**MINUTES FOR October 28, 2020**

**KHLAAC Commission Meeting**

**Online Meeting**

The Kansas Hispanic and Latino American Affairs Commission met in regular session on October 28, 2020

Commission Secretary Richard Martinez called the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m.

Roll Call was then called by Secretary Martinez

Commissioners Present: Richard Martinez

 Mary Lou Jaramillo

 Ernestor De La Rosa

 Monica Vargas-Huerta

 Veronica Padilla

Commissioners Not Present: Bertha Mendoza

 Claudia Yaujar-Amaro

Technical Advisors Present: Rocio Del Aguila

 Enrique Franz

 Andrea Morales

 Diosselyn Tot

 Janeth Vazquez

Technical Advisors Not Present: Lucia Jones

 Julian Montes

 Catalina Velarde

 Representative Tom Sawyer

 Representative Louis Ruiz

 Representative Susan Ruiz

 Representative Ponka-We Victors

Guests: Lindsay Behgam

 Alix Guerrero

Meeting called at 1:05 PM

There was quorum present

Public Comment

* Lindsay Behgam gave an update from Voter to Voter
	+ We have 720 Voters in 22 teams under the KHLAAC umbrella
	+ Opened the floor for discussion and questions about Voter to Voter
* Alix Guerrero introduced herself and welcome people contact it on health equity
	+ Alix Guerrero’s email Alix.Guerrero@ks.gov

Approval of September minutes

* Commissioner Jaramillo motioned to approve minutes. Commissioner Padilla seconded. Motion carried

Unfinished business

* Legislative agenda
	+ Opened the floor for discussion on the legislative agenda proposed
	+ Commissioner Jaramillo would like to hear from Juntos about their legislative recommendations.
	+ The commission agreed to postpone the vote for the legislative agenda until December 7th. Anyone input needs to be submitted to Aude Negrete by October 30th, 2020.
* Kansas Leadership Center
	+ Opened the floor to discussion on our collaboration with the Kansas Leadership Center.
	+ Motion from Mary Lou to apply for transformation grant. Seconded by Ernestor. Motion carried.
* Hispanic Day at the Capitol
	+ Aude will call meeting with people who signed up to organize Hispanic Day at the Capitol 2021
* Latina Leaders Day at the Capitol
	+ Aude will call meeting with people who signed up to organize Latina Leaders Day 2021
* Executive Director’s Report
	+ Report on election events and get out the vote efforts
		- Opened floor for discussion on next election event
* Reports from Commissioners
	+ Commissioner Amaro
		- There are issues with metal health in our community and very little resources
* Rachel presented on her project for health inequities due to lack of language access
	+ no discussion
* Reports from Technical Advisors
	+ none
* Adjourn at 3:20pm