

Planning Commission Agenda Item

Meeting Date: 7/13/21

From: Josh White, Principal Planner

Item: Comprehensive Plan discussion on Community Health &

Infrastructure

Purpose: Comprehensive Plan discussion on Community Health & Infrastructure

Background:

Continue discussion on community health which was Chapter 7 in the 2013 Comprehensive Plan. We have invited representatives of the Arkansas City Fire-EMS Department, the Arkansas City Police Department, the Community Health Center in Cowley County, the Cowley Affinity Project, Cowley College Allied Health, Four County Mental Health and Suicide Prevention of Cowley County. We hope to use this discussion to wrap up this chapter.

After discussion is complete on Community Health, we will switch to Infrastructure. We have invited representatives of AT&T, Cox Communications, the Environmental Services Department, Evergy, Kansas Gas Service, and the Neighborhood Services Division to be a part of this discussion as we plan for the future of communications, electrical, natural gas, stormwater, wastewater, and water infrastructure in Arkansas City and Cowley County.

Action:

Hold discussion, no action required

Attachments:

2013 Comprehensive plan Chapter 6, 2013 Comprehensive plan Chapter 7