

**KHLAAC MONTHLY COMMISSION MEETING  
MEETING MINUTES  
Wednesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call of Commissioners, Staff, and Guests
  - a. Commissioners
    - Chairman Commissioner De La Rosa -Not present
    - Commissioner Ramos – Not Present
    - Commissioner Gone – Present
    - Commissioner Padilla – Not Present, joined at 11:09am
    - Commissioner Renteria – Present
    - Commissioner Jaramillo – Not Present,
    - Commissioner Aguilar- Not Present, joined at 11:19am
  - b. Technical Advisors
    - Lucia Jones, UHC, advisor
    - Laura Canelos, UnitedHealthcare, advisor
    - Yeimi Darville, City of Garden City Advisor
    - Israel Sanchez
  - c. Guests
    - Roxana Arjon, City of Dodge City
    - Hugo Perez, Fort hays University
    - Reyna Banda-Torres
    - State Representative Louis Ruiz
3. Establish Quorum
4. Review and Approval of Agenda
  - a. Commissioner Padilla made the motion to approve
  - b. Commissioner Silva-Renteria second
  - c. All in favor, none opposed
5. Approval of Previous Month Meeting
  - a. Commissioner Silva-Renteria made the motion to approve
  - b. Commissioner Padilla seconds the motion
  - c. All in favor, none opposed
6. Guest Presentation
  - a. No Presenter
7. Old Business
  - a. Subcommittee Updates
    - Subcommittee Updates
    - No updates from Advocacy or Events planning committee due to neither commissioners that chair subcommittees weren't present.

- Communications – taskforce was able to meet day prior, taskforce is meeting regularly.

## 8. New Business

- a. Move July 9<sup>th</sup>, Monthly Commission meeting from 11am to 10am
  - Commissioner Gone made the motion
  - Commissioner Silva-Renteria seconds that motion
  - All in favor none opposed.
- b. Executive Director Report
  - Planning the October 10th KHLAAC summit, keep an eye on social media for registration and other information,
  - FHSU scholarship event,
  - Kansas Department of Commerce small business nomination July 7th.  
<https://www.kansascommerce.gov/to-the-stars-nomination-form/>
  - If there is any events in the community, we need to share that with the group.

## 9. Announcements from Commissioners and Technical Advisors/ Public Comment

- a. Commissioner Silva-Renteria: IRC events coming up June 21st – Wellness Fair, for Families immigrants and refugees and there will be information about the families.
- b. June 27th- Fundraiser annual event, looking for sponsors, highlighting the work of the refugees. There will be music and fun.
- c. June 16th World refugee proclamation event at the city council in Wichita.
- d. Commissioner Padilla – Annual Fiesta second week of July.

## 10. Events Reminder:

- a. **KHLAAC Annual Leadership Summit October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

## 11. Adjourn

- a. Commissioner Gone made the motion to adjourn
- b. Commissioner Del Aguila second
- c. All in favor, none opposed

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