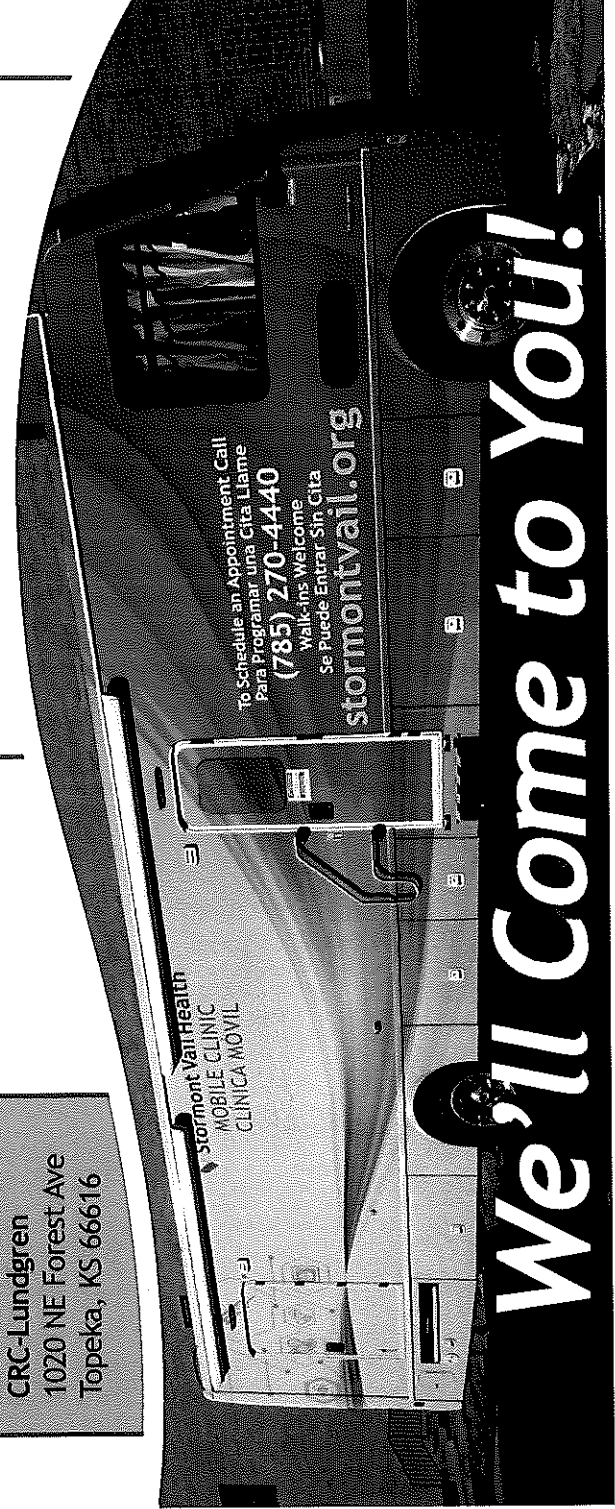
# FEBRUARY 2022

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>14</b> Veterans Park NOTO 131 NE Laurent St Topeka, KS 66608	<b>15</b> Marian Dental 3164 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>16</b> Trinity Presbyterian 4746 SW 21st St Topeka, KS 66604	<b>17</b> MAP @ Salvation Army 1320 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>18</b>
<b>21</b> Grace Cathedral 701 SW 8th Ave Topeka, KS 66603	<b>22</b> CRC-Avondale East 455 SE Golf Park Blvd Topeka, KS 66605	<b>23</b> Central Park Community Center 1534 SW Clay St Topeka, KS 66604	<b>24</b> MAP @ Salvation Army 1320 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>25</b>
<b>28</b> CRC-Lundgren 1020 NE Forest Ave Topeka, KS 66616				


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## Location Color Key

-  SW Topeka
-  East Topeka
-  CRC-Avondale East
-  Central Topeka
-  CRC-Lundgren
-  North Topeka



# We'll Come to You!

# MARCH 2022

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	<b>1</b> Marian Dental 3164 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>2</b> Trinity Presbyterian 4746 SW 21st St Topeka, KS 66604	<b>3</b> MAP @ Salvation Army 1320 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>4</b>
<b>7</b> Veterans Park NOTO 131 NE Laurent St Topeka, KS 66608	<b>8</b> CRC-Avondale East 455 SE Golf Park Blvd Topeka, KS 66605	<b>9</b> Central Park Community Center 1534 SW Clay St Topeka, KS 66604	<b>10</b> MAP @ Salvation Army 1320 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>11</b>
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<b>21</b> Garfield Park Community Center 1600 NE Quincy St Topeka, KS 66608	<b>22</b> CRC-Avondale East 455 SE Golf Park Blvd Topeka, KS 66605	<b>23</b> Central Park Community Center 1534 SW Clay St Topeka, KS 66604	<b>24</b> MAP @ Salvation Army 1320 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>25</b>
<b>28</b> CRC-Lundgren 1020 NE Forest Ave Topeka, KS 66616	<b>29</b> Marian Dental 3164 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	<b>30</b> Trinity Presbyterian 4746 SW 21st St Topeka, KS 66604	<b>31</b> MAP @ Salvation Army 1320 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	

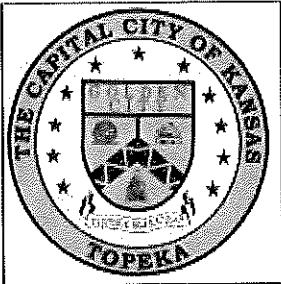


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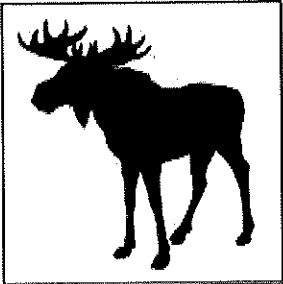
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Starting Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, R.D. Johnson Excavating will be resuming construction on the trafficway and water improvement projects along N Kansas Ave from NW Morse St to NE Soldier St. North/south traffic on N Kansas will be maintained to limit impact to the surrounding areas. This work is expected to wrap up near the end of May, 2022.



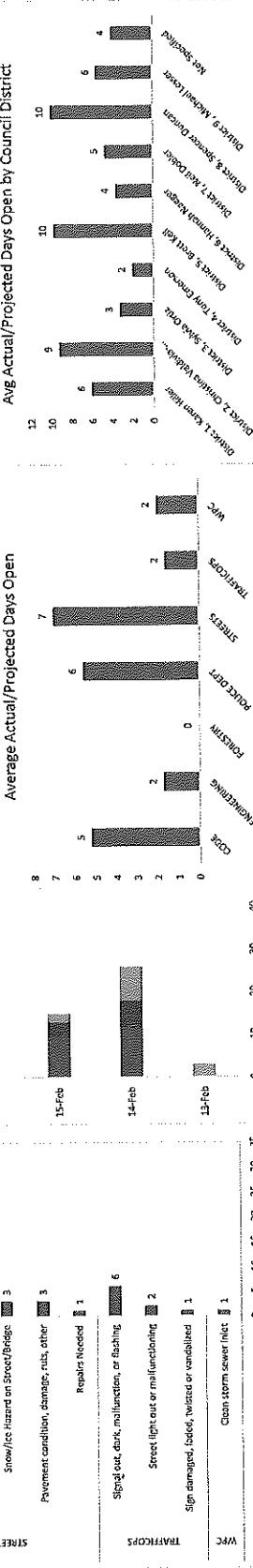
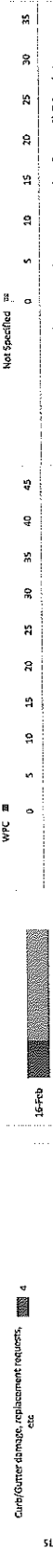
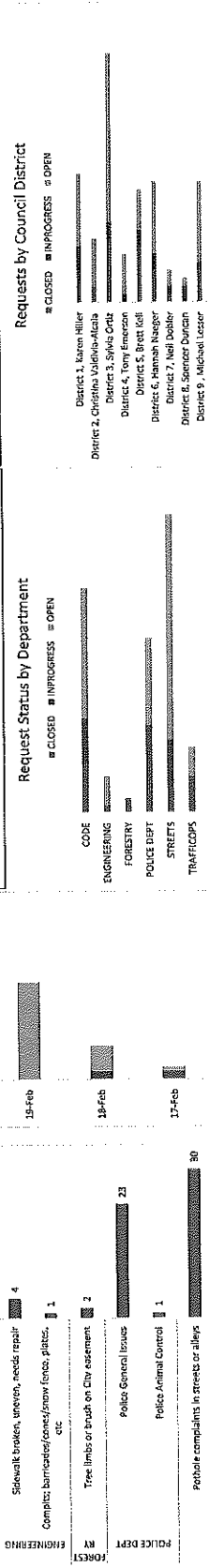
**Andy Rosebrook**  
**Traffic Engineering Technician II**  
**City of Topeka**  
**Direct: 785-368-3044**  
**Office: 785-368-3842**



See Click Fix Requests 02/13/2022 to 02/19/2022

**Council Member**  
 District 1, ... District 2, ... District 3, ... District 4, ... District 5, ... District 6, ... District 7, ... District 8, ... District 9, ... Not Specified

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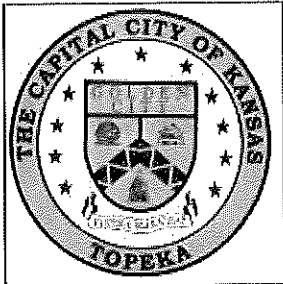
Request Descriptions

Request Description	Count
Woods, brush piles, graffiti, junk-car, trash, etc	21
Sidewalk broken, uneven, needs repair	4
Complax; barricades/cones/snow fences, plates, etc	1
Tree limbs or brush on City easement	2
Police General Issues	23
Police Animal Control	1
Portable complaints in streets or alleys	30
Curbs/Gutter damage, replacement requests, etc	4
Snow/ice hazard on Street/Bridge	3
Pavement condition, damage, ruts, other	3
Repairs Needed	1
Signpost, curb, malfunction, or flashing	6
Street light out or malfunctioning	2
Sign damaged, faded, twisted or vandalized	1
Clean storm sewer inlet	1

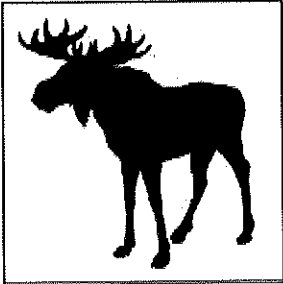
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STREETS	Pavement condition, damage, ruts, other	5928-5998 SW 17th St	11841004	OPEN	2/7/2022	2/10/2022		2/9/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	2111 SW Mission Ave	11858382	OPEN	2/13/2022			2/15/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1127 NE Wash Ave	11870488	OPEN	2/13/2022			2/15/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	3728 SW Cobblestone Pl	11871660	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	3720 SW Cobblestone Pl	11871660	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
TRAFFICOPS	Signal out, dark, malfunction, or flashing	1500-6698 SW Fairview Rd	11871905	CLOSED	2/14/2022			0 2/16/2022
TRAFFICOPS	Signal out, dark, malfunction, or flashing	1500-6698 SW Fairview Rd	11871905	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/15/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1324 SE Indiana Ave	11872475	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/14/2022		0 2/14/2022
CODE	Repairs Needed	1140 SW Reed Oaks Pl	11872480	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			4/11/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	824 SE 14th St	11872484	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			2/17/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1421 SE Branner St	11872505	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1405 Lake St	11872519	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1465 SE Washburn St	11872529	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		2 2/15/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1600 SE Hudson Blvd	11872545	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		2 2/15/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	203 SW Harrison St	11873061	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		4 2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	2028 SW Gage Blvd	11873438	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		2 2/15/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1901 SW Gage Blvd	11874326	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		2 2/16/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	2011 SW Gage Blvd	11874338	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		2 2/16/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1421 SW Harrison St	11874826	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	801 SW WARREN AVE	11875157	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/18/2022
ENGINEERING	Stewalk broken, uneven, needs repair	801 S Kansas Ave	11875395	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	2400 SW 21st St	11875398	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/15/2022		2 2/16/2022
CODE	Police General Issues	2909 SW 37th St	11875524	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		4 2/18/2022
ENGINEERING	Police General Issues	304 SW Van Buren St	11875603	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
ENGINEERING	Police General Issues	1630 SW 28th St	11875687	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			2/15/2022
ENGINEERING	Police General Issues	1249 SW Macford Ave	11875687	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/15/2022		3/11/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	3101-3199 SE Fremont St	11875873	OPEN	2/14/2022			2/16/2022
TRAFFICOPS	Street light out or malfunctioning	Unnamed Road	11875921	CLOSED	2/14/2022	2/16/2022		2/16/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	2038 NW Topoka Blvd	11875924	OPEN	2/14/2022			4/15/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	4215-4495 SW Topoka Blvd	11798501	INPROGRESS	2/14/2022			2/18/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	5W Huntoon St	11876802	OPEN	2/15/2022			2/17/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	3426 SW Tara Ave	11878926	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
STREETS	Police General Issues	1300 SW Crank St	11879107	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
STREETS	Police General Issues	822 S Kansas Ave STE 200	11879477	OPEN	2/15/2022			3/10/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	2901 SW Arvonia Pl	11879583	INPROGRESS	2/15/2022			2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	1303 SW Crank St	11880390	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	3400-3442 SW Tara Ave	11880404	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	1300 SW Glencoe St	11880423	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	2001 SW Washburn Ave	11880439	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
TRAFFICOPS	Signal out, dark, malfunction, or flashing	SE Monroe St	11880451	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		1 2/16/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	3350-3398 SW Tara Ave	11880595	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/18/2022		3 2/18/2022
TRAFFICOPS	Street light out or malfunctioning	1329 SW 30th St	11880778	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/16/2022		1 2/16/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	S Kansas Ave	11880847	INPROGRESS	2/15/2022			3/31/2022
ENGINEERING	Stewalk broken, uneven, needs repair	1321 SE 18th Ter	11881131	CLOSED	2/15/2022	2/15/2022		2/18/2022
ENGINEERING	Stewalk broken, uneven, needs repair	3640 SW Stradford Rd	11882769	INPROGRESS	2/16/2022			2/21/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	5135 NW 17TH ST	11883158	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/25/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1300 SW Crank St	11885107	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/25/2022
STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	3400-3442 SW Tara Ave	11880400	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Curb/gutter damage, replacement requests, etc	4201 SW 25th Terrace	11884222	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1469 SE Washington St	11884276	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/18/2022		2 2/18/2022
FORESTRY	Tree limbs or brush on City easement	1465 SE Washington St	11884291	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/15/2022		0 2/16/2022
FORESTRY	Tree limbs or brush on City easement	1465 SE Washington St	11884310	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1465 SE Washington St	11884319	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/16/2022		0 2/16/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1469 SE Washington St	11884333	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1211 SE 21st St	11884676	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/17/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	2500 SW Lincoln St	11884676	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	SE 10th Ave & SE Lafayette St	11884984	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/25/2022
CODE	Curb/gutter damage, replacement requests, etc	1301-1499 SW Crank St	11885106	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/24/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	1617 SW Mulvane St	11885167	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/18/2022		2 2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	2443 SE Massachusetts Ave	11885151	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1935 SW Fillmore St	11885281	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/17/2022		0 2/17/2022
ENGINEERING	Sidewalk broken, uneven, needs repair	1937 NE Quincy St	11885393	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	3451-3599 SW Tara Ave	11885797	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	2920 SE Virginia Ave	11885923	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1034 S Kansas Ave	11885946	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/18/2022		2 2/18/2022
TRAFFICOPS	Signal out, dark, malfunction, or flashing	399-497 SW Gage Blvd	11886098	OPEN	2/16/2022			4/18/2022
CODE	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	425 SW Buchanan St	11886129	INPROGRESS	2/16/2022			2/16/2022
POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	1801 SW Lincoln St	11886196	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/16/2022
CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1805 SW Lincoln St	11886209	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022

Council Districts	Category	Request Type	Address	See Click Fix #	Status	Indicated Date	Date Closed	Average Days to Close	Projected Close Date (if open)
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1203 SE Lima St	11886567	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1143 SE Lima St	11886571	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1138 SE Lima St	11886572	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1130 SE Indiana Ave	11886574	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 2, Christina Valdivia-Alcala	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	831 SE Chestnut St	11886576	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 2, Christina Valdivia-Alcala	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	833 SE Chestnut St	11886577	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 2, Christina Valdivia-Alcala	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1215 NE Quincy St	11886578	CLOSED	2/16/2022	2/18/2022	1	2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	820 SE Overton St	11886580	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	1400 SE Illinois Ave	11886582	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	613 SE Overton St	11886583	OPEN	2/16/2022			2/18/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	POLICE DEPT	Police General Issues	4004 SW Munson Ave	11889099	OPEN	2/17/2022			2/19/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Curb/Gutter damage, replacement requests, etc	7514-7598 SW 27th St	11891387	INPROGRESS	2/17/2022			2/19/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	POLICE DEPT	Police Animal Control	21st @ Hopè	11891891	CLOSED	2/17/2022	2/18/2022	1	2/18/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Snow/Ice Hazard on Streets/Bridges	2101-2159 SE 38th Cir	11894097	INPROGRESS	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1246-1772 SW Roswell Ave	11894658	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	128 SW 40th Ter	11895651	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 4, Tony Emerson	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	2908 SE Gemini Ct	11895652	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 4, Tony Emerson	STREETS	Snow/Ice Hazard on Street/Bridge	11895771	11895771	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 4, Tony Emerson	STREETS	Curb/Gutter damage, replacement requests, etc	424 SW Buchanan St	11895828	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 1, Karen Hiller	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	200 SW Woodlawn Ave	11895828	INPROGRESS	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 1, Karen Hiller	WPC	Clean storm sewer inlet	SE 17th St & S Kansas Ave	11895834	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 1, Karen Hiller	TRAFFICOPS	Signal out, dark, malfunction, or flashing	1314 SW Topeka Blvd	11896851	OPEN	2/18/2022			2/20/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1537 SE Washington St	11897781	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	STREETS	Pavement condition, damage, ruts, other	2100 SE Kentucky Ave	11897782	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	21st @ Indiana EB	11897804	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 4, Tony Emerson	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1465 SE Washington St	11897808	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 4, Tony Emerson	ENGINEERING	Sidewalk broken, uneven, needs repair	1824 SE 21st St	11897969	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	2400 SW Topeka Blvd	11898073	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 3, Sylvia Ortiz	CODE	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	Hurtoon & Wanamaker	11898082	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1545 SW Fairview Rd	11898209	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	3045-3099 SW 68th Ave	11898909	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	SW Fairview Rd	11898909	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	2000 SW Topeka Blvd	11898527	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 9, Michael Lesser	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	336 SW Kendall Ave	11898756	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1907 SW Gage Blvd	11898752	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Weeds, brush piles, graffiti, junk car, trash, etc	2000 SW Gage Blvd	11898755	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	2011 SW Gage Blvd	11898759	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	2031 NE Medboon St	11899030	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	3001 SW Tenth Ave	11899183	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 2, Christina Valdivia-Alcala	STREETS	Pavement condition, damage, ruts, other	3901-4081 SW Windsor Ct	11899197	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	2844 SW Tenth Ave	11899204	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1792 SW Gage Blvd	11899206	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	1716 SW Gage Blvd	11899208	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	STREETS	Pothole complaints in streets or alleys	617 SW Macovlar Ave	11899396	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022
District 6, Hannah Naeger	TRAFFICOPS	Sign damaged, faded, twisted or vandalized	1983 SW Westwood Dr	11899528	OPEN	2/19/2022			2/21/2022

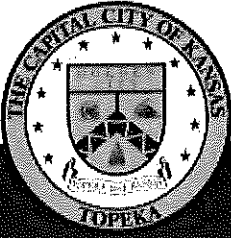
Starting Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, R.D. Johnson Excavating will be resuming construction on the trafficway and water improvement projects along N Kansas Ave from NW Morse St to NE Soldier St. North/south traffic on N Kansas will be maintained to limit impact to the surrounding areas. This work is expected to wrap up near the end of May, 2022.



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## WEEKLY REPORT

Department: Public Works

February 25, 2022

What did your department do this week?

### Engineering

For more information about 2021 projects, go to a listing and recap at <https://www.topeka.org/news/category/press-releases/> or to the Topeka Project Portal at <https://projects.topeka.org>

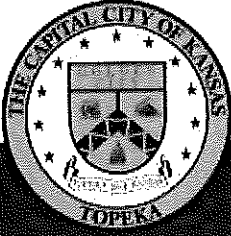
- On Monday, February 28, SE California between SE 37<sup>th</sup> and SE 45<sup>th</sup> will close for reconstruction. Through traffic will need to use the posted detour utilizing SE Adams St.
- The northbound lanes of N. Kansas Avenue between Morse and Soldier St. will close on Tuesday for reconstruction. Traffic will be carried in both directions on the southbound lanes, which were reconstructed last year. Work is expected to be completed by summer.
- Bids for two mill and overlay projects were opened last week, one on NW Tyler between Lyman Rd. and US Hwy 24 and one on SW 29<sup>th</sup> St. between Arrowhead Rd. and the Shunga Creek Bridge. Once contract negotiations are finalized with the successful bidders, the start dates will be announced.
- The NW Tyler – Lyman to Beverly Project is scheduled to begin March 21 and be completed by November 18.

### Street (Feb. 9-15)

- Filled 1,511 potholes; 2,866 YTD
- Maintained 2 alleys; 22 alleys YTD
- Swept 235 lane miles of street; 313 YTD

### Traffic (Feb. 11-17)

- Manufactured 2 signs; 222 YTD.
- Marked 14 buried traffic signal/street light infrastructure; 243 YTD.
- Repaired 21 traffic signals; 99 YTD.



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## Forestry Trimmed

- Removed five trees, trimmed 11, ground eight stumps and responded to one limb down/brush pile.
- Helped Street Division plow snow.

## What does it have planned in the next few weeks?

### Forestry

- Continue to work on requests as they come in.

### Traffic

- Work on annual traffic signal inspections.
- Work on neighborhood sign updates city wide.
- Start doing a city wide inventory for planning long line painting in 2022.
- Approve material for spring construction projects.

## Anything else to report?

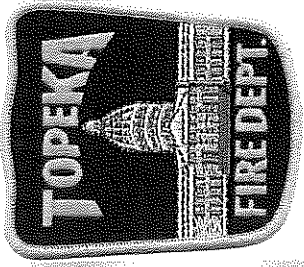
The following is a list of items which **ARE NOT** allowed to be burned within the city limits, but is not limited to:

- Leaves
- Grass Clippings
- Paper
- Pallets
- Shingles
- Vinyl siding
- Wood paneling
- Printed or Painted wood
- Plywood
- Varnished or finished wood
- Paint cans, rollers, brushes, trays
- Carpet and padding
- Oriented-strand board (OSB)
- Wafer and Particle boards
- Caulking tubes
- Electrical wires
- Linoleum
- Plastics
- Insulation, fiberglass, foam, Styrofoam
- Trash (residential or commercial)
- Treated Lumber (CCA)
- Railroad ties
- Wet or green timber
- Household furnishings
- Household hazardous wastes
- Asbestos material
- Petroleum products
- Dead animals
- Metals
- Tires
- Oil
- Aerosol cans
- Conduit pipe
- Junction boxes
- PVC pipe

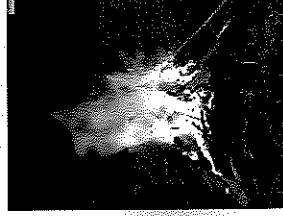
### Rules for residential open burning:

- The approved permit shall be in possession of person doing burning or available for immediate inspection.
- Burn is only allowed during daylight hours. Fires must be extinguished at sundown.
- No burning during periods when surface wind speed is less than 5mph or more than 15mph.
- No burning during inclement or foggy conditions or on very cloudy days (ceiling less than 2000')
- No burning within 50 feet of any structure.
- No burning of heavy smoke producing materials including heavy oils, tires, tarpaper, or any material which gives off offensive odor or smoke that is of soiling soot content.
- The Fire Chief or his designee reserves the right to modify or revoke this permit at any time.
- A competent person shall constantly attend open fires and bonfires until such fire is extinguished. This person shall have a garden hose connected to a water supply or other approved fire extinguishing equipment, readily available for use.
- Fire Dispatch will be notified prior to lighting the pile for authorization at 785-368-9514
- Fire Dispatch will be notified once the fire has been extinguished at 785-368-9514
- Burning operations shall meet the minimum requirements stated above and the open burning regulations of the State of Kansas: K.A.R. 28-19-645 - 28-19-648.

Violations of City of Topeka Open Burning Regulation can cause suspension or revocation of Open Burning Permit or Municipal Court Citation.



## Open Burning Policy of the City of Topeka Fire Department



There are two main types of open burning allowed in the City of Topeka, permitted residential open burning and recreational fires.

Permitted residential open burning requires an annual permit and an initial inspection of the burn pile, material and location.

Recreational and cooking fires do not require a permit under the 2006 International Fire Code. Recreational fires and Commercial fire pits, are allowed within the City of Topeka

#### RECREATIONAL FIRES

No permit required.

##### **307.4.2 Recreational fires.**

Recreational fires shall not be constructed within 25 feet of a structure or combustible material. Conditions which could cause a fire to spread within 25 feet of a structure shall be eliminated prior to ignition.

Recreational fires are required to be no larger than 3 feet in diameter and the pile shall be no more than 2 feet tall. These fires are for recreation or

cooking only and not to be used for the disposal of yard waste. These are truly intended to be a campfire type setting in either a pit dug into the ground, lined with rock or fire ring and all vegetation cleared, or a commercial fire pit. **As in all open fires only clean untreated wood should be used.** If a recreational fire is using anything other than clean untreated wood it will be extinguished.

#### RESIDENTIAL OPEN BURNING

##### **105.6.31 Open Burning.**

An operational permit is required for the kindling or maintaining of an open fire or a fire on any public street, alley, road, or other public or private ground. Instructions and stipulations of the permit shall be adhered to. Exception: Recreational Fires

This type of open burning requires an annual permit.

Residential Burn Permits are issued through the Inspection Unit. During The calendar year 2015 all residential burning permits will be issued after an on-site visit with the resident present.

Residential open burning is approved for burning piles of clean untreated wood and garden debris. This does not include burning of grass clippings, standing grass or leaves.

Residential Open Burning Permits can be applied for by either via the internet at <http://www.topeka.org/firedepartment/burningpermit/default.aspx> or calling 785-368-4000

The Fire Chief or his designee, reserves the right to modify or revoke any fire permit at any time.

**The Topeka Fire Department reserves the right to extinguish any fire that is causing a nuisance or emitting large amounts of smoke; all fires must use only clean untreated wood. All fires must be constantly attended and have some form of extinguishment available.**

Violations of City of Topeka Open Burning Regulation can cause suspension or revocation of open burning permit or Municipal Court Citation. If a responding company officer determines that violations of the City of Topeka Open Burning policies it can result in a Municipal Court Citation.

# HCCI's Debt Monsters



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