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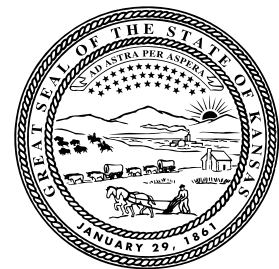
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State of Kansas

**Pooled Money Investment Board**

**Notice of Investment Rates**

The following rates are published in accordance with K.S.A. 75-4210. These rates and their uses are defined in K.S.A. 12-1675(b)(c)(d) and K.S.A. 12-1675a(g).

**Effective 2-5-24 through 2-11-24**

Term	Rate
1-89 days	5.33%
3 months	5.30%
6 months	5.11%
12 months	4.66%
18 months	4.44%
2 years	4.27%

Joel Oliver  
Executive Director  
Chief Investment Officer  
Pooled Money Investment Board

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State of Kansas

**Secretary of State**

**Notice of Code Mortgage Rate for February 2024**

Pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 16a-1-301, Section 11, the code mortgage rate during the period of February 1-29, 2024, is 12 percent. The reference rate referred to in the definition of "code mortgage rate" set forth in K.S.A. 16a-1-301(11)(b)(i) is discontinued, has become impractical to use, and/or is otherwise not readily ascertainable from the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation.

Scott Schwab  
Secretary of State

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State of Kansas

**Wichita State University**

**Notice of Intent to Lease Real Property**

Public notice is hereby given that Wichita State University (WSU), directly or through its affiliate corporation Wichita State Innovation Alliance, Inc., intends to lease, subject to all required state approvals, up to 1.22 acres of real property located on the northwest corner of the intersection of Fountain Avenue and 21st Street North, directly adjacent to the Wichita State University campus. This location would be designated for private development committed to supporting broadband infrastructure and Internet exchanges. The university is interested in leasing such ground to any individual, organization, or entity whose presence would advance WSU's vision or its mission as an educational, cultural, and economic driver for Kansas and the greater public good. WSU intends to lease such space for a mutually agreeable period of time, but extended terms and renewal options would be considered. Interested tenants must be willing to be a good fit with WSU's educational mission and identify anticipated benefits to the uni-

versity, its students, and the surrounding community (i.e. applied learning, joint research, faculty start-up, WSU curriculum or program support, community benefit commitments, etc.), and must agree to the essential ground lease terms and restrictive covenants. Interested tenants will be evaluated on: proposal terms, demonstrated benefit to WSU and the surrounding community, design concepts, financial stability, and proposed use. Interested tenants will be responsible for all costs associated with the development and ongoing maintenance costs of any improvements. Rental rate shall be based on fair market value and negotiable based on term of lease, purpose/use of the improvement, and benefit to WSU. WSU will consider serious offers and inquiries from any financially qualified individual, group, organization. If interested, please contact Property Manager Crystal Stegeman at [crystal.stegeman@wichita.edu](mailto:crystal.stegeman@wichita.edu). This publication is being published pursuant to K.S.A. 75-430a(d), to the extent applicable.

Crystal Stegeman  
University Property Manager  
Office of the Vice President for  
Administration and Finance  
Wichita State University

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State of Kansas

**Wichita State University**

**Notice of Intent to Lease Real Property**

Public notice is hereby given that Wichita State University (WSU), directly or through its affiliate corporation Wichita State Innovation Alliance, Inc., intends to lease, subject to all required state approvals, up to four acres of real property located on the Wichita State University's campus designated as the "Innovation Campus," for the private development and operation of a partnership building or buildings. The university is interested in leasing such ground to any individual, organization, or entity whose presence on campus would advance the university's applied learning vision or its mission as an educational, cultural, and economic driver for Kansas and the greater public good. The university intends to lease such space for a mutually agreeable period of time up to sixty years, but extended terms and renewal options would be considered. Interested tenants must be willing to be a good fit with the university's educational mission and identify anticipated benefits to the university, its students, and the WSU community (i.e. applied learning, joint research, faculty start-up, WSU curriculum or program support, etc.), and must agree to the essential ground lease terms and restrictive covenants. Interested tenants will be evaluated on: proposal terms, demonstrated benefit to WSU, design concepts, financial stability, and proposed use. Interested tenants will be required to construct adjacent and adequate surface parking that will not be included in the leased ground. Rental rate shall be based on fair market value and negotiable based on term of lease, purpose/use of building improvement,

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and benefit to the university. The university will consider serious offers and inquiries with detailed proposal terms from any financially qualified individual, group, organization. If interested, please contact Senior Vice President for Industry and Defense Programs, Dr. John Tomblin at [john.tomblin@wichita.edu](mailto:john.tomblin@wichita.edu) or Property Manager Crystal Stegeman at [crystal.stegeman@wichita.edu](mailto:crystal.stegeman@wichita.edu). This publication is being published pursuant to K.S.A. 75-430a(d), to the extent applicable.

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State of Kansas

Department of Administration  
Office of Accounts and Reports

Public Notice

Under requirements of K.S.A. 65-34,117(c), as amended, records of the Office of Accounts and Reports show the unobligated balances are \$8,765,834.78 in the Underground Petroleum Storage Tank Release Trust Fund and \$6,310,949.84 in the Aboveground Petroleum Storage Tank Release Trust Fund at January 31, 2024.

Jocelyn Gunter  
Director  
Office of Accounts and Reports  
Department of Administration

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State of Kansas

Department of Health and Environment

Notice of Proposed Kansas/Federal Water  
Pollution Control Permits and Applications

In accordance with Kansas Administrative Regulations 28-16-57a through 63, 28-18-1 through 17, 28-18a-1 through 31 and 33, 28-16-150 through 154, 28-46-7, and the authority vested with the state by the administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, various draft water pollution control documents (permits, notices to revoke and reissue, notices to terminate) have been prepared and/or permit applications have been received for discharges to waters of the United States and the state of Kansas for the class of discharges described below.

The proposed actions concerning the draft documents are based on staff review, applying the appropriate standards, regulations, and effluent limitations of the state of Kansas and the Environmental Protection Agency. The final action will result in a Federal National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Authorization and/or a Kansas Water Pollution Control permit being issued, subject to certain conditions, revocation, and reissuance of the designated permit or termination of the designated permit.

Las acciones propuestas con respecto a los documentos preliminares se basan en la revisión del personal, aplicando los estándares, regulaciones y limitaciones de eflu-

entes apropiados del estado de Kansas y de la Agencia de Protección Ambiental de Estados Unidos. La acción final resultará en la emisión de una Autorización Federal del Sistema Nacional de Eliminación de Descargas de Contaminantes y un permiso de Control de Contaminación del Agua de Kansas, sujeto a ciertas condiciones, revocación y reemisión del permiso designado o terminación del permiso designado. Si desea obtener más información en español o tiene otras preguntas, por favor, comuníquese con el Coordinador de No Discriminación al 785-296-5156 o en [KDHE.NonDiscrimination@ks.gov](mailto:KDHE.NonDiscrimination@ks.gov).

Public Notice No. KS-AG-24-020/027

Pending Permits for Confined Feeding Facilities

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Rocking Heifer, LLC - Ulysses 439 E. Road 4 Ulysses, KS 67880	S/2 of Section 15 & NW/4 of Section 22 T27S, R37W Grant County	Cimarron River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-CIGT-C005  
Federal Permit No. KS0093670

The proposed action is to modify and reissue the existing NPDES permit for a facility for a proposed maximum capacity of 35,000 head (35,000 animal units) of beef cattle weighing more than 700 pounds. This represents an increase in the permitted animal units from the previous permit. This permit is also being modified to add approximately 138 additional acres of open lot pens, drainage channels, sediment basin, and retention control structure to the northeast of the existing facility. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
KRB Pork, Inc. Sheila R. Rogge 1071 4th Rd. Palmer, KS 66962	SE/4 of Section 10 T05S, R02E Washington County	Lower Republican River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-LRWS-H007  
Federal Permit No. KS0094956

The proposed action is to reissue an existing NPDES permit for an existing facility for 8,000 head (3,200 animal units) of swine weighing more than 55 pounds. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Carroll Shields Farms 2828 300 St. Lincolnvill, KS 66858	SW/4 of Section 06 T18S, R05E Marion County	Neosho River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-NEMN-B016

The proposed action is to reissue an existing state permit for an existing facility for 150 head (150 animal units) of cattle more than 700 pounds and 300 head (150 animal units) of cattle 700 pounds or less, for a total of 450 head (300 animal units) of cattle. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Smith Swine Farm, Inc. Max Smith 1228 R Rd. Mankato, KS 66956	SW/4 of Section 01 T03S, R09W Jewell County	Solomon River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-SOJW-S019



The proposed action is to reissue an existing state permit for 2,150 head (860 animal units) of swine more than 55 pounds, 1,170 head (117 animal units) of swine 55 pounds or less, and 200 head (100 animal units) of cattle 700 pounds or less, for a total of 1,077 animal units of swine and cattle. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Cordell Brothers, Inc. - CBI Feeders 9025 S. Mission Rd. Sedgwick, KS 67135	E/2 of Section 30 T24S, R01W Harvey County	Little Arkansas River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-LAHV-B009

The proposed action is to reissue an existing state permit for an existing facility for 999 head (999 animal units) of cattle more than 700 pounds. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Midway Feeders, LLC Mike Berggren PO Box 99 Oakley, KS 67748	SE/4 of Section 29 T10S, R32W Thomas County	Saline River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-SATH-B002

The proposed action is to reissue the existing state permit for a facility for a proposed maximum capacity of 999 head (999 animal units) of cattle weighing more than 700 pounds. This represents a decrease in the permitted animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Timberview Farms 1732 208th Rd. Bern, KS 66408	NW/4 of Section 26 T01S, R13E Nemaha County	Missouri River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-MONM-M008

The proposed action is to reissue an existing state permit for an existing facility for 819.5 animal units consisting of 125 head (125 animal units) of cattle weighing greater than 700 pounds, 115 head (57.5 animal units) of cattle weighing 700 pounds or less, and 455 head (637 animal units) of mature dairy cows. There will be no change in the operation or permitted number of animal units from the previous permit. This facility has an approved Waste Management Plan on file with KDHE.

Name and Address of Applicant	Legal Description	Receiving Water
Boot Hill Feeders 20041 SW C Rd. Jetmore, KS 67854	S/2 of Section 23 & SE/4 of Section 22 T24S, R25W Hodgeman County	Upper Arkansas River Basin

Kansas Permit No. A-UAHG-C003  
Federal Permit No. KS0115347

An update to the Nutrient Management Plan (NMP) was received for this existing facility currently permitted for 17,000 head (17,000 animal units) of cattle weighing more than 700 pounds. The facility's NMP was updated to include changes in the application rate limitations for their fields. One of the fields application rate limitation has become less restrictive than the previous NMP. There are no changes to the permit or in the permitted number of animal units. Only the updated portion of the Nutrient Management Plan is subject to comment. This facility has an approved Nutrient Management Plan on file with KDHE.

**Public Notice No. KS-Q-24-012/015**

The requirements of the draft permit public noticed below are pursuant to the Kansas Surface Water Quality Standards, K.A.R. 28-16-28(b-g), and Federal Surface Water Criteria.

Name and Address of Applicant	Receiving Stream	Type of Discharge
BNSF Railway Company 4515 Kansas Ave. Kansas City, KS 66106	Kansas River	Process Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-KS27-PO02  
Federal Permit No. KS0003221

Legal Description: SE¼, Section 20, Township 11 South, Range 25 East, Wyandotte County, Kansas

Facility Location: 39.07917, -94.65619

The proposed action consists of reissuance of an existing Kansas Water Pollution Control/NPDES Permit for an existing facility. This facility services freight trains providing fuel, maintenance, and repairs. Process wastewater and storm water runoff from locomotive maintenance/fueling and staging areas, train staging/classification areas, and main fuel storage tank containment area is collected in the main lift station wet well and pumped to the on-site wastewater treatment plant. The proposed permit contains limits for Oil and Grease, pH, and Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons.

Name and Address of Applicant	Receiving Stream	Type of Discharge
Cherokee County RWD No. 4 209 E. 3rd St. Scammon, KS 66773	Shawnee Creek via unnamed tributary via ditch	Process Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-NE15-PO03  
Federal Permit No. KS0101184

Legal Description: NW¼, NW¼, Section 29, Township 32S, Range 24E, Cherokee County, County

Facility Location: 37.23679, -94.81348

The proposed action consists of reissuance of a Kansas/NPDES Water Pollution Control permit for an existing facility. The water treatment facility includes two parallel treatment trains, which are normally operated one at a time. Groundwater is pumped from an underground aquifer by one of the two wells, based on the 2'-3' head range of the clear well. The water is pumped to an aerator and flows by gravity to a chlorine contact chamber where chlorine is injected at a rate of 18 pounds per day (ppd). Water then flows into a sand filter. Once water leaves the filter, chlorine is injected at a rate of 5 ppd. Water then flows into the clear well where it is then pumped into the distribution system by the high service pumps. The plant has capacity of 0.17 MGD. The proposed permit contains limits for Total Residual Chlorine, Total Suspended Solids, and pH.

Name and Address of Applicant	Receiving Stream	Type of Discharge
Hodgdon Power Company, Inc. 2577 Q Ave. Herington, KS 67449	Clarks Creek via Kansas River Bison	Process Wastewater

Kansas Permit No. I-KS30-SO01  
Federal Permit No. KS0099732

Legal Description: NW¼, Section 6, Township 16 S, Range 6E, Morris County, Kansas

The proposed action consists of reissuance of an existing National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)/Kansas Water Pollution Control (KWPC) permit for an existing facility. This facility manufactures Pyrodex muzzle loading propellant and other similar pyrotechnic powders. Stormwater runoff flows into a dry drainage ditch in the drainage of Clarks Creek, in the Kansas River Basin. The proposed permit contains generic language to protect waters of the state.

Name and Address of Applicant	Receiving Stream	Type of Discharge
BPU - KC Kaw Power Station 2015 Kansas Ave. Kansas City, KS 66105	Kansas River via Kansas River Basin	Process Wastewater

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Kansas Permit No. I-KS27-BO01  
Federal Permit No. K50080179

Legal Description: NE¼ of Section 20, Township 11 S, Range 25 E, Wyandotte County, Kansas

Facility Location: 39.08590, -94.6470

The proposed action consists of reissuance of an existing National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)/Kansas Water Pollution Control (KWPC) permit for an existing facility. This facility generates electric power with high pressure steam produced by fossil fuel (natural gas only). The facility consists of:

Outfall 001A: River water used for once through condenser cooling; average discharge 14 mgd.

Outfall 002A: River water used for once through condenser cooling; average discharge 14.5 mgd.

Outfall 003A: Plant process wastewater and yard drains. Treatment through settling tanks and old bottom ash pit. Average discharge 1.05 mgd. Outfall 004A: River water used for intake screen wash; average discharge 0.020 mgd. Outfall 005A: River water used for intake screen de-icing during winter; average discharge 2.5 mgd. Domestic waste and demineralizer regenerate is directed to the municipal sanitary sewer. The proposed permit has a thermal variance in accordance with Section 316(a) of the Clean Water Act. The proposed permit contains limits for Oil and Grease, pH, and Total Suspended Solids and monitoring for Total Phosphorus.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the draft documents and/or permit applications must submit their comments in writing to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) if they wish to have the comments or objections considered in the decision-making process. All written comments regarding the draft documents, application or registration notices received on or before March 7, 2024, will be considered in the formulation of the final determination regarding this public notice. Please refer to the appropriate Kansas document number (KS-AG-24-020/027, KS-Q-24-012/015) and name of the applicant/permittee when preparing comments.

All comments received will be responded to at the time the Secretary of Health and Environment issues a determination regarding final agency action on each draft document/application. If response to any draft document/application indicates significant public interest, a public hearing may be held in conformance with K.A.R. 28-16-61 (28-46-21 for UIC). A request for public hearing must be submitted in writing and shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised during the hearing.

Comments or objections for agricultural related draft documents, permit applications, registrations or actions should be submitted to the attention of Casey Guccione, Livestock Waste Management Section at the KDHE, Bureau of Environmental Field Services (BEFS), 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 430, Topeka, KS 66612. Comments or objections for all other proposed permits or actions should be sent to Andrew Bowman at the KDHE, Bureau of Water, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420, Topeka, KS 66612.

All draft documents/applications and the supporting information including any comments received are on file and may be inspected at the offices of the KDHE. For agricultural related draft documents or applications an appointment can be scheduled, or copies requested by contacting Jada Martin at 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 430, Topeka, KS 66612, telephone 785-296-0076 or email at [kdhe.feedlots@ks.gov](mailto:kdhe.feedlots@ks.gov). Las preguntas o comentarios por

escrito deben dirigirse a Erich Glave, Director, Bureau of Environmental Field Services en KDHE: 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 430, Topeka, KS 66612-1367; por correo electrónico: [kdhe.feedlots@ks.gov](mailto:kdhe.feedlots@ks.gov); por teléfono: 785-296-6432. For all other proposed permits or actions an appointment can be scheduled, or copies requested by contacting Jamie Packard, Bureau of Water, 1000 SW Jackson St., Suite 420, Topeka, KS 66612, telephone 785-296-4148 or email at [Jamie.Packard@ks.gov](mailto:Jamie.Packard@ks.gov). These documents are available upon request at the copying cost assessed by KDHE. Application information and components of plans and specifications for all new and expanding swine facilities are available at <http://www.kdhe.ks.gov/livestock>. Division of Environment offices are open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

Janet Stanek  
Secretary

Department of Health and Environment

Doc. No. 051855

State of Kansas

## Board of Regents

### Notice of Commencement of Negotiations for Construction Manager At-Risk Services

Pursuant to K.S.A. 76-7,125 et seq., notice is hereby given for the seeking of interest and qualifications for Construction Management At-Risk (CMAR) services for the Wichita State University (WSU) University Stadium Project – Phase 1A/1B. The University Stadium project is a replacement for Cessna Stadium. Phasing has been developed around maintaining the spectator seating and other infrastructure required for the Wichita State Track and Field teams as well as the annual Kansas State High School Activities Association (KSHSAA) Track and Field Championship. Demolition of the east stands of Cessna Stadium has been completed outside the scope of this project as a separate small capital project. Phase 1A includes improvements on the east side of the existing track (a seating area, new free-standing field lights, ticket pavilion, restroom/storage buildings, and plaza). Phase 1B widens the existing grass field to accommodate a regulation-sized soccer field and reconfigures the 8-lane track around the widened field. This phase also includes new aluminum bleacher seating at the north and south side of the track. Future phases, 2A and 2B, will be conducted under a separate contract.

Construction costs are estimated at \$9.6 million.

An architectural program is available on the Wichita State University purchasing website at [https://www.wichita.edu/services/purchasing/Bid\\_Documents/Bid\\_Documents.php](https://www.wichita.edu/services/purchasing/Bid_Documents/Bid_Documents.php). For more information contact Emily Patterson at 316-978-3444 or [emily.patterson@wichita.edu](mailto:emily.patterson@wichita.edu).

To be considered, one (1) PDF file of the following should be provided: State of Kansas Professional Qualifications DCC Forms 051, 052, 053 and 054, and information regarding similar projects. Forms may be found at <https://admin.ks.gov/offices/ofpm/dcc/f-and-d>. State of Kansas Professional Qualifications DCC Form 050 for each firm and consultant should be provided at the

end of each SOQ (statement of qualification) submittal. Please include your firm name, agency abbreviation, and an abbreviated project name in the title of the PDF document. Submittals should be less than 10Mb and follow the current State Building Advisory Commission guidelines for Phase I of the Construction Management at Risk process, which can be found in Part B – Chapter 7 of the Building Design and Construction Manual at <https://admin.ks.gov/offices/ofpm/dcc/bdcm>. Paper copies and flash drives containing copies of the submittals are not required.

Submittals should be sent to [purchasing.office@wichita.edu](mailto:purchasing.office@wichita.edu). Submittals received after the date and time noted below will not be forwarded to the Procurement Committee for review. If you have questions concerning the submittals, please contact Chad Bristow at 785-430-4245 or [cbristow@ksbor.org](mailto:cbristow@ksbor.org). The PDF submissions shall be delivered to the attention of WSU Purchasing by 2:00 p.m. on or before February 26, 2024. Please include “University Stadium CMAR RFQ Response” in the subject title.

The State of Kansas, as a matter of public policy, encourages anyone doing business with the State of Kansas to take steps to discourage human trafficking. If prospective bidders/vendors/contractors have any policies or participate in any initiatives that discourage human trafficking, the prospective bidder/vendor/contractor is encouraged to submit same as part of their bid response.

Chad Bristow, AIA, APPA, CEFP  
Director of Facilities  
Board of Regents

Doc. No. 051857

## State of Kansas

### Department of Administration Office of Facilities and Property Management

#### Notice of Requested Architectural Services

Notice is hereby given of the commencement of the selection process for architectural, mechanical-electrical-plumbing engineering, and engineering services for Kansas State University Willard Hall Project. The project construction budget is \$3,200,000.

In order to further support current Kansas Board of Regents initiatives of improved space utilization and consolidation, Kansas State University is proposing the relocation of the department of Geology to existing space on the main campus to allow for the renovation and re-purposing of Thompson Hall. Kansas State University has identified Willard Hall and the Chemistry/Biochemistry/King complex as having space to accommodate Geology’s needs. The north end of the lower level of Willard Hall will be renovated to accommodate geology programs, including building system improvements. The first and second floor of Chem/Biochem and spaces within King Hall have space available for the relocation of the geology programs. The scope includes renovation of these spaces including building system improvements.

An architectural/engineering program is available at <http://admin.ks.gov/offices/ofpm/dcc/arch-eng-programs>. For more information contact Lisa Johnson at [lisajohnson@ksu.edu](mailto:lisajohnson@ksu.edu), phone 785-532-0379.

To be considered, one (1) PDF file of the following should be provided: State of Kansas Professional Qualifications DCC Forms 051-054, inclusive, and information regarding similar projects. These forms may be found at <https://admin.ks.gov/offices/facilities-property-management/design-construction--compliance/forms-and-documents>. State of Kansas Professional Qualifications DCC Form 050 for each firm and consultant should be provided at the end of each proposal. Please include your firm name, agency abbreviation, and an abbreviated project name in the title of the PDF document. Proposals should be less than 5 Mb and follow the current State Building Advisory Commission guidelines which can be found in Part B – Chapter 2 of the Building Design and Construction Manual at <https://admin.ks.gov/offices/facilities-property-management/design-construction--compliance/building-design-and-construction-manual-bdcm>. Paper copies and flash drives containing copies of the proposals are not required.

Proposals should be sent to [professional.qualifications@ks.gov](mailto:professional.qualifications@ks.gov). Proposals received after the date and time noted below will not be forwarded to the State Building Advisory Commission for review. If you have questions about the proposal submissions, please contact Randy Riveland at [randy.riveland@ks.gov](mailto:randy.riveland@ks.gov) or call 785-296-0749. The PDF proposal submissions shall be delivered to the attention of the State Building Advisory Commission by 2:00 p.m. on or before February 23, 2024.

The State of Kansas, as a matter of public policy, encourages anyone doing business with the State of Kansas to take steps to discourage human trafficking. If prospective bidders/vendors/contractors have any policies or participate in any initiatives that discourage human trafficking, then the prospective bidder/vendor/contractor is encouraged to submit same as part of their bid response.

Barbara Schilling  
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Department of Administration

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## State of Kansas

### Department of Administration Office of Facilities and Property Management

#### Notice of Bid Extension

Notice is hereby given for a bid extension for selected scopes of work for A-014692e University of Kansas Memorial Stadium – Design Package G1 – Stadium Early Scope Permit 2. This project is being delivered using procedures established under the Kansas alternate project delivery building construction procurement act (K.S.A 75-37,141 et seq.) for the Department of Administration. Turner Construction is the construction manager. Contact person is Jackson Edds at [jedds@tcco.com](mailto:jedds@tcco.com).

Bid extension only applies to the following scopes of work:

- Fire suppression (Stadium)
- Plumbing (Stadium)
- Mechanical/BMS controls (Stadium)

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- Electrical and LV pathways (Stadium)
- Data and telecommunications (Stadium)
- AV systems (Stadium)
- Access control and surveillance (Stadium)
- Fire alarm (Stadium)

Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. (Central Time) Thursday, February 15, 2024, via Electronic Sealed Bid Submission utilizing BuildingConnected.

All bidders must prequalify through Turner Construction. Turner Construction utilizes a secure online system to administer the qualification review process. Bidders who are not prequalified should go to <http://turnerconstruction.com>, click on "Become a Subcontractor" and fill out the required information.

All bidders should advise of their intent to bid on BuildingConnected. Invitations to bid will be sent through BuildingConnected by the CMAR. This online system allows bidders to indicate their intent for bidding i.e. Undecided, Bidding, Not Bidding.

Bid documents will be available through the online bid solicitation software and at <https://app.buildingconnected.com/public>. Any messages, addendum, notices of changes will be sent through this system. Please contact above project contact to be added to distribution list.

Construction manual including instructions to bidders, schedule, site logistics, scopes of work, bid form, insurance requirements, etc. will be issued via BuildingConnected. Notice of bid date change to be sent through BuildingConnected.

Barbara Schilling  
Deputy Director, DCC  
Office of Facilities and Property Management  
Department of Administration

Doc. No. 051853

## State of Kansas

### Department of Administration Office of Facilities and Property Management

#### Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given for the receipt of subcontractor bids for the A-014699 Kansas State University Global Center for Grain and Food Innovation (GCGFI) – "Site Make Ready" package. This project is being delivered using procedures established under the Kansas alternate project delivery building construction procurement act (K.S.A. 75-37, 141 es seq.) for Kansas State University. The Whiting-Turner Contracting Company is the construction manager. Contact person is Matt Jones at [matt.jones@whiting-turner.com](mailto:matt.jones@whiting-turner.com).

Subcontractor bids will be received for the following scopes of work:

- 01A – General trades
- 01B – Temporary fencing
- 01C – Surveying
- 02A – Demolition
- 23B – Plumbing and mechanical safe off
- 26B – Electrical safe off and site electrical relocation
- 26C – Early release electrical equipment
- 31A – Earthwork and site utilities

Bids will be received until 5:00 p.m. (Central Time) Monday, February 26, 2024, via Electronic Sealed Bid Submission utilizing BuildingConnected.

All bidders should advise of their intent to bid on BuildingConnected, i.e. Undecided, Bidding, and Not Bidding. All bid documents, sample contracts, contract exhibits, insurance requirements, scopes of work, schedule, logistics plans, messages, addenda, notices of changes, notice of change of bid date, etc. will be communicated through BuildingConnected at The Whiting-Turner Contracting Company's public plan room at <https://app.buildingconnected.com/public/5430e8255cdc2e0300ddf357>.

All bidders must prequalify through The Whiting-Turner Contracting Company, via a secure online system, called TradeTapp, to administer the prequalification process. Bidders who are not prequalified, please email Matt Jones at [matt.jones@whiting-turner.com](mailto:matt.jones@whiting-turner.com) to request an invitation to TradeTapp.

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Deputy Director, DCC  
Office of Facilities and Property Management  
Department of Administration

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### True Holiness Family Church

#### Notice to Bidders

Request for bids for the installation of a CCTV camera system will be accepted by True Holiness Family Church until 5:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 15, 2024, at 1244 SE Republican Ave, Topeka, KS 66607, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud at the same address. Copies of the Request for Bid and project specifications can be accessed by contacting Patrice Newton at 785-408-4916 or [patrice.newton40@yahoo.com](mailto:patrice.newton40@yahoo.com). Estimated project value of \$13,000.

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785-408-4916  
[patrice.newton40@yahoo.com](mailto:patrice.newton40@yahoo.com)

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### True Holiness Family Church

#### Notice to Bidders

Request for bids for the installation of a mechanical rod iron gate and a chain link fence will be accepted by True Holiness Family Church until 5:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 15, 2024, at 1244 SE Republican Ave, Topeka, KS 66607, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud at the same address. Copies of the Request for Bid and project specifications can be accessed by contacting Patrice Newton at 785-408-4916 or [patrice.newton40@yahoo.com](mailto:patrice.newton40@yahoo.com). Estimated project value of \$27,000.

Patrice Newton  
785-408-4916  
[patrice.newton40@yahoo.com](mailto:patrice.newton40@yahoo.com)

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**True Holiness Family Church**

**Notice to Bidders**

Request for bids for the installation of an exterior lighting system project will be accepted by True Holiness Family Church until 5:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 15, 2024, at 1244 SE Republican Ave, Topeka, KS 66607, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud at the same address. Copies of the Request for Bid and project specifications can be accessed by contacting Patrice Newton at 785-408-4916 or [patrice.newton40@yahoo.com](mailto:patrice.newton40@yahoo.com). Estimated project value of \$7,000.

Patrice Newton  
785-408-4916  
[patrice.newton40@yahoo.com](mailto:patrice.newton40@yahoo.com)

Doc. No. 051828

**State of Kansas**

**Board of Regents Universities**

**Notice to Bidders**

The universities of the Kansas Board of Regents encourage interested vendors to visit the various universities' purchasing offices' websites for a listing of all transactions, including construction projects, for which the universities' purchasing offices, or one of the consortia commonly utilized by the universities, are seeking information, competitive bids, or proposals. The referenced construction projects may include project delivery construction procurement act projects pursuant to K.S.A. 76-7,125 et seq.

**Emporia State University** – Bid postings: <https://www.emporia.edu/about-emporia-state-university/business-office/purchasing>. Additional contact info: phone: 620-341-5137, email: [purchaseorders@emporia.edu](mailto:purchaseorders@emporia.edu). Mailing address: Emporia State University Purchasing, Campus Box 4021, 1 Kellogg Cir., Emporia, KS 66801.

**Fort Hays State University** – Electronic bid postings: <http://www.fhsu.edu/purchasing/bids>. Additional contact info: phone: 785- 628-4251, email: [purchasing@fhsu.edu](mailto:purchasing@fhsu.edu). Mailing address: Fort Hays State University Purchasing Office, 601 Park St., Sheridan Hall 318, Hays, KS 67601.

**Kansas State University** – Bid postings: <https://bidportal.ksu.edu>. Effective August 1, 2023, all bids, quotes, or proposals must be submitted via the Kansas State University Bid Portal at <https://bidportal.ksu.edu>. Division of Financial Services/Purchasing, 2323 Anderson Ave., Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS 66506. Additional contact information, phone: 785-532- 6214, email: [kspurch@k-state.edu](mailto:kspurch@k-state.edu).

**Pittsburg State University** – Bid postings: <https://www.pittstate.edu/office/purchasing>. Additional contact info: phone: 620-235-4167, email: [swburke@pittstate.edu](mailto:swburke@pittstate.edu). Mailing address: Pittsburg State University, Purchasing Office, 1701 S. Broadway, Pittsburg, KS 66762.

**University of Kansas** – Electronic bid postings: <http://www.procurement.ku.edu/>. The University of Kansas exclusively uses the online eBid tool and will no lon-

ger accept paper responses unless otherwise specified in a solicitation. Additional contact information, email: [purchasing@ku.edu](mailto:purchasing@ku.edu). Mailing address: University of Kansas, Procurement Department, 1246 W. Campus Road Room 20, Lawrence, KS 66045.

**University of Kansas Medical Center** – Electronic bid postings: <https://www.kumc.edu/finance/supply-chain/bid-opportunities.html>. Additional contact information, phone: 913-588-1117, email: [hunkemoore@kumc.edu](mailto:hunkemoore@kumc.edu). The University of Kansas Medical Center accepts only electronic bids.

**Wichita State University** – Bid postings: [https://www.wichita.edu/services/purchasing/Bid\\_Documents/Bid\\_Documents.php](https://www.wichita.edu/services/purchasing/Bid_Documents/Bid_Documents.php). Additional contact information, phone: 316-978-3080, fax: 316-978-3738, email: [purchasing.office@wichita.edu](mailto:purchasing.office@wichita.edu). Mailing address: Wichita State University, Office of Purchasing, 1845 Fairmount Ave., Campus Box 38, Wichita, KS 67260-0038.

Chris Robinson  
Director  
Purchasing and Contract Services  
Kansas State University

Doc. No. 051386

**State of Kansas**

**Department of Administration  
Office of Procurement and Contracts**

**Notice to Bidders**

Sealed bids for items listed will be received by the Office of Procurement and Contracts until 2:00 p.m. on the date indicated. For more information, call 785-296-2376.

All bids are to be submitted via email only to [procurement@ks.gov](mailto:procurement@ks.gov). For more information, please visit [https://supplier.sok.ks.gov/psc/sokfsprdsup/SUPPLIER/ERP/c/SCP\\_PUBLIC\\_MENU\\_FL.SCP\\_PUB\\_BID\\_CMP\\_FL.GBL](https://supplier.sok.ks.gov/psc/sokfsprdsup/SUPPLIER/ERP/c/SCP_PUBLIC_MENU_FL.SCP_PUB_BID_CMP_FL.GBL).

02/28/2024	EVT0009508	Certified Primus Locksmith and Door Services – KSSD and KSSB
02/29/2024	EVT0009562	State of Kansas Employee Vision Services – KDOA-S8HBP
03/04/2024	EVT0009560	Dietary Consultant – Kansas Veterans' Home
03/07/2024	EVT0009559	RCRA Waste Analysis – Kansas Adjutant General's Department
03/07/2024	EVT0009564	Security Services DCF Wichita – KDCF
03/08/2024	EVT0009563	Financial Compliance Audit Services – Kansas Lottery

The above referenced bid documents can be downloaded at the following website:

[https://supplier.sok.ks.gov/psc/sokfsprdsup/SUPPLIER/ERP/c/SCP\\_PUBLIC\\_MENU\\_FL.SCP\\_PUB\\_BID\\_CMP\\_FL.GBL](https://supplier.sok.ks.gov/psc/sokfsprdsup/SUPPLIER/ERP/c/SCP_PUBLIC_MENU_FL.SCP_PUB_BID_CMP_FL.GBL)

Additional files may be located at the following website (please monitor this website on a regular basis for any changes/addenda):

<https://admin.ks.gov/offices/procurement-contracts/bidding--contracts/additional-bid-opportunities>

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02/27/2024 A-014876 Bio Manufacturing Training Lab;  
Seaton Hall – KSU  
03/07/2024 A-014722 Animal Science Arena – KSU

Information regarding prequalification, projects, and bid documents can be obtained at 785-296-8899 or <http://admin.ks.gov/offices/ofpm/dcc>.

Todd Herman  
Director  
Office of Procurement and Contracts  
Department of Administration

Doc. No. 051860

**State of Kansas  
Department of Transportation**

**Notice to Bidders**

The Kansas Department of Transportation’s (KDOT) Office of Public Transportation announces that the Kansas Coordinated Transit District Council (KCTDC) is now accepting courtesy bids for Kansas’ transit vehicles.

These courtesy bids will cover five (5) types of 2024-2026 model-year transit vehicles, including minivans, ramp accessible minivans, full size vans, and 20-passenger small transit buses with optional wheelchair lifts. The transit vehicles will be funded by the Federal Transit Administration and the State of Kansas and must comply with all applicable Federal (including FMVSS, Buy America, and ADA requirements) and state laws for passenger vehicles of this type. These vehicles will be used in the KDOT Public Transportation program to transport the elderly, persons with disabilities, and the general public.

The bid opening is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. March 13, 2024, in Topeka, Kansas. Inquiries or requests for bid information should be made directly to:

Ms. Anne Smith, Chairperson  
Kansas Coordinated Transit District Council  
5815 Marlatt Ave.  
Manhattan, KS 66503  
785-537-6346  
[asmith@fhata.org](mailto:asmith@fhata.org)

Calvin Reed  
Secretary  
Department of Transportation

Doc. No. 051856

**State of Kansas  
Department of Transportation**

**Request for Proposals**

**Notice to Consulting Firms**

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) is seeking a qualified consulting firm or team of firms to perform professional services for the project(s) described in Table 1 below. Interested consultants must submit a proposal as laid out herein by 12:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 28, 2024, to be considered for selection.

**Consultant Prequalification**

Interested consulting firms must be prequalified by KDOT or otherwise demonstrate qualification in category(s):

- 163– Congestion Management/ITS
- 334 – Sub-Surface Utility Engineering
- 336 – Right of Way Services

If a firm is not currently prequalified by KDOT, a proposal may still be submitted. Firms not prequalified must also provide documentation that demonstrates the firm is qualified. Firms must use the KDOT prequalification form to provide this documentation. KDOT 1050 Prequalification Category Definitions (Blue Book) can be found at <http://www.ksdot.org/descons.asp>. Consultants may create a team to meet the prequalification requirements. All firms doing business with KDOT must be registered and in good standing under the laws of the State of Kansas at the time of contracting and must comply with applicable state and federal laws, rules, and regulations.

**Table 1: Background and Scope of Project**

Project Number	Background and Scope of Project
KA-7297-01	KDOT has undertaken several projects that have resulted in conduit containing seven micro-ducts having been installed along KDOT rights-of-way. This results in several available micro-ducts that are open and available and could be used to provide broadband service to the underserved/unserved areas of the state. KDOT is seeking proposals from qualified firms to assist KDOT with development of a policy and procedures for allowing third-party broadband providers access to available micro-ducts in KDOT owned conduit installed on KDOT rights-of-way statewide.

**Anticipated Consultant Scope**

Serve as the project management consultant on the project with the primary objective being the development of a policy and procedures for allowing third-party broadband providers access to the available micro-ducts in KDOT owned conduit installed on KDOT rights-of-way. Scope will include:

- Conduct a comprehensive review/analysis of other states’ policies/procedures for allowing access to state owned conduit/dark fiber to document current/best practices that may work to inform the development of the new KDOT policy/procedures.
- Assemble a steering committee ensuring a diverse representation, to include broadband providers, to collect relevant input, address concerns, and ensure that the new policy and procedures reflect a collaborative, transparent and inclusive approach.
- Work closely with KDOT’s Office of Chief Counsel and Division of Policy to ensure the new policy complies with all relevant laws, regulations, and industry standards. Address any legal or regulatory requirements that may impact the policy development process.
- Draft the new policy document. This document should include the following:
  - Inclusion of a dig-once policy, promoting the potential for collaboration on future KDOT fiber projects.
  - Determine ability to lease/sale/license open ducts and whether it will take legislation for this to occur.
  - Develop the document to be used to convey access to provider.



- Determine ability to reinvest any collected monies into the Innovative Connective Technologies program for future fiber/conduit installation projects.
- Determine needed staffing to manage a program; ability to manage the process as well as the ongoing maintenance/operation of the facility.
- Determine best methods and channels to be used to transparently promote the opportunities of utilizing available ducts or collaborating on future projects.
- Include information on possibility of “shared” resources (for example: PoP buildings, vaults, regen stations) on KDOT right-of-way.
- Document shared responsibilities such as one call response.
- Determine a forecasted revenue given an estimated occupancy level.
- Plan for prioritizing KDOT’s future conduit/fiber installations.
- Receive all required reviews and approvals of final document.
- Conduct a final review to ensure that all aspects of the policy development project have been successfully completed.

**Anticipated Schedule and Key Dates**

1. Proposals are due by or before 12:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 28, 2024.
2. Anticipated Start Date: Spring 2024; End date: Spring 2025.
3. The program fiscal year for this project is FY2024-25 (April 2024 – April 2025).
4. Ranking of proposals is expected to occur on or around March 1, 2024.
5. Negotiations with the most highly ranked firm are expected to begin on or around March 11, 2024.
6. An executed agreement is anticipated around April 10, 2024.

**Instructions for Proposal**

1. No cost or pricing information shall be submitted with the proposal. Proposals including cost or pricing information will be considered non-responsive and withdrawn from further consideration.
2. The consultant’s proposal must not exceed 4 pages total (including any cover letter, index, etc.). All pages shall be standard letter size (8.5” x 11”). Any page larger than standard letter size will be count as two or more pages depending on size.
3. A single PDF (10MB maximum size) of the proposal including all attachments must be uploaded to the appropriate bid form on Bid Express by the proposal due date and time.
4. The subject line of the email and the PDF file name must read:
  - a. “KA-7297-01 KDOT Broadband Open Acc. Pol. & Proc. Dev., Statewide FIRM NAME”
5. The proposal must be accompanied by Special Attachments No. 8 (“Tax Clearance Certificate”); No. 10 (“Policy Regarding Sexual Harassment”) and No. 12 (“Certification of Company Not Currently Engaged in the Procurement or Obtainment of

Certain Equipment, Services, or Systems”). If you need a Tax Clearance Certificate, you can request one at <https://www.ksrevenue.gov/taxclearance.html>. Allow 2-3 business days for processing. All attachments are required for every firm involved in a multi-consultant team. Upload these files as instructed in Bid Express.

6. The outline in Table 2 below describes the expected proposal organization and content sections.
7. Table 3 lists the evaluation criteria and associated weights which will be used to make a selection.
8. Depending on the number of responses received, KDOT may elect to shortlist (based on proposals) to no more than 3-5 firms and hold in-person interviews prior to final selection (which may be based on both proposal and interview content). If KDOT deems them necessary, interview evaluation criteria will be distributed to shortlisted consultant teams in advance.

**Table 2: Proposal Content**

Section	Description of Intent	Page Limit
Cover Letter		1 Page
Project Approach	Demonstrate a unique approach to accomplish the scope to a high standard. Include cost-effective and optimized solutions to address the anticipated policy/procedure development. Include unique qualifications or experience related to the scope approach.	
Approach to Schedule	Describe the approach to accomplish the scope within the schedule requirements. Include anticipated key milestone dates and availability of staff.	
Approach to Quality Control	Describe methods or procedures your firm will use to provide all drawings, reports and other services with professional quality and technical accuracy. Name the firm you propose to subcontract with.	
Past Performance	Describe team’s past performance with respect to ability to meet project schedules; quality of work; and ability to control costs on similar transportation projects, especially those performed for KDOT. Include three references and contact information.	
Familiarity with KDOT and Project Area	Describe team’s familiarity with nature and scope of the project. Describe familiarity with the project area and any identified special conditions for the project.	

**Table 3: Evaluation Factors**

Evaluation Factor	Weight
The quality and completeness of the response.	15%
Qualifications and experience of project manager and other key project team members proposed for services.	25%
Project approach.	10%
Approach and commitment to meet advertised schedule.	20%

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Evaluation Factor	Weight
Demonstrated understanding of nature and scope of project.	10%
Identification of special conditions to be considered for the project.	10%
Past performance history for similar projects/services for KDOT.	10%

**Contract Terms and Conditions**

A standard KDOT agreement for engineering and technical services will be used for professional services projects. The following special attachments will need to be provided by the selected consultant and all subconsultants with the signed work order following negotiations and will become attachments to the contract.

- Special Attachment No. 8 (“Tax Clearance Certificate”)
- Special Attachment No. 10 (“Policy Regarding Sexual Harassment”)
- Special Attachment No. 12 (“Certification of Company Not Currently Engaged in the Procurement or Obtainment of Certain Equipment, Services, or Systems”)

**Questions**

All questions regarding this Request for Proposals shall be submitted via Q&A section of bid form in Bid Express.

Questions can be submitted until February 15, 2024; answers will be provided to all prequalified consultants on February 22, 2024.

Calvin Reed  
Secretary

Department of Transportation

Doc. No. 051851

**State of Kansas**

**Department of Transportation**

**Request for Proposals**

**Notice to Consulting Firms**

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) is seeking a qualified consulting firm or team of firms to perform professional services for the Great Plains Rural Freight Technology Corridor Project (US-83 Advanced Technology project) as described. Interested consultants must submit a proposal as laid out herein by 12:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 28, 2024, to be considered for selection.

**Consultant Prequalification**

Interested consulting firms must be prequalified by KDOT or otherwise demonstrate qualification in category(s):

- 163 – Congestion Management/ITS

If a firm is not currently prequalified by KDOT, the firm may still submit a proposal but must also provide documentation that demonstrates the firm is qualified for each specified category listed in this notice for the project. Firms must use the KDOT prequalification form KDOT 1050–Consultant Qualification Questionnaire to provide this documentation. The KDOT 1050 Prequali-

fication Category Definitions (Blue Book) can be found at <http://www.ksdot.org/descons.asp>. Consultants may create a team to meet the prequalification requirements. All firms doing business with KDOT must be registered and in good standing under the laws of the State of Kansas at the time of contracting and must comply with applicable state and federal laws, rules, and regulations.

**Project Background**

The US-83 Advanced Technology project includes the addition of advanced technology to the existing Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS). The existing Wichita Transportation Management Center (WTMC), called WICHway, will be used to operate new devices deployed on US-83 in western Kansas. The project covers a section of US-83, including the I-70 interchange, Scott City, Kansas, and Garden City, Kansas with four existing signalized intersections, three existing Road Weather Information System (RWIS) sites, two roadside dynamic message signs (DMSs) and three closed circuit television (CCTV) cameras. The project will introduce new roadside devices, software, and connected vehicle (CV) technologies as described in the US-83 Concept of Operations at [https://ikewebstorage.blob.core.windows.net/files/US83\\_ConOps\\_v1.pdf](https://ikewebstorage.blob.core.windows.net/files/US83_ConOps_v1.pdf). KDOT is currently installing fiber along the project corridor to serve as a communications backbone from Oakley, Kansas to Garden City, Kansas. Additional information can be found on the project website at <https://ike.ksdot.gov/us-83-connected-vehicle-project#:~:text=The%20U.S.%2083%20Advanced%20Technology%20Project%20will%20be%20planned%20in,subsequent%20monitoring%20to%20measure%20performance>.

**Anticipated Consultant Scope**

The designer’s scope of work will include design of additional field devices, assistance in updating the project’s systems engineering documents, coordination on system integration, and testing oversight as outlined in the concept of operations. This design scope includes development of plans for roadside devices that will interface with the KaITS ATMS and KanDrive website. The design will include fiber connections from new devices to the new fiber optic backbone being installed by the other project. The designer will also coordinate with the KaITS and KanDrive contractors to define and develop interface requirements to supply and receive data from new technologies. The design will also identify final quantities and locations based on desired functionality and construction budget. Other KDOT contractors will make improvements to the KaITS ATMS operated by WICHway and KanDrive ATIS supported by Castlerock with which the roadside devices and CV technology in this contract will interface. Anticipated enhancements are listed below, although this may be subject to change depending on budget analysis.

This is the field equipment that has been identified in the concept of operations to be included in the project.

- RWIS sensor upgrades at two locations and one RWIS relocation and upgrade.
- RWIS sensors at CCTV traffic camera sites.
- Three to four CCTV traffic cameras.
- Spot congestion monitoring at two to three locations using video analytics.
- Two to three roadside dynamic message signs.



- Two snowplow AVL and camera systems.
- Two to four freight signal priority (FSP) and CV roadside units (RSUs)-compatible signal controllers.
- Two to four RSUs and five to ten CV onboard units (OBUs).
- Vehicle detection system (VDS) at two to four intersections used to request freight signal priority.

**Provide a scope of services/proposal to perform the following tasks:**

1. Project management.
2. Pre-Design: Including kick-off and biweekly coordination meetings, field reviews, local agency coordination, utility coordination, conceptual plan, and engineer’s estimate.
3. Systems Engineering: Assist KDOT in updating the systems engineering documents according to the design. The designer will add the necessary details to complete the Detailed Requirements in the Requirements Traceability Verification Matrix (RTVM) and prepare a System Verification Plan for the construction contractor to use with the RTVM. Systems engineering documents, already prepared, include the Concept of Operations (ConOps), Project Systems Engineering Management Plan (PSEMP), Data Management Plan (DMP), Project Evaluation Plan (PEP), and draft RTVM. The designer will complete the draft RTVM requirements list, per the design, and prepare a System Verification Plan.
4. Coordinate with the existing KDOT software contractors on the design to facilitate integration into the KaITS (SwRI) and KanDrive (Castle Rock) systems. Including the development of an Interface Control Specifications (ICS) Plan.
5. Prepare 60% and 95% plans (final date to be determined after award): Including base mapping, quality control review, incorporation of KDOT ITS specifications, specifications for new technologies, traffic control plans, and engineering estimates.
6. Prepare final plans 2 months after 95% submittal: Incorporate KDOT design comments, and finalize plans sheets.
7. Provide post-letting construction support services such as progress meetings, submittal and shop drawing reviews, addressing construction questions, and plan sheet revisions if necessary.

**Anticipated Schedule and Key Dates**

1. Proposals are due by or before 12:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 28, 2024.
2. Anticipated Start Date: April 15,2024.
3. Anticipated Calendar Completion Date: To be based on the schedule developed during Design.
4. Ranking of proposals is expected to occur on or around March 13, 2024.
5. Negotiations with the most highly ranked firm are expected to begin on or around March 18, 2024. An executed agreement is anticipated around April 8, 2024.

**Instructions for Proposal**

1. No cost or pricing information shall be submitted with the proposal. Proposals including cost or pricing information will be considered non-responsive and withdrawn from further consideration.

2. The consultant’s proposal must not exceed 4 pages total (including any cover letter, index, etc.). All pages shall be standard letter size (8.5” x 11”). Any page larger than standard letter size will be counted as two or more pages depending on size.
3. A single PDF (10MB maximum size) of the proposal including all attachments must be uploaded to the appropriate bid form on Bid Express by the proposal due date and time.
4. The PDF file name must read:
  - a. “KA-6234-02 US83 Advanced Technology Project FIRM NAME”
5. The proposal must be accompanied by Special Attachments No. 8 (“Tax Clearance Certificate”); No. 10 (“Policy Regarding Sexual Harassment”) and No. 12 (“Certification of Company Not Currently Engaged in the Procurement or Obtainment of Certain Equipment, Services, or Systems”). If you need a Tax Clearance Certificate, you can request one at <https://www.ksrevenue.org/taxclearance.html>. Allow 2-3 business days for processing. All attachments are required for every firm involved in a multi-consultant team. Upload these files as instructed in Bid Express.
6. The outline in Table 1 below describes the expected proposal organization and content sections.
7. Table 2 lists the evaluation criteria and associated weights which will be used to make a selection.
8. Depending on the number and quality of responses received, KDOT anticipates shortlisting (based on proposals) and holding interviews prior to final selection (which may be based on both proposals and interview content). If KDOT deems them necessary, evaluation criteria for interviews will be distributed to shortlisted consultant teams in advance.

**Table 1: Proposal Content**

Section	Description of Intent
Cover Letter	(No more than 1 page)
Project Approach	Describe how your firm will approach the project design efficiently and how your firm will approach the project integration and coordination efforts with KanDrive and KaITS. Include any unique, cost-effective, and/or optimized solutions planned for the design.
Approach to Quality Control	Describe methods or procedures your firm will use to provide all services with professional quality and technical accuracy.
Qualifications and Experience	For key personnel to be assigned to the project provide names, qualifications, education, training, and expertise. Identify their area(s) of responsibility and the percentage of their time dedicated to the project. List work for which you do not have in-house capability and name the firm you propose to subcontract with.
Past Performance	Describe the team’s past performance with respect to the ability to meet project schedules; quality of work; and ability to control costs on similar transportation projects, especially those performed for KDOT. Include three references and contact information.

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Section	Description of Intent
<b>Familiarity with KDOT and Project Area</b>	Describe the team’s familiarity with KDOT’s inspection processes and standards. Describe familiarity with the project area and any identified special site conditions.

**Table 2: Evaluation Factors**

Evaluation Factor	Weight
The quality and completeness of the response.	10%
Qualifications and experience of project manager and other key project team members proposed for services.	25%
Proposed project approach.	20%
Availability to respond to the work.	20%
Past performance history for similar projects/services for KDOT.	25%

**Contract Terms and Conditions**

A standard KDOT agreement for engineering and technical services will be used for professional services projects. The following special attachments will need to be provided by the selected consultant and all sub-consultants with the signed work order following negotiations and will become attachments to the contract.

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**Questions**

All questions regarding this Request for Proposals shall be submitted via Q&A section of bid form in Bid Express.

Questions can be submitted until February 15, 2024; answers will be provided to all prequalified consultants by February 22, 2024.

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Secretary

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State of Kansas

**Department of Transportation**

**Request for Proposals**

**Notice to Consulting Firms**

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) is seeking a qualified consulting firm, or team of firms, to perform construction inspection services on multiple projects in various counties. Summary information for each project is provided below in Table 1. Interested consultants must upload a proposal by 12:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 28, 2024, to the Bid Express page to be considered for selection.

**Consultant Prequalification**

Consulting firms interested in providing service on any project listed below must be prequalified by KDOT in category(s):

- Category 241–Construction Inspection and Testing

If a firm is not currently prequalified by KDOT, a proposal may still be submitted. Firms not prequalified must also provide documentation that demonstrates the firm is qualified for each specified category listed in this notice for the project. Firms must use the KDOT prequalification form to provide this documentation. KDOT 1050 Prequalification Category Definitions (Blue Book) can be found at <http://www.ksdot.org/descons.asp>. Consultants may create a team to meet the prequalification requirements. All firms doing business with KDOT must be registered and in good standing under the laws of the State of Kansas at the time of contracting and must comply with applicable state and federal laws, rules, and regulations.

**Background and Scope of Projects**

With this single solicitation, KDOT is requesting consulting services for construction inspections on the projects listed in Table 1. This table provides summary information for each project. One consultant will be selected to perform services associated with each group listed. Firms can express interest in the groups for which they would like to be considered by submitting a response as indicated below. There is no guarantee that a firm which has expressed interest will be selected for any project(s).

**Table 1: Summary of Project Information**

Group	RT-CO	Project #	Scope, County	Anticipated Start	Working Days or CCD	Office	Comments
24103	K018-099	KA-7088-01	Resurfacing, Wabaunsee	April 22, 2024	40	Wamego	These projects are slated to be performed by the same contractor.
	K018-081	KA-7043-01	Resurfacing, Riley	April 22, 2024	40	Wamego	
24401	U075-016	KA-7090-01	Resurfacing, Coffey	April 1, 2024	40	Iola	These projects are slated to be performed by the same contractor.
	U075-104	KA-7089-01	Resurfacing, Woodson	April 1, 2024	40	Iola	
23342	I070-091	KA-6777-01	Bridge Repair, Sherman	April 22, 2024	November 15, 2024	Atwood	
23343	U040-100	KA-3916-01	Bridge Replacement, Wallace	April 1, 2024	December 1, 2024	Oakley	
24402	U054-104	KA-6726-01	Bridge Repair, Woodson	March 18, 2024	70	Iola	
24404	U400-037	KA-7154-01	Resurfacing, Greenwood	May 1, 2024	50	Iola	



Group	RT-CO	Project #	Scope, County	Anticipated Start	Working Days or CCD	Office	Comments
24405	U054-001	KA-7153-01	Resurfacing, Allen	March 4, 2024	20	Iola	
24603	U083B-028	KA-5707-01	Grading, Bridge, and Surfacing, Finney	March 4, 2024	March 28, 2025	Syracuse/Garden City	

Additional project information including construction scope to be inspected, a detailed description of the project location, and resources and inspection scope specifically requested from consultants in this request can be viewed in an online table at <https://ike.ksdot.gov/about/construction-inspection-rfps>. Upon publication of this Request for Proposals, KDOT anticipates each of these inspection efforts will require full teams (project manager and inspectors, as opposed to single role staff augmentation as is occasionally request) for various types of construction inspection except as noted in the table. Watch the website linked above for updated information. Tabulated information (both in this Request for Proposals and on the website) shall not be relied upon during inspections. It is provided for the convenience of consultants, specifically to aid in making decisions about which projects they are interested in performing.

Specific project needs are subject to modification and/or cancellation at KDOT's discretion.

**Anticipated Consultant Scope**

The scope of construction inspection services and certifications required will vary for each project and are listed in the table available on the website noted above. Inspection efforts will be managed out of the offices listed. Also included for the convenience of consultants are indications of which grouped projects are currently slated to be performed by the same contractors.

**Anticipated Schedule and Key Dates**

1. Proposals are due by or before 12:00 p.m. (Central Time) February 28, 2024.
2. Ranking of proposals is expected to occur on or around March 1, 2024. Negotiations with the most highly ranked firm are expected to begin on or around March 15, 2024. An executed agreement is anticipated shortly thereafter.
3. Anticipated scope starts dates and working days or anticipated calendar completion dates are shown in the table. All dates are subject to change.

**Instructions for Proposal**

1. No cost or pricing information shall be submitted with the proposal. Proposals including cost or pricing information will be considered non-responsive and withdrawn from further consideration.
2. The consultant's proposal must not exceed the page limit laid out in Table 2 below (including any cover letter, index, etc.). All pages shall be standard letter size (8.5" x 11"). Any page larger than standard letter size will be counted as two or more pages depending on size.
3. A single PDF (10MB maximum size) of the proposal including all attachments must be uploaded to the appropriate bid form on Bid Express by the proposal due date and time.

4. The proposal PDF file name must read:
  - a. "ConstInsp Multiple Projects\_2024.02 Release FIRM NAME"
5. The proposal must be accompanied by Special Attachments No. 8 ("Tax Clearance Certificate"); No. 10 ("Policy Regarding Sexual Harassment") and No. 12 ("Certification of Company Not Currently Engaged in the Procurement or Obtainment of Certain Equipment, Services, or Systems"). If you need a Tax Clearance Certificate, you can request one at <https://www.ksrevenue.gov/taxclearance.html>. Allow 2-3 business days for processing. All attachments are required for every firm involved in a multi-consultant team. Upload these files as instructed in Bid Express.
6. The outline in Table 2 below describes the expected proposal organization, content sections, and limits on number of pages.
  - a. Each team is limited to a single, one-page cover letter.
  - b. Consultants may indicate interest in any and all projects, indicate preference (s) for up to three projects, and shall both indicate interest and preferences on the "January 2024 Construction Inspections Interest & Preference Form is provided on the Bid Express page to complete and upload. Also, consultants are to use the bottom of that form to indicate any capacity limitations that need to be taken into account when making selections.
  - c. Thereafter, each team is limited to two pages per project in which they express interest. In these pages, consultants shall:
    - i. Describe the approach they plan to execute to deliver success on the project.
    - ii. Present the relevant qualifications and experience of the people they are proposing will provide the services.
    - iii. Provide the firm's familiarity with KDOT and the project area.
  - d. Finally, consultants are limited to a single, on-page descriptions of general qualifications ("Past Performance" selection plus "Approach to Quality Control" section) regardless of the number of projects in which they are expressing interest.
7. Table 3 lists the evaluation criteria and associated weights which will be used to make a selection.
8. Although not anticipated at this time, KDOT reserves the right to interview for the requested services associated with any of the listed projects prior to making final selections.

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Table 2: Proposal Content

Section	Description of Intent	Page Limit
Cover Letter		1 Page
Consultant Project Interest and Preference	Fill out "January 2024 Construction Inspections Interest & Preference Form" and submit with your proposal.	1 Page
Project Approach	Describe how your firm will meet the fluctuating inspection needs of the project.	2 Pages per project in which team is interested
Qualifications and Experience	For key personnel to be assigned to the project provide names, qualifications, education, training, and expertise. Identify their area(s) of responsibility and percent of their time dedicated to the project. List work for which you do not have in-house capability and name the firm you propose to subcontract with.	
Familiarity with KDOT and Project Area	Describe team's familiarity with KDOT's inspection processes and standards. Describe familiarity with the project area and any identified special site conditions.	
Past Performance	Describe team's past performance with respect to ability to meet project schedules; quality of work; and ability to control costs on similar transportation projects, especially those performed for KDOT. Include three references and contact information.	1 Page total
Approach to Quality Control	Describe methods or procedures your firm will use to provide all services with professional quality and technical accuracy.	

Table 3: Evaluation Factors

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Availability to respond to the work.	20%
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Past performance history for similar projects/services for KDOT.	20%
Understanding of the project area.	10%
Understanding of KDOT contract administration and closeout procedures.	20%

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**Special Contract Conditions**

Batch Request for Proposals.

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**Unified Government of Wyandotte County/  
Kansas City, Kansas**

**Summary Notice of Bond Sale  
\$37,790,000\***

**General Obligation Improvement Bonds  
Series 2024-A**

**\$6,870,000\***

**General Obligation Improvement Bonds  
(Wyandotte County Projects)  
Series 2024-B**

**(General Obligation Bonds Payable  
from Unlimited Ad Valorem Taxes)**

**Bids**

Subject to the Notice of Bond Sale dated on or about February 19, 2024 (the "Notice"), bids for the purchase of the above-referenced bonds (collectively, the "Bonds") of the Unified Government of Wyandotte County/Kansas City, Kansas (the "Issuer") herein described will be received until 11:00 a.m. (Central Time) (the "Submittal Hour") February 29, 2024 (the "Sale Date"). Bids may only be submitted via PARITY® or via email to the Municipal Advisor at [bids@bakertilly.com](mailto:bids@bakertilly.com). Facsimile bids and hand-delivered written bids will not be accepted. No bid of less than 100% of the principal amount of the respective series of Bonds and accrued interest thereon to the date of delivery will be considered.

**Bond Details**

The Bonds will consist of fully registered bonds in the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. The Bonds will be dated March 27, 2024, and will become due on August 1 in the years as follows:

**Series 2024-A Bonds**

Year	Principal Amount*	Year	Principal Amount*
2025	\$875,000	2035	\$1,885,000
2026	1,405,000	2036	1,950,000
2027	1,450,000	2037	2,020,000
2028	1,500,000	2038	2,095,000
2029	1,545,000	2039	2,170,000
2030	1,600,000	2040	2,270,000
2031	1,655,000	2041	2,360,000

2032	1,705,000	2042	2,460,000
2033	1,770,000	2043	2,570,000
2034	1,825,000	2044	2,680,000

\*Subject to change; see the Notice.

**Series 2024-B Bonds**

Year	Principal Amount*	Year	Principal Amount*
2025	\$520,000	2030	\$705,000
2026	615,000	2031	725,000
2027	640,000	2032	750,000
2028	660,000	2033	775,000
2029	680,000	2034	800,000

\*Subject to change; see the Notice.

The Bonds will bear interest from the date thereof at rates to be determined when the Bonds are sold as hereinafter provided, which interest will be payable semiannually on February 1 and August 1 in each year, beginning on February 1, 2025.

**Book-Entry-Only System**

The Bonds shall be registered under a book-entry-only system administered through DTC.

**Paying Agent and Bond Registrar**

Treasurer of the State of Kansas, Topeka, Kansas.

**Good Faith Deposit**

The Successful Bidder shall submit a good faith deposit in the form of a wire transfer in Federal Reserve funds immediately available for use by the Issuer in the amount of 2.00% of the principal amount of the applicable series of Bonds in the manner that complies with the requirements set forth in the Notice.

**Delivery**

The Issuer will pay for preparation of the Bonds and will deliver the same properly prepared, executed, and registered without cost to the successful bidder on or about March 27, 2024, to DTC for the account of the successful bidder.

**Assessed Valuation and Indebtedness**

The Equalized Assessed Tangible Valuation for Computation of Bonded Debt Limitations for the year 2023 was \$2,120,139,843. The total general obligation indebtedness of the Issuer as of the date of the Bonds, including the Bonds and the temporary notes being issued contemporaneously with the Bonds (the "Notes"), but excluding the temporary notes to be retired with the proceeds of the Bonds, the Notes, and other funds of the Issuer, is \$502,875,000, of which \$488,765,000 is indebtedness of the Issuer payable only from taxes on taxable tangible property in the City of Kansas City, Kansas, and \$14,110,000 is indebtedness of the Issuer payable from taxes on all taxable tangible property within Wyandotte County, Kansas.

**Approval of Bonds**

The Bonds will be sold subject to the legal opinion of Gilmore & Bell, P.C., Kansas City, Missouri, Bond Counsel to the Issuer, whose approving legal opinion as to the validity of the Bonds will be furnished and paid for by

the Issuer, printed on the Bonds, and delivered to the successful bidder as and when the Bonds are delivered.

**Additional Information**

Additional information regarding the Bonds may be obtained from the undersigned, or from the Municipal Advisor at the addresses set forth below:

**Municipal Advisor and Email Bid Address**

Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC  
 Attn: Bond Services  
 30 E. Seventh St., Suite 3025  
 Saint Paul, MN 55101  
 651-223-3000  
[bids@bakertilly.com](mailto:bids@bakertilly.com)

Dated February 8, 2024.

Unified Government of Wyandotte County/  
 Kansas City, Kansas  
 Debbie Jonscher  
 Acting Chief Financial Officer  
 701 N. 7th St.  
 Kansas City, Kansas 66101  
 913-573-5270  
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**State of Kansas**

**Legislative Administrative Services**

**Legislative Bills and Resolutions Introduced**

The following numbers and titles of bills and resolutions were introduced January 25th – January 31st during the 2024 session of the Kansas Legislature. Full text of bills, bill tracking, and other information may be accessed at <http://www.kslegislature.org/li/>.

**House Bills**

**HB 2597**, AN ACT concerning public utilities; relating to the state corporation commission; extending the timelines for the state corporation commission to make a determination regarding rate-making treatment for electric generating or transmission facilities; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 66-1239 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

**HB 2598**, AN ACT concerning real estate; relating to brokers and salespersons and real estate transactions; authorizing the Kansas real estate commission to issue cease and desist orders; prohibiting dealing in assignable contracts for the purchase or sale of or options on real estate or improvements thereon for certain residential housing; providing that certain violations thereof are subject to penalties and remedies under the Kansas consumer protection act; amending K.S.A. 58-3065 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 58-3062 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

**HB 2599**, AN ACT concerning the open records act; relating to charges for public records requested thereunder; prohibiting charges for electronic copies and determinations of whether a record exists; limiting charges for employee time required to make records available; amending K.S.A. 45-219 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

**HB 2600**, AN ACT concerning education; establishing a grant program to award moneys to qualifying title I schools to provide feminine hygiene products to students at no cost and the feminine hygiene product grant fund; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, for the department of education, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

**HB 2601**, AN ACT concerning driving; relating to driving under the influence; requiring certain persons on a third or subsequent conviction

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thereof to participate in a multidisciplinary model of services for substance use disorders; amending K.S.A. 8-1567 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2602**, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the revised Kansas juvenile justice code; authorizing expungement of an adjudication if the person has not been convicted or adjudicated of an offense in the past two years; amending K.S.A. 38-2312 and repealing the existing section, by None.

**HB 2603**, AN ACT concerning elections; establishing the citizens' election oversight board; authorizing such board to review, investigate and report on citizen complaints on the conduct of elections and election procedures; providing for the membership, powers and duties thereof, by Representatives Howerton and Underhill.

**HB 2604**, AN ACT concerning civil procedure for limited actions; relating to the small claims procedure act; increasing the maximum dollar amount of a small claim thereunder; amending K.S.A. 61-2703 and 61-2706 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 2605**, AN ACT concerning the board of indigents' defense services; relating to appointed counsel; increasing the maximum rate paid to appointed counsel; amending K.S.A. 22-4507 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 2606**, AN ACT concerning seizure and forfeiture of property; relating to the Kansas standard asset seizure and forfeiture act; specifying that certain drug offenses do not give rise to forfeiture under the act; requiring courts to make a finding that forfeiture is not excessive; restricting actions prior to commencement of forfeiture proceedings; requiring probable cause affidavit filing and review to commence forfeiture proceedings; increasing the burden of proof required to forfeit property to clear and convincing evidence; authorizing courts to order payment of attorney fees and costs for certain claimants; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 60-4104, 60-4106, 60-4107, 60-4109, 60-4111, 60-4112, 60-4113, 60-4116 and 60-4117 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 2607**, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to the Kansas department of agriculture; the Kansas pesticide law; the Kansas chemigation safety law; requiring supervision and training for uncertified applicators; clarifying definition of governmental agency; requiring applicants to file certificates of liability insurance in lieu of bonds, letters of credit or proof of an escrow; government agency certification for pesticide applications in the sodium cyanide predator control category; requiring direct supervision of registered pest control technicians by a certified commercial applicator when applying restricted use pesticides; expanding applicability of the current civil penalty provisions to any person or entity that violates the Kansas pesticide law; adding additional categories of qualification for certification and licensing; updating private applicator certificate requirements; allowing the secretary to establish a training program for initial certification of private applicators as an alternative to a written examination; requiring additional information in statements of service or contracts; government agencies to maintain records relating to each application of pesticide made by such government agency; applying the same criminal penalty to certified private applicators as other persons for violations of the Kansas pesticide law; removing the secretary's authority to deny, suspend, revoke or modify a permit if an applicant, registrant or permit holder has been convicted or pled guilty to a state or federal felony; amending K.S.A. 2-2438a, 2-2440, 2-2440b, 2-2440e, 2-2443a, 2-2444a, 2-2445a, 2-2446, 2-2448, 2-2449, 2-2450, 2-2455, 2-2461, 2-2467a and 2-3310 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**HB 2608**, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to animal health; poultry disease control; authorizing the animal health commissioner to adopt rules and regulations to administer the poultry disease control act; establishing an annual participation fee not to exceed \$50 for participation in the national poultry improvement plan; a certification fee not to exceed \$50 for persons performing testing and diagnostic services; a testing fee not to exceed \$100 per visit to each location participating in the plan; allowing the commissioner to revoke any national plan hatchery or U.S. pullorum-typhoid clean designation for failure to pay the annual plan participation fee within a 60-day grace period; amending K.S.A. 2-910, 2-912, 2-914 and 2-915 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**HB 2609**, AN ACT concerning property tax; relating to exemptions; extending the property tax exemption for pollution control devices and peak load plants of independent power producers and certain electric public utility property; amending K.S.A. 79-257 and 79-258 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Taxation.

**HB 2610**, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to the determination of Kansas adjusted gross income; providing a subtraction modification for sales of property subject to eminent domain; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Taxation.

**HB 2611**, AN ACT concerning economic development; relating to tourism; increasing the membership of the council on travel and tourism appointed by the governor and updating the house committee assignment required for house members from the committee on agriculture and natural resources to the committee on commerce, labor and economic development; reducing the required allocation of funds from the department of commerce's matching grant program for the promotion of tourism to public and nonprofit entities and removing the restriction on the percentage of such funds granted to a single entity; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 32-1410 and 32-1420 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

**HB 2612**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school district accreditation; requiring school districts to be in compliance with all state laws and rules and regulations to be accredited; requiring school districts to notify parents in writing if the school district is not accredited; requiring the state board to establish a process to challenge a determination of school district compliance with state laws and rules and regulations; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-5170 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

**HB 2613**, AN ACT concerning the attorney general; relating to the drug abuse resistance education (D.A.R.E.) program; creating the position of statewide drug abuse resistance education educator and providing for the duties and responsibilities thereof; establishing the drug abuse resistance education fund and providing funding for such fund through an annual transfer of state moneys; amending K.S.A. 38-2101 and 75-721 and repealing the existing sections, by Representative Essex.

**HB 2614**, AN ACT concerning administrative rules and regulations; requiring state agencies to provide notice of revocation thereof; removing certain abolished or inactive state agencies from the five-year state agency review requirement; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-426 and 77-440 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Elections.

**HB 2615**, AN ACT concerning the publication of state laws and rules and regulations; relating to the publishing, printing and distributing thereof; removing state printer from timeline requirements for printing session laws; providing statewide elected officials and legislators to receive statute books and supplements upon request; requiring all administrative rules and regulations to be published electronically and eliminating the printing of volumes and supplements thereof; providing for the authenticating, preparing of searchable base and setting of prices of administrative rules and regulations by the secretary of state; amending K.S.A. 45-315, 77-165, 77-423, 77-429 and 77-435 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-138 and 77-430 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 77-424 and 77-428 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-430a and 77-431, by Committee on Elections.

**HB 2616**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the qualifications of poll workers; prohibiting the disqualification of certain individuals as poll workers on the basis of residency or registered voter status, by Committee on Elections.

**HB 2617**, AN ACT concerning state governmental ethics; relating to members of the legislature; prohibiting voting on certain legislative matters in which a member has a special interest; amending K.S.A. 46-214a and 46-288 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Elections.

**HB 2618**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the election crime of false representation of an election official; requiring specific intent of the offender as an element of such criminal offense; amending K.S.A. 25-2438 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Elections.

**HB 2619**, AN ACT concerning retirement and pensions; relating to the Kansas deferred retirement option program act; expanding such program membership to all members of the Kansas public employees retirement system; amending K.S.A. 74-4986m and 74-4986o and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-4986l, 74-4986n and 74-4986p and repealing the existing sections, by Representatives Penn and Williams, K.

**HB 2620**, AN ACT concerning public utilities; relating to the state corporation commission; extending the timelines for the state corporation commission to make a determination regarding rate-making treatment for electric generating or transmission facilities; establishing a rebuttable presumption that a fossil fuel-fired electric generating unit shall not be retired; prohibiting the commission from authorizing the retirement of such an electric generating unit unless the utility over-

comes such presumption with sufficient evidence; requiring the commission to report annually on requests to retire such units; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 66-1239 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

**HB 2621**, AN ACT concerning public utilities; relating to eminent domain; prohibiting public utilities from exercising eminent domain for the siting or placement of solar facilities; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 66-104 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications.

**HB 2622**, AN ACT amending the Kansas indoor clean air act; prohibiting smoking on the gaming floor of a lottery gaming facility or racetrack gaming facility; amending K.S.A. 21-6110 and repealing the existing section, by Representatives Donohoe, Buehler, Carlin, Carr, Highberger, Howe, Humphries, Lewis, Minnix, Neelly, Pickert, Ruiz, S., Schlingensiepen, Seiwert and Waggoner.

**HB 2623**, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; updating the veterans claims assistance program to include references to veterans affairs medical centers and cross-accreditation requirements; amending K.S.A. 73-1234 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Veterans and Military.

**HB 2624**, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to disabled veterans; requiring that federal disability determinations be probative; prohibiting state agencies and municipalities from reconsidering a veteran's disability determination, by Committee on Veterans and Military.

**HB 2625**, AN ACT concerning veterans and military; relating to disabled veterans; prescribing documentation requirements to determine eligibility for benefits derived from a service-connected disability, by Committee on Veterans and Military.

**HB 2626**, AN ACT concerning cemeteries; authorizing the disorganization of the Clearwater cemetery district; conveying certain real property and transferring assets and other property of such district, by Representative Bergkamp.

**HB 2627**, AN ACT concerning public assistance; reorganizing sections of the public assistance statute; updating cross references; amending K.S.A. 39-757 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 39-709 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Welfare Reform.

**HB 2628**, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to child fatality records; requiring the secretary for children and families to release certain information related to a child fatality when criminal charges are filed with a court alleging that a person caused such fatality; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2212 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care.

**HB 2629**, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the state child death review board; replacing sudden infant death with sudden unexplained infant death; requiring the secretary for health and environment to provide a death certificate to the state child death review board; listing requirements for notification of a deceased child; increasing the number of members appointed by the state board of healing arts to the state child death review board; allowing for compensation for board members; providing for the disclosure of certain records to certain persons for securing grants; directing that records be kept for 15 years after a case is closed; amending K.S.A. 22a-242, 22a-243 and 22a-244 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care.

**HB 2630**, AN ACT concerning the rules of evidence; relating to extrinsic policies affecting admissibility; evidence of other crimes or civil wrongs; allowing evidence of previous domestic violence offenses to be admitted during a prosecution of a domestic violence offense; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 60-455 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2631**, AN ACT concerning roads and highways; relating to tolls on turnpike projects; directing the Kansas turnpike authority to establish a toll exemption program for current members of the armed forces whose orders direct a permanent place of duty within Kansas, by Representatives Butler, Blex, Bloom, Buehler, Collins, Dodson, M., Ellis, Goddard, Hill, Howe, Howerton, T. Johnson, McDonald, Miller, D., Neelly, Penn, Poskin, Proctor, Ruiz, S., Sanders, Schlingensiepen, Smith, C., Thompson, Turk, Underhill and White.

**HB 2632**, AN ACT concerning the law enforcement memorial advisory committee; expanding the membership thereof; amending K.S.A. 75-2251 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**HB 2633**, AN ACT concerning water; relating to the certification of operators of water supply systems and wastewater treatment facilities; providing for additional sources of revenue for the water program

management fund; requiring fees for operator certification examinations to not exceed the cost of such examinations; eliminating the ability of the secretary of health and environment to certify operators through a correspondence course rather than classroom instruction; amending K.S.A. 65-166b, 65-4513 and 65-4514 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 65-4506, by Committee on Water.

**HB 2634**, AN ACT concerning water; relating to groundwater management districts; providing an additional corrective control provision for the chief engineer to consider when issuing orders of designations for local enhance management areas and intensive groundwater use control areas; amending K.S.A. 82a-1038 and 82a-1041 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Water.

**HB 2635**, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to exemptions; establishing a property tax exemption for homestead property of certain disabled veterans, by Representative Ohaebosim.

**HB 2636**, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to the homestead property tax refund act; including homestead renters as eligible to participate in certain homestead property tax refund claims; amending K.S.A. 79-4501, 79-4511 and 79-4522 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-4502, 79-4508 and 79-4509 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Taxation.

**HB 2637**, AN ACT concerning hospitals; relating to rural emergency hospital licensure; expanding eligibility to facilities that meet criteria between January 2015 and December 2020; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 65-484 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

**HB 2638**, AN ACT concerning real property; relating to the conveyance thereof; requiring the attorney general to investigate such conveyances; prohibiting the conveyance of title to certain real property to foreign adversaries and establishing criminal penalties for violations thereof, by Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**HB 2639**, AN ACT concerning the revised Kansas juvenile justice code; prohibiting the use of restraints during hearings; authorizing exceptions if the court makes certain findings on the record; defining hearing under the code; amending K.S.A. 38-2353 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 38-2302 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2640**, AN ACT concerning research at Kansas public postsecondary educational institutions; creating the Kansas strategic research act; establishing the Kansas strategic research fund; making transfers to such fund; prescribing guidelines for the expenditure of moneys credited thereto and the powers, duties and functions of the state board of regents; requiring annual reports to certain committees of the legislature, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

**HB 2641**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; requiring boards of education of school districts to adopt policies and procedures to prohibit students' use of privately owned electronic communication devices during school hours; allowing the use under certain circumstances, by Committee on Education.

**HB 2642**, AN ACT concerning health professions and practices; relating to the regulation of dentists; Kansas dental board; requiring a dentist to establish a bona fide relationship with a patient before providing dental services; prohibiting dental service contracts that limit a patient's ability to file a complaint with the board; updating certain provisions of the Kansas dental practices act; amending K.S.A. 65-1430 and 65-1467 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

**HB 2643**, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to laser hair removal; creating the laser hair removal act; restricting the practice thereof to certain medical professionals, by Committee on Health and Human Services.

**HB 2644**, AN ACT concerning the state board of regents; relating to certain scholarship programs administered by the board; establishing uniform interest rate provisions for scholarship programs that include repayment obligations as a condition of receipt of such financial assistance; authorizing the board to recover the costs of collecting such repayment obligations; authorizing the board to charge fees to cover the costs of administering scholarship, grant and other financial assistance programs; amending K.S.A. 74-3260, 74-3267, 74-3272, 74-3295, 74-32,104, 74-32,116, 74-32,135, 74-32,153, 74-32,154 and 74-32,223 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-32,276 and 74-32,286 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Education.

**HB 2645**, AN ACT concerning postsecondary education; relating to the nursing service scholarship program; removing limits on the amount of scholarship awards and the number of scholarships; re-

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moving the requirement to obtain a sponsor; modifying the terms and conditions for interest accrual on repayment obligations; abolishing the nursing service scholarship review committee; amending K.S.A. 74-3292, 74-3293, 74-3294, 74-3295, 74-3296, 74-3297 and 74-3298 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 74-3299, by Committee on Education.

**HB 2646**, AN ACT concerning postsecondary education; relating to the Kansas hero's scholarship act; modifying the financial limitations on the award of scholarships under the act; expanding the eligibility requirements for a scholarship; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-4364 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

**HB 2647**, AN ACT concerning rural communities in Kansas; creating the Kansas rural downtown revitalization act; establishing the rural downtown revitalization fund; making transfers to such fund; prescribing guidelines for the expenditure of moneys credited thereto and the duties of the department of commerce and the director of Kansas main street; requiring annual reports to certain committees of the legislature, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

**HB 2648**, AN ACT concerning administrative rules and regulations; requirements for adoption of rules and regulations; relating to economic impact statements; requiring legislative ratification for certain rules and regulations; requiring the director of the budget to review an agency's determination of implementation and compliance costs and disapprove proposed rules and regulations with incomplete or inaccurate economic impact statements; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 77-415, 77-416 and 77-420 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development.

**HB 2649**, AN ACT concerning the attorney general; requiring the attorney general to submit an annual report to certain legislative committees regarding coordinated law enforcement agency training on missing and murdered indigenous persons; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-774 and repealing the existing section, by Representative Haswood.

**HB 2650**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; requiring each school district to submit annually to the state board of education an at-risk student accountability plan and show longitudinal academic improvement in certain student subgroups and students identified as eligible for at-risk programs and services; revising the definition of evidence-based instruction relating to the provision of at-risk programs and services; removing the requirement that the state board of education approve and publish a list of evidence-based at-risk educational programs; requiring the state board of education to publish an online guidance resource for at-risk educational programs; prohibiting the state board of education from revising curriculum standards in English language arts and mathematics until 75% of all students achieve academic proficiency; requiring school districts to be in compliance with all state laws and rules and regulations to maintain accreditation; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-5153 and 72-5170 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on K-12 Education Budget.

**HB 2651**, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to farm tenancies; requiring a third party that causes damage to crops or land to notify the landowner of such damage, request documentation of existing tenants of such land and to reimburse such landowner and any such tenant in accordance with the existing land lease agreement, by Committee on Appropriations.

**HB 2652**, AN ACT requiring the display of the national motto in public buildings, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**HB 2653**, AN ACT concerning children and families; relating to orders of child support; providing for child support for unborn children from the date of conception; amending K.S.A. 20-165, 23-2205 and 23-3001 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**HB 2654**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to sentencing; calculation of confinement; excluding certain types of incarceration time from the allowance of time against a person's criminal sentence; amending K.S.A. 21-6615 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2655**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to sentencing; requiring automated expungement of certain records; sealing such records from public view and limiting disclosure thereof; amending K.S.A. 21-6614 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2656**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to crimes involving motor vehicles; creating the crime of engaging in a street stunt and providing criminal penalties therefor; adding engaging in a street stunt to the list of crimes included in fleeing or attempting to elude a police officer; amending K.S.A. 8-1568

and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Corrections and Juvenile Justice.

**HB 2657**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas state fair board; relating to membership thereof; requiring at least one member to be a resident of Reno county; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-520a and repealing the existing section, by Representatives Waggoner, Murphy, Probst and Seiwert.

## House Concurrent Resolutions

**HCR 5023**, A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 5 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; lowering the minimum age for qualified electors to vote in elections in this state from 18 to 16 years, by Representatives Clayton, Carlin, Hougland, McDonald, Melton, Meyer and Woodward.

**HCR 5024**, A PROPOSITION to amend article 14 of the constitution of the state of Kansas by adding a new section thereto; reserving to the people of Kansas the power of initiative, by Representative Dodson.

## Senate Bills

**SB 397**, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to title insurance, title agents and title insurers; eliminating annual controlled business reporting requirements; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 40-2404 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

**SB 398**, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the powers, duties and responsibilities of the commissioner of insurance; authorizing the commissioner of insurance to set the amount of certain fees; requiring the publication of such fees in the Kansas register; amending K.S.A. 40-205a, 40-218, 40-252, 40-2,133, 40-504, 40-956, 40-22a04, 40-2604, 40-2702, 40-3213, 40-3304, 40-3812, 40-3813, 40-4103, 40-4116, 40-4323, 40-4334, 40-4503, 40-5003 and 40-5509 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 40-3823, 40-3824, 40-4209, 40-4302 and 40-4903 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 40-3217, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

**SB 399**, AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to vehicle dealers and salvage vehicle dealers; requiring that monthly reports be filed on the 25th day of the month; amending K.S.A. 8-2408 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Transportation.

**SB 400**, AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to distinctive license plates; providing for the sporting Kansas City license plate, by Committee on Transportation.

**SB 401**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to instruction; requiring critical thinking to be integrated into elementary and secondary instruction, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**SB 402**, AN ACT concerning railroads; relating to crew size; prohibiting crew size requirements for class II and class III railroads, by Committee on Transportation.

**SB 403**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing for a sales tax exemption for be able, inc.; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Assessment and Taxation.

**SB 404**, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to the treatment of sexually transmitted diseases; permitting the use of expedited partner therapy for the treatment thereof, by Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

**SB 405**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas uniform securities act; relating to violations thereof; holding a control person liable for the violations committed by an individual subject to discipline under the act unless the control person was unaware and could not have reasonably have known of the violations of such individual; amending K.S.A. 17-12a412, 17-12a603 and 17-12a604 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

**SB 406**, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; enacting the Kansas money transmission act; relating to the electronic transmission of money; oversight thereof by the state bank commissioner; establishing powers, duties and responsibilities of the state bank commissioner; licensing and renewal processes; penalties; repealing K.S.A. 9-508, 9-509, 9-510, 9-510a, 9-511, 9-513, 9-513a, 9-513b, 9-513c, 9-513d, 9-513e and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 9-512, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

**SB 407**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to the state board of education; authorizing teaching licenses for individuals who complete an alternative teacher certification program, by Committee on Education.



**SB 408**, AN ACT concerning transportation; relating to driver training; changing requirements to allow driving school instructors to hold a valid driver's license from any state; amending K.S.A. 8-276 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**SB 409**, AN ACT concerning discrimination; relating to the Kansas act against discrimination; prohibiting county or city legislation that would modify the established classes of individuals protected from discrimination under such act; amending K.S.A. 44-1001, 44-1002 and 44-1015 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**SB 410**, AN ACT concerning roads and highways; designating a portion of United States highway 69 as the Ken W Brock memorial highway, by Committee on Assessment and Taxation.

**SB 411**, AN ACT concerning state audits; abolishing the division of legislative post audit and the legislative post audit committee; creating the office of state auditor and providing for the powers and duties thereof; providing for the election of the state auditor and term of office; enacting the state audit act; amending K.S.A. 25-101, 25-101a, 25-213a and 25-4001 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 25-213 and 75-3101a and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 46-1101, 46-1102, 46-1103, 46-1104, 46-1106, 46-1108, 46-1109, 46-1112, 46-1113, 46-1114, 46-1115, 46-1116, 46-1117, 46-1118, 46-1119, 46-1120, 46-1120a, 46-1122, 46-1123, 46-1125, 46-1126, 46-1127, 46-1128, 46-1129, 46-1135, 46-1136 and 46-1137, by Senator Olson.

**SB 412**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to sentencing; providing that the supervision term in certain multiple conviction cases will be based on the longest supervision term imposed for any of the crimes; amending K.S.A. 21-6819 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 413**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to controlled substances; specifying penalties for unlawful distribution of controlled substances with respect to material containing any quantity of a fentanyl-related controlled substance when distributed by weight or dosage unit; amending K.S.A. 21-5705 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 414**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to controlled substances; increasing penalties for unlawful distribution of controlled substances with respect to material containing any quantity of a fentanyl-related controlled substance; creating a special sentencing rule for such unlawful distribution thereof; amending K.S.A. 21-5705 and 21-6805 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 415**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; creating the crime of organized retail crime and providing criminal penalties for violation thereof; relating to theft; increasing penalties for theft of certain property; relating to the Kansas racketeer influenced and corrupt organization act; including organized retail crime in the definition of racketeering activity; relating to the attorney general; authorizing the attorney general to prosecute crimes that are part of an alleged course of criminal conduct that occurred in two or more counties; amending K.S.A. 21-5801 and 21-6328 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 75-702 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 416**, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to juvenile offenders; the revised Kansas juvenile justice code; prohibiting fines, fees and costs from being assessed against a juvenile or a juvenile's parent, guardian or custodian; amending K.S.A. 12-16, 119, 20-3129, 21-6609, 22-4905, 28-170, 28-170a, 28-176, 38-2306, 38-2312, 38-2315, 38-2317, 38-2328, 38-2331, 38-2346, 38-2348, 38-2360, 38-2361, 38-2362, 38-2369, 38-2373, 38-2384, 38-2389, 38-2396, 38-2399 and 75-724 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 28-177 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 20-167, 38-2314, 38-2319, 38-2321, 38-2322 and 38-2324, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 417**, AN ACT repealing K.S.A. 32-840; removing the secretary of wildlife and park's authority to exercise the right of eminent domain, by Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**SB 418**, AN ACT concerning courts; requiring the clerk of the appellate courts to publish monthly a list of cases of the supreme court and court of appeals in which a decision has not been entered and filed within six months of submission and a list of cases in which a petition for review has not been granted or denied within six months of submission; amending K.S.A. 20-3301 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 419**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to aggravated endangering a child; increasing the criminal penalties in certain environments associated with fentanyl-related controlled substances or when bodily harm to the child results; amend-

ing K.S.A. 21-5601 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 420**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to crimes involving violations of personal rights; eliminating the element of concealment from the crime of breach of privacy related to installing or using a device to photograph or record another identifiable person under or through the clothing being worn by that other person or another identifiable person who is nude or in a state of undress; amending K.S.A. 21-6101 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Judiciary.

**SB 421**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing a sales tax exemption for exploration place, inc.; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section, by Senators Blasi, Alley, Erickson, Fagg, Faust-Goudeau, Kerschen, Masterson, Petersen and Ware.

**SB 422**, AN ACT concerning electric public utilities; relating to net metering; increasing the system-wide capacity limit for facilities subject to net metering; requiring such facilities to be appropriately sized based on the customer's expected load; establishing requirements for exporting power to a utility from a facility subject to net metering; amending K.S.A. 66-1264, 66-1265, 66-1266 and 66-1267 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Utilities.

**SB 423**, AN ACT concerning insurance; reducing the number of board members appointed by the commissioner on certain insurance-related governing boards and the frequency of the meetings of the committee on surety bonds and insurance; amending K.S.A. 40-2102, 40-2109, 40-3116, 40-3413, 65-34, 126 and 75-4101 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance.

**SB 424**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas plane coordinate system act; providing for geographic positions or locations of points within the state of Kansas; amending K.S.A. 58-20a01, 58-20a02, 58-20a03, 58-20a04, 58-20a05 and 58-20a07 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 58-20a06, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**SB 425**, AN ACT concerning children and families; relating to orders of child support; providing for child support for unborn children from the date of conception; amending K.S.A. 20-165, 23-2205 and 23-3001 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Federal and State Affairs.

**SB 426**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to unlawful passing of stationary authorized emergency vehicle; increasing penalties for certain violations; creating a crime for injuring or causing death of certain authorized emergency vehicle operators and providing a penalty thereof; amending K.S.A. 8-1530, 8-2116 and 8-2118 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Transportation.

**SB 427**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to boards of education; requiring school districts to publicly list the names and email addresses of current board members; authorizing local school board members to add new items to board meeting discussions, ask questions or engage in discussion with members of the public and access school property; authorizing members of the public to address school boards at board meetings; authorizing payment of annual dues to any not-for-profit organization that provides services to member school districts; amending K.S.A. 72-1145 and 72-1416 and K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-1138 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Education.

**SB 428**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to school districts; boards of education; requiring attendance center needs assessments to be conducted by the board and include input from board members, teachers, school site councils and administrators; requiring that board members receive certain state assessment data; identifying allocations of moneys in the district budget and budget summary; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 72-1163 and repealing the existing section, by Committee on Education.

**SB 429**, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use tax; reducing the state rate of tax on sales of food and food ingredients; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 79-3603, 79-3603d, 79-3620, 79-3703 and 79-3710 and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Assessment and Taxation.

**SB 430**, AN ACT concerning workers compensation; relating to coverage under the act, notice, benefits, liability limitations, definitions, evidentiary standards, hearings, admission of evidence, procedures, settlements and other matters; providing coverage for members of the Kansas national guard under the workers compensation act; limiting reduction to awards for functional impairment on the basis of preexisting impairment to preexisting impairment to the same physical struc-

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ture as the body part injured; limiting reductions to benefits based on retirement benefits; defining registered mail; requiring a judicial determination of dependency for immediate payment of death benefit; increasing the maximum amount of death benefits; extending the time period for payments to dependent children when in schools; providing for a yearly adjustment to the maximum death benefit to commence in 2027; increasing the minimum weekly payment for permanent total disability; adding certain functional impairment requirements to the determination of permanent total disability; increasing the minimum weekly payment amount for temporary total disability; providing that loss of use of a scheduled member shall be the percentage of functional impairment the employee sustained on account of the injury; reducing the percentage of functional impairment required for eligibility for permanent partial general disability compensation; increasing employers' maximum liability for permanent total disability, temporary total disability, permanent or temporary partial disability and permanent partial disability and providing for a yearly adjustment in such maximum liability limits to commence in 2027; applying an employer's credit for voluntary payments of unearned wages to any award; increasing the maximum employer liability for unauthorized medical care; increasing the evidentiary standard for future medical treatment after maximum medical improvement in certain circumstances; limiting proceedings for post-award medical benefits; creating a presumption that no costs or attorney fees be awarded when requests for post-award medical benefits are provided within 30 days; defining money for purposes of the average weekly wage; excluding the first week of employment in the calculation of an employee's average weekly wage under certain circumstances; allowing payment of certain benefits by electronic funds transfer or payment card; increasing employer liability for expenses of claimant for required examinations; establishing procedures for neutral healthcare examinations and for the exchange of medical reports between parties; providing for the admission of medical reports without necessity of additional foundation subject to compliance with certain procedures; extending deadlines for notice to an employer by an employee of injury; eliminating the three-year deadline for a claimant's motion to extend time for proceeding to avoid dismissal for lack of prosecution; prohibiting an award from including future medical treatment unless a specified standard of proof is met; clarifying certain language referencing a claimant; providing a procedure for expedited settlement on written stipulations by means of a form established by the director of workers compensation; allowing the record of hearings by digital recording and transcription by either a court reporter or a notary public; providing that certified reporters fees be taxed as costs if no record is taken; providing for the workers compensation fund to implead a principal as a party in a proceeding; providing for certain other changes to the workers compensation act; amending K.S.A. 44-501, 44-508, 44-510b, 44-510c, 44-510d, 44-510e, 44-510f, 44-510h, 44-510k, 44-511, 44-512, 44-515, 44-516, 44-519, 44-520, 44-523, 44-525, 44-526, 44-531, 44-534a, 44-552 and 44-566a and repealing the existing sections, by Committee on Commerce.

**SB 431**, AN ACT concerning the state capitol; directing the capitol preservation committee to approve plans for a memorial honoring the life of Emil Joseph Kapaun, by Senators Blasi, Bowers and Wilborn.

**SB 432**, AN ACT concerning gaming; relating to sports wagering; prohibiting advertising of sports wagering through internet websites and electronic device applications; amending K.S.A. 2023 Supp. 74-8785 and repealing the existing section, by Senators Holscher and Peck.

### Senate Resolutions

**SR 1733**, A RESOLUTION affirming the Kansas senate's unwavering support for free press in the state of Kansas and directing the attorney general to make a report to the body concerning the Colorado bureau of investigation's inquiry regarding the extent to which the civil rights of any Kansan were violated when certain search warrants were executed in Marion, Kansas, on August 11, 2023, by Senators Sykes, Francisco, Haley, Holscher, Pettey, Reddi and Ware.

**SR 1734**, A RESOLUTION strengthening the sister-state ties between the State of Kansas and Taiwan and reaffirming support for Taiwan's international participation, by Senators Masterson, Wilborn and Alley.

### Senate Concurrent Resolutions

**SCR 1615**, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION rejecting the rates of compensation and salary for members of the Legislature set by the Leg-

islative Compensation Commission, by Senators Tyson, Baumgardner, Doll, Shallenburger, Steffen, Straub and Warren.

**SCR 1616**, A PROPOSITION to amend section 5 of article 3 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; relating to the selection of supreme court justices; allowing the governor to appoint supreme court justices, subject to senate confirmation; changing the membership of the supreme court nominating commission, by Senator Pyle.

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### State of Kansas

## Department of Labor Division of Workers Compensation

### Notice of Hearing on Proposed Administrative Regulation

A public hearing will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, 2024, in the Appeal Board Hearing Room, Department of Labor Building, 401 SW Topeka Blvd., Topeka, Kansas. The purpose of the public hearing will be to consider the adoption of a proposed rule and regulation of the Division of Workers Compensation, Department of Labor on a permanent basis.

This 60-day notice of the public hearing shall constitute a public comment period for the purpose of receiving written public comments on the proposed rule and regulation. All interested parties may submit written comments prior to the hearing to the Division of Workers Compensation, 401 SW Topeka Blvd., Suite 2, Topeka, KS 66603 or by email to [Jose.Castillo@ks.gov](mailto:Jose.Castillo@ks.gov). All interested parties will be given a reasonable opportunity to present their views orally regarding the adoption of the proposed regulation during the public hearing. In order to provide all parties an opportunity to present their views, it may be necessary to request that each participant limit any oral presentation to five minutes.

Any individual with a disability may request an accommodation in order to participate in the public hearing and may request the proposed regulation and economic impact statement in an accessible format. Requests for accommodation to participate in the hearing should be made at least five working days in advance of the hearing by contacting Jose Castillo at 785-581-7365 (or TYY 1-800-766-3777). The northwest entrance to the Department of Labor Building is accessible. Handicapped parking is located at the northwest side of the Department of Labor Building.

Copies of the proposed regulation and the Economic Impact Statement for the proposed regulation can be obtained by contacting Jose Castillo at 785-581-7365 or [Jose.Castillo@ks.gov](mailto:Jose.Castillo@ks.gov).

A summary of the proposed regulation and its economic impact follows (Note: Statements indicating that a regulation is "not anticipated to have any economic impact" are intended to indicate that no economic impact on the Department of Labor, other state agencies, state employees, or the general public has been identified.)

**K.A.R. 51-9-7** – The purpose of this proposed regulatory change is to revise the fee schedule in K.A.R. 51-9-7 as authorized by K.S.A. 44-510i. The Director is to adjust the fees at least biennially to ensure the medical fees paid as a result of a workers compensation injury are current, reasonable and fair.

**Economic Impact**

Based on the analysis conducted by the National Council on Compensation Insurance (NCCI), the Kansas Division of Workers Compensation estimates the proposed changes to the medical fee schedule to have an impact of +0.3% (+1.5 million) on the overall workers compensation system in Kansas.

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**State of Kansas****Human Rights Commission****Notice of Right to Request a Hearing Regarding the Proposed Revocation of Administrative Regulations**

Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-440, the Kansas Human Rights Commission (KHRC) submitted a report to the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations (JCARR) summarizing the review of its administrative rules and regulations and identifying regulations that are not necessary for the implementation and administration of state law [see <https://klrd.org/committees/joint-committee-on-administrative-rules-and-regulations/hb-2087-reports-jcarr/>]. Pursuant to K.S.A. 426(d), the KHRC proposes to revoke 45 of the regulations identified in that report by filing a notice of revocation with the Secretary of State. Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-426(d)(2)(A), the KHRC will schedule a public hearing on the proposed revocations only upon the written request of a member of the public. Such written request for a hearing shall be submitted on or before March 1, 2024. This Notice of Right to Request a Hearing serves as at least 21 days' notice of the right to make that written request.

The following regulations are proposed for revocation because they duplicate existing statutory language, are self-directing pertaining to actions of the Commission, are better suited for rules of practice and/or are outdated:

- K.A.R. 21-32-7. Affirmative action.
- K.A.R. 21-32-8. Job opportunities advertising.
- K.A.R. 21-40-1. Definitions.
- K.A.R. 21-40-4. Cooperation with local agencies.
- K.A.R. 21-40-6. Death, disability or absence of executive director.
- K.A.R. 21-40-7. Communications and filings generally.
- K.A.R. 21-40-8. Copies of pleadings.
- K.A.R. 21-40-9. Commencement of a proceeding.
- K.A.R. 21-40-11. Service.
- K.A.R. 21-40-12. Time.
- K.A.R. 21-40-13. Representation.
- K.A.R. 21-40-14. Order issuance.
- K.A.R. 21-40-15. Effective date of orders.

- K.A.R. 21-40-16. Commission decisions.
  - K.A.R. 21-40-17. Intervention.
  - K.A.R. 21-40-18. Certification of documents and records.
  - K.A.R. 21-40-19. Requests to inspect other records not considered public.
  - K.A.R. 21-40-20. Availability of rules.
  - K.A.R. 21-42-1. Investigation.
  - K.A.R. 21-42-2. Subpoenas.
  - K.A.R. 21-42-3. Investigating commissioner.
  - K.A.R. 21-42-4. Notice of investigation.
  - K.A.R. 21-42-6. Amendment.
  - K.A.R. 21-42-7. Probable cause notice.
  - K.A.R. 21-43-1. Conference.
  - K.A.R. 21-43-2. Time limitation for conciliations.
  - K.A.R. 21-43-3. Successful conciliation.
  - K.A.R. 21-43-4. Consideration of complainant's objections.
  - K.A.R. 21-43-5. Settlements.
  - K.A.R. 21-43-6. Non-disclosure of facts.
  - K.A.R. 21-44-1. Compliance review.
  - K.A.R. 21-44-2. Reports.
  - K.A.R. 21-44-5. Membership club references.
  - K.A.R. 21-50-1. Applicability.
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  - K.A.R. 21-60-22. Complaints alleging unlawful housing practices.
  - K.A.R. 21-60-23. Conciliation and conciliation agreements.
  - K.A.R. 21-80-8. Exemption for employees serving under a contract of unlimited tenure.
- Members of the public may send written requests for a public hearing to Ruth Glover, Executive Director, Kansas Human Rights Commission, 900 SW Jackson, Suite 568-S, Topeka, KS 66612 or via email at [ruth.glover@ks.gov](mailto:ruth.glover@ks.gov). Please direct any requests for additional information to [ruth.glover@ks.gov](mailto:ruth.glover@ks.gov) or 785-296-3206. Individuals with hearing and/or speech disabilities may contact the Kansas Relay Center at 1-800-766-3777 for communication accommodations.

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This index lists in numerical order the new, amended, and revoked administrative regulations with a future effective date and the *Kansas Register* issue in which the regulation can be found. A complete listing and the complete text of all currently effective regulations required to be published in the *Kansas Administrative Regulations* can be found at [https://www.sos.ks.gov/publications/pubs\\_kar.aspx](https://www.sos.ks.gov/publications/pubs_kar.aspx).

**AGENCY 82: CORPORATION COMMISSION**

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A complete index listing all regulations filed by the Kansas Lottery from 1988 through 2000 can be found in the Vol. 19, No. 52, December 28, 2000 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2001 through 2003 can be found in the Vol. 22, No. 52, December 25, 2003 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2004 through 2005 can be found in the Vol. 24, No. 52, December 29, 2005 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2006 through 2007 can be found in the Vol. 26, No. 52, December 27, 2007 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2008 through November 2009 can be found in the Vol. 28, No. 53, December 31, 2009 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from December 1, 2009, through December 21, 2011, can be found in the Vol. 30, No. 52, December 29, 2011 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from De-

ember 22, 2011, through November 6, 2013, can be found in the Vol. 32, No. 52, December 26, 2013 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from November 7, 2013, through December 31, 2015, can be found in the Vol. 34, No. 53, December 31, 2015 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2016 through 2017, can be found in the Vol. 36, No. 52, December 28, 2017 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2018 through 2019, can be found in the Vol. 38, No. 52, December 26, 2019 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2020 through 2021, can be found in the Vol. 40, No. 52, December 30, 2021 *Kansas Register*. A list of regulations filed from 2022 through 2023 can be found in the Vol. 42, No. 52, December 28, 2023 *Kansas Register*.

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