

ROSTER OF APPOINTMENTS

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PUBLIC SERVICES

BUILDING INSPECTOR/ZONING OFFICER	Public Works Director <i>(John Leiker)</i>
FLOOD CONTROL OFFICER	Public Works Director <i>(John Leiker)</i>
CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR	Police Chief <i>(Avery Smith)</i>
CITY LIBRARIAN (CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS)	City Clerk <i>(Amy Burton)</i>
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER	City Clerk <i>(Amy Burton)</i>
HEALTH OFFICER	Dr. Harley Calvin
OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER	Ellis Review & Hays Daily News
OFFICIAL BANKS inside Ellis	Equity Bank & Golden Belt Bank
OFFICIAL BANKS outside Ellis	Emprise Bank & Commerce Bank

STANDING COMMITTEES AND BOARDS:

JOINT RECREATION BOARD (4 years) Term Expires

KSA 12-1924, City Code 12-301 through 307--Five members, two school appointed; two city appointed; one appointed by rec board. Regular monthly meeting 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.at ERC office.

Jeff Wolf <i>-Board- President</i>	2024
Devin Jacques <i>-School- Sec/Treas</i>	2024
Doug Rohr <i>-School- Vice-President</i>	2025
Chris Smith <i>-City-</i>	2026
Dena Patee <i>-City-</i>	2027
Dan Pyle Director	Appt by ERC Board

LIBRARY BOARD (4 years) Term Expires

KSA 12-1222, City Code 12-201 through 207-- Eight members, mayor ex officio, seven appointed from city at large by mayor with approval by the council. Regular meeting 2nd Monday of month at 7:30 p.m.

Tracy Andrews	2024
Robin Henman	2024
Akos Bencze	2025
Connie Fox	2025
James Carthew	2026
Adrienne Gaschler	2026
Mary Jo Walz <i>- Treasurer</i>	2027
<i>Mayor (David McDaniel)</i>	<i>Ex Officio</i>

PLANNING COMMISSION/BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS (3 years) Term Expires

KSA 12-741 et seq & KSA 12-759; City Code 16-301 through 16-306. Seven members, two of whom reside outside city, but within the extra-territorial jurisdiction (3-mile zone). Those outside city, shall not have term expiring at same time. Take office at next regular scheduled meeting after appointment. Appointed by the mayor with the consent of the council. The City Clerk or her designee shall be secretary of the board but shall have no vote. Regular meeting 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at city hall.

Nick Keller	2024
Glen Keller	2024
Jolene Niernberger	2025
Randy Honas	2025
Linda Pfeifer <i>-outside city limits-</i>	2025
Tim Stanton <i>-outside city limits-</i>	2026
Devin Henderson	2026
<i>City Clerk Secretary (Amy Burton)</i>	<i>Ex Officio</i>

LOCAL HOUSING AUTHORITY (4 years) Term Expires

KSA 17-2340. Five members, who reside within the Authority's boundaries, appointed by the mayor with consent of the council. Local perogative is to have one member from the City Council on the Board. Regular meeting Monday at 6:00 p.m.

Eric Boss	2024
Allen Weber	2025
Karen Ashbaugh	2025
Jolene Niernberger -City Representative-	2026
Ron Hallagin	2027

CEMETERY COMMITTEE (3 years) Term Expires

KSA 12-1420, City Code 12-01 through 12-129. Seven members from the city at large, but no person holding any official position under the city shall be appointed. The City Clerk or her designee shall be secretary of the board but shall have no vote. Regular meeting 2nd Monday of month at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall.

Ron Keithley	2024
John LaShell	2024
Brad Leiker -City Representative-	2025
Mark Kelly	2025
Jackie Henman	2026
Karen Day	2026
Paulette Harp	2026
Assistant City Clerk Secretary	Ex Officio
Public Works Director (John Leiker)	Ex Officio

TRADES BOARD (2 years) Term Expires

City Code 4-901 through 4-903. Seven members appointed by mayor with approval of the council. Shall consist of Public Works Director, one general, building or residential contractor license in the city, one plumber or heating and air conditioner professional licensed in the city, one electrician licensed in the city, one person employed by the utility company which supplies gas and electricity to the city and two members shall be apponted from the city at large. Chief building inspector shall be an ex-officio, non-voting member. The City Clerk or her designee shall be the ex-officio, non-voting secretary of the board. Meets quarterly or as needed.

Dustin Mattheyer -utility company-	2024
John Leiker -Public Works Director-	2024
Matt Carroll -city at large-	2024
Monte Cox -city at large-	2024
Mitch Glinka -contractor-	2025
Jim Honas -plumber-	2025
Bobby Younger -electrician-	2025
Building Inspector (John Leiker)	Unexpired
Assistant City Clerk Secretary (Verda Flinn)	Ex Officio

DISASTER RECOVERY TEAM Term Expires

City Disaster Recover Plan. The basic Disaster Recovery Team shall consist of a Director, an Assistant Director and four (4) members. The membership shall be appointed from the City staff and Governing Body of the City of Ellis, and members shall serve one year terms. The Team shall meet as needed.

Amy Burton Director -Staff-	2024
John Leiker Deputy Director -Staff-	2024
Avery Smith -Staff-	2024
Dustin Vine -Staff-	2024
David McDaniel -Mayor-	2024
Tricia Pritchett -Council member-	2024

CO-INSURANCE FUND REVIEW COMMITTEE Term Expires

Toni Jensen -City Clerk's Office-	2024
Avery Smith -Police Department-	2024
Steve Homburg -Public Works Department-	2024
City Attorney (Olavee Raub)	Unexpired
City Auditor (Adams Brown representative)	Unexpired

CATASTROPHIC SICK LEAVE BANK BOARD OF TRUSTEES **Term Expires**

Catastrophic Sick Leave Bank Program. The CSLB Board of Trustees consists of the three department heads and the Mayor (in an ex-officio capacity). A representative from the City Clerk's Office shall serve as the Recording Secretary. The Board shall meet on an as-needed basis.

City Clerk Secretary (Amy Burton)	2024
Public Works Director (John Leiker)	2024
Police Chief (Avery Smith)	2024
City Attorney (Olavee Raub)	2024
City Auditor (Adams Brown representative)	2024
Mayor (David McDaniel)	Ex Officio

CITY BOARD OF HEALTH (1 year term) **Term Expires**

City Code 8-101 through 8-102. City health officer, who shall be a doctor of medicine and two additional members who shall be members of the governing body. Appointed annually by the mayor at the first regular meeting in April. The City Clerk or his designee shall be secretary of the board but shall have no vote. Meetings as needed.

Assistant City Clerk Secretary (Verda Flinn)	Ex Officio
Tricia Pritchett -Council member-	2024
Martin LaBarge -Council member-	2024
Dr. Harley Calvin	2024

SAFETY COMMITTEE (2 year term) **Term Expires**

Safety Guideline Manual. The Committee membership shall consist of the three department heads and one member from each of the departments. Appointments shall be for two-year terms. The Committee shall elect a chairman and a secretary from their membership to serve for one year terms.

City Clerk Secretary (Amy Burton)	Unexpired
Public Works Director (John Leiker)	Unexpired
Police Chief (Avery Smith)	Unexpired
Toni Jensen Chair -City Clerk's Office-	2024
Brad Leiker -Public Works-	2024
Ben Kolas Vice-Chair -Police Department-	2024

WATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE (2 year term) **Term Expires**

Resolution No 492. The Committee membership shall consist of five members to be appointed by the Mayor subject to Governing Body Approval. Appointments shall be for two year terms. Meets quarterly or as needed.

Martin LaBarge -at-large-	2024
Alan Scheuerman -at-large-	2024
John Leiker -Public Works Director-	2025
John Walz -Council member -	2025
Dean Yanda -Water Operator-	2025
David McDaniel -Mayor-	Ex Officio

SENIOR CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (2 year term) **Term Expires**

Resolution No. 493. The Committee membership shall consist of five members to be appointed by the Mayor subject to Governing Body approval. Appointments shall be for two year terms. Meets quarterly or as needed.

Vernie Pritchett	2024
Karen Ashbaugh	2024
Leonard Schoenberger	2024
Gilbert Kinderknecht	2025
Jolene Niernberger - Council member -	2025
David McDaniel (Mayor)	Ex Officio

TOURISM COMMITTEE (2 year term)**Term Expires**

Resolution No. 528 and K.S.A. 12-1695. The Committee membership shall consist of ten members representative of large and small businesses to be appointed by the Mayor subject to Governing Body approval. Appointments shall be for two year terms. Meets 3rd Thursday of the Month at 5:30 p.m. at City Hall

Kellie Crnkovich	2024
David McDaniel - Mayor -	2024
Connie Smith	2024
Glen Keller - Chair -	2024
Joleen Fisher	2024
Jenette Lewis	2025
Vernie Pritchett	2025
Pauleen Edmonds	2025
Guy Windholz	2025
Verda Flinn - Sec-	2025

GROW ELLIS DOWNTOWN**Term Expires**

Amy Burton	2024
Nickole Byers	2024
Cory Eberle	2024
Pauleen Edmonds	2024
Travis Kohlrus	2024
John Walz	2024

CAMPGROUND**Term Expires**

Avery Smith -Police Department-	Unexpired
John Leiker -Public Works Director-	Unexpired
Brad Leiker - Public Works Department/Parks -	Unexpired
Verda Flinn -Assistant City Clerk-	Unexpired
Mike Grogan -city at large-	2024
Alan Scheuerman -city at large-	2024
Taft Yates -city at large-	2024
Devin Henderson - Council member-	2024
David McDaniel -Mayor-	Ex Officio

OTHER BOARD & COMMITTEES WITH CITY REPRESENTATIVES

The following is for information only and are not entirely appointed by mayor/city

CHRYSLER MUSEUM BOARD**Term Expires**

Wade McCarty President	Jan 2024
Rodney Strohmeyer Vice President	Jan 2024
Karen Day (Director) Secretary	Jan 2024
David McDaniel - City Representative Treasurer	Jan 2024
Jerry Bieker	Unexpired
Gordon Solomon	Unexpired
Barney Boos	Unexpired
Frank Rhodes	Unexpired

ELLIS ALLIANCE**Term Expires**

Travis Kohlrus President	
Pauleen Edmonds Vice President	
(Vacant) - Treasurer	
Vicki Henderson Executive Director	
Jolene Niernberger - City Representative -	

ELLIS RAILROAD MUSEUM BOARD

Glen Keller **President**
Viola Burns
David McDaniel **Treasurer**
John Walz - *City Representative* -
Brian LeFebvre
John LaShell
Laverne Schoenthaler
Kellie Crnkovich **Secretary**

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT (COUNTY)

Term Expires

usually meets annually, meeting every 5 years mandated

Steve Homburg Unexpired

ELLIS DEVELOPMENT CORP

Term Expires

All Appointments made by the EIDC Board, except one

Travis Kohlrus **President** Permanent
Mike Downing **Vice President** Permanent
Allen Weber **Treasurer** Permanent
Randy Honas **Secretary** Permanent
Donny Younger Permanent
Ross Wichman Permanent
Jeff Augustine Permanent
Jeff Geschwentner - *City Representative*- December 2023

ELLIS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Nickole Byers **President**
Glen Keller **Vice President**
Rose Tway **Secretary**
Kellie Crnkovich **Treasurer**
Connie Smith
Joyce Carthew
Brandon Geschwenter
Jenette Lewis
Nicole Morton

ELLIS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Tim Kohlrus **Secretary** 2024
Dena Patee 2024
Brian Frickey 2024
Brad Frickey **Vice President** 2025
Chad Pritchett 2025
Rita Younger 2025
Pauleen Edmonds **President** 2026
Cory Eberle **Treasurer** 2026
(Vacant) 2026

ELLIS PRIDE COMMITTEE (KANSAS COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM)

John Walz **Chair**
Emily Mattheyer **Vice Chair**
Karin Polifka **Secretary**
Jolene Niernberger
Doreen Timken
Glen Keller
(vacant)
Kellie Crnkovich
David McDaniel