

February 2019

Request for Proposals

Shawnee County Advocacy Council on Aging has issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) date March 4, 2019 for applicants wanting to receive Social Service Grant Funds for Senior Programming. These funds are intended to underwrite Senior Programs for the Elderly (SPE) exclusively. With this funding, it is the intention of the Commissioners of Shawnee County to increase the quantity and the quality of life for senior adults in our community. The application form and instructions can be found in electronic PDF form at the CRC [website](#). To request an application in either Word or Excel format, or a printed copy, contact Mary Thomas at CRC, (Monday-Friday 9am-4pm) at 785-233-1365. The original proposal, (no copies needed) must be submitted on or before Friday, March 29, 2019, no later than 12:00pm., to Community Resources Council at the CRC CARE Center @ Avondale East, 455 SE Golf Park Blvd, Topeka, KS 66605.

Strategic Leadership Academy Leadership Program for Minorities of Color



Applications are being accepted for participation in [Strategic Leadership Academy](#), a 10-month program aimed at strengthening minority leadership in Topeka. Class participants meet once per month for four hours on a Saturday morning and will have an opportunity to learn and practice leadership skills that will enhance their careers and community engagement. In addition to building skills, the camaraderie and support between the class participants is a valuable component of the program. Participants will discuss relevant issues with local and state elected officials, corporate and other Kansas leaders. The featured speaker for the initial class this program year is State Representative Willie Dove from Bonner Springs, who will discuss the state's legislative process. Other areas to be covered during the 10-month program include law enforcement, education and business.

The class dates are:

04/27/19 05/18/19 07/20/19 08/24/19 09/21/19 10/26/19 11/16/19 12/14/19 01/25/20

Application for participation in the program can be retrieved at strategicleadershipacademy.org. Please contact Cain Davis at cain.davis03@yahoo.com if you have any questions regarding the program or application process.

HotCakes for HopeCare & NOTO Arts & Antiques Festival

[HotCakes for HopeCare](#) is a fun event that is serving up breakfast for dinner to help support healthcare for the underserved in our community! Come out on March 5th from 5:00pm to 7:30pm at the Countryside United Methodist Church, 3221 SW Burlingame Rd., for some delicious food. Sponsorship opportunities are available if you would like your company logo to be displayed by contacting Alice at 785-478-5901. If you have some free hours that night then think about volunteering for this event. Just give Alice or Abby a call to see what you can do to help. Tickets sold at the door will be \$15 each or you can purchase tickets in advance for \$12 each by going [online](#) or calling Abby Smith at 478-5905.



Noto is setting up shop at the Great Overland Station on March 15-16 for their [Arts & Antiques Festival](#). This two-day show and sale event will have high quality art and antiques by vendors from this region and beyond. An array of workshops and presentations will be offered by local experts on related topics of arts and antiques in various locations throughout the district. The times to get there are 11:30am - 7:00pm on Friday and 9:00am - 4:00pm on Saturday. For more information about this event visit this [website!](#)

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