



Kansas Legislative Policy Group

Annual Meeting

October 4 and 5, 2018
Hampton Inn
4002 W. Comanche
Dodge City, Kansas

Thursday, October 4

- 5:00 PM Reception: United Wireless Arena Room C - sponsored by Landmark Appraisal Service
- 5:30 PM Greetings: Commissioner Sandra Rupp, President, Kansas Legislative Policy Group
- 6:30 PM Dinner: Sponsored by Sunflower Electric Power Corporation
- Dinner Keynote Speaker: State Senator Vicki Schmidt, *Health Care Issues Facing Rural Kansas* - United Wireless Arena Room C
- 8:00 PM Reception at United Wireless Arena Room C - reopens sponsored by Landmark Appraisal Service

Friday, October 5

- 6:00 - 8:00 AM Breakfast: Hampton Inn - Full breakfast, served in hotel lobby from 6:00 am - 8:00am. (included in the hotel room rate)
- 8:00 AM Meeting called to order United Wireless Arena Room B: Sandra Rupp, President, KLPG
- 8:00 - 8:45 AM Presentation: *Review of 2018 and Preview of the 2019 Kansas Legislative Session*
House Majority Leader Don Hineman, Dighton, KS.
- 8:45 - 9:00 AM Break: Coffee, juice, soft drinks and snacks at the rear of the room
- 9:00 - 9:45 AM Presentation: *Dodge City Mid-Level Medical University Center Project.*
Melissa R. McCoy, Project Development Coordinator/Assistant to the City Manager
City of Dodge City.
- 9:45 - 10:00 AM Break: Coffee, juice, soft drinks and snacks at the rear of the room
- 10:00 - 10:50 AM Presentation: *Navigating the Regulatory Process and Resolving Challenges*
Tom Arpke, Regulatory Ombudsman, Kansas Department of Commerce.
- 10:50 - 11:30 Presentation: *Farmers in America are Facing an Economic and Mental Health Crisis.* Leslie Bissell, Executive Director, Southwest Guidance Center, Liberal, KS
- 11:30 - 11:50 PM Presentation: *Maximizing use of KLPG Website*
Austen Witte, Sprout Communications, Topeka, KS. Maximizing use of KLPG Website.
- 12:00 PM Luncheon *provided and sponsored by:* ITC Great Plains - Brett Leopold & J. R. Behan
United Wireless Arena Room C
- 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Members Only Business meeting: United Wireless Arena Room B