National Federation Of The Blind

Of Kansas

54th Annual State Convention 2022

Agenda

November 4, 5 and 6, 2022

The Hilton Garden Inn and Convention Center

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Rising Expectations

**NFB Pledge**

I pledge to participate actively in the effort of the National Federation of the Blind to achieve equality, opportunity, and security for the blind; to support the policies and programs of the Federation; and to abide by its constitution.

Friday, November 4, 2022

2:00 PM—ABC’s of the NFB, Rob Tabor, (Graves/Earhart)

4:30 PM--Registration (Pre-Function Area)

5:00 PM--Hospitality (Pre-Function Area)

6:00-10:00 PM--Vendors (Pre-function)

7:00 PM--Resolutions, Chair Rob Tabor (Eisenhower)

9:00 PM--Nominating committee, Chair Donna Wood (Eisenhower)

Saturday, November 5, 2022

(General Session, Graves and Earhart)

8:00 AM--Registration (Pre-Function Area)

9:00 AM--Invocation, Welcome from Mayor Trent Davis and opening announcements

9:15 AM--National report, Kevan Worley

10:00 AM--State report, Tom Page,

10:30 AM-- Kansas School for the Blind update, TBA

10:45 AM--Envision: Updates and future directions and the Workforce Innovation Center, Hannah Christianson and Mika Pyykhala

11:15 AM--Kansas Talking Books update, Michael Lang

11:30 AM--Audio Reader, TBA

11:45 AM--Nominating committee report and Resolutions

Noon--Lunch (Flint Hills)

Senior lunch (Garden Grill)

Lunch is being sponsored by Nanopac, Inc.

1:15 PM-- Directing NFBKS Social Media, Alison Roets

1:30 PM--Kansas Vocational Rehabilitation Services update, Dan Decker

1:45 PM—Disability Rights Center Update, Mike Burgiss

2:00 PM—Legislative Reporting, Mary Ware, and others

2:15 PM—NFBKS Legislative Update, Rob Tabor

2:25 PM—From Point A to Point B, Panel; Emily Schlenker, Loren Bush and Austin Meyer

2:45 PM—John Jones

3:00 PM-- Retirement Bee,Sharon Luka, Austin Meyer

3:15 PM--Break

3:30 PM--SILCK, KAC, and Rehab. Council Updates, Tom Anderson

3:45 PM—What’s Up With The Seniors, Dianne Hemphill

4:00 PM—Kansas Chapter building , Kevan Worley

4:15 PM-- What is Alpha Pointe, Cheryl Rayburn, Low Vision Manager

4:30 PM--Newsline, Rob Tabor

4:40 PM--NFBKS new member welcome and coin presentation, Tom Page

5:00 PM--Adjourn

Saturday Evening November 5, 2022

6:00 PM--Happy Hour (cash bar) Pre-Function Area

7:00 PM--Banquet (Eisenhower)

 Keynote address, Kevan Worley

Awarding Tede memorial scholarships

9:00 PM--Entertainment by: The Get Downs

Sunday, November 6, 2022

(Business Meeting,Graves and Earhart)

7:00 AM--NFBKS in Communities of Faith breakfast (Flint Hills)

9:00 AM--Invocation

Business meeting

Noon--Adjourn

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