



Meeting Summary
Tuesday, August 26th 2025, 2-3pm
The Center, 1914 E 11th St N suite b

Our mission: *Promote physical activity and good nutrition for every generation living in the greater Wichita area through people, programs, and policies.*

1. Welcome & Coalition Updates

- a. Grant Updates
 - i. Did you see the 2 success stories in the partner email? Do you get the partner email? SDOH, and SRTS - this work is funded by CDRR
 - ii. Amy is here with FSCI, recruitment for Community Advocate Fellowship coming soon to address economic inequality as a root cause of hunger
 - iii. Pathways grant - 1st population of focus survey completed for Bridgeport Park by ICT Farms.
- b. October is Walktober! Be on the lookout for a list of events to participate in.
- c. 4-month Volunteer service project experiment
 - i. 5 registered for 8/28 8-10am at Pearson Farms
 - ii. 8 registered for 9/16 1:30-3:30 at Give Warehouse
 - iii. 6 registered for 10/23 2:30-4:30 at Larksfeld Place - Walktober
 - iv. 8 registered for 11/5 2:30-4:30 at Legacy Gardenworks
 1. Email me to be added
 2. WAMPO Bike/Ped Count 9/10, 11 & 13

2. Education/Activity

- a. The Center, Sistah's Can We Talk, Breathe for Change, Michelle Vann, The Evangelist of Wellness & Rev Well class
- b. Good Food City and Local Food System Coordination, Joanna Sabally, Community Engagement Institute

3. Networking/Good News/Upcoming Activities/Events

- a. Explain resources on table HWC Magnets/ICTFCD postcards, Walk with a Doc flyers, KHF Blueprint for a Hunger Free KS From Local Food summit: KS Seasonal Local Food Wheel - available for purchase. KS Food First July 2025 magazine, Rural Papers, HWC Newsletter marketing guide, Mental Health and Substance Abuse Coalition – ICT Community Connect, one-stop website that helps you find the best no or low-cost mental health and substance abuse disorder provider, Transit Advisory Board August directors report, Bike Share ICT data. Veoride scooter data, QLine data, Downtown Wichita Action Plan Open House #3 - Align & Act, tomorrow at 6:30pm, Bank On ICT: Handout about deadline for federal government handing out paper checks, KLS Driver's License clinic, The Women's Network Employment Program and Dress for Success, Unity Yoga
- b. Community Health Summit dates printed on the back of the agenda
- c. Oct. 25th Breast Cancer Breakfast at The Center.
- d. Gracemed's Healthy Kids Kansas grant was renewed for 5 years.
- e. 10/1 - Bike Walk Wichita is hosting an event at Chicken n Pickle discussing hiking and urban walking.
- f. YMCA Livestrong is a free 12-week, class for Cancer Survivors. Now enrolling for Sept/Oct.
- g. Cooking Matters for parents started last week.
- h. In September, yoga will switch from 7am-before parkrun to 9am-after parkrun
- i. Great Plains Diabetes is Oct 25th.
- j. Living Waters has a CHW on board and is building resources.
- k. Sept. 12 Sustainable Growing with ICT Farms at Angelou Branch Library.

4. Closing

- a. WWDWWD - 8 attended and represented Wichita well at the Local Food Summit in Salina (Jerry, Brooke, Amy, Abbey, Rebecca, Shelley, Joanna, Teresa) 2 national resources were shared with ICT Food Rescue
 - i. [Excess Food Opportunities Map from the EPA](#)
 - ii. [The Collaboration Spectrum](#)
- b. Call to Action: Share what you learned - raise your right hand if you learned something new, raise your left hand if you know who you are going to share it with! Network!

**Next meeting: Tuesday, September 23rd 2pm,
Riverside Community Garden**

