

COMMUNITY COUNCIL

PURPOSE: The purpose of the Council of Community Members (Community Council) is to express and make suggestions and recommendations to the governing board of the Community Developmental Disability Organization (CDDO). There are voting members, however anyone can attend the meetings and provide feedback.

MEMBERSHIP: Must consist of selected number of individuals, a majority of whom shall be made up of:

- Persons with a developmental disability
- Family members or guardians of an individual with a developmental disability

Also includes representatives from:

- The CDDO
- Affiliates of the CDDO

There is an application to become a voting member. Once elected, members are requested to attend and participate in meetings. They should be representatives for other individuals receiving services.

LENGTH OF TERM: Members can only serve no more than two consecutive three-year terms on the committee.

MEETINGS: Meeting are held quarterly and at other times as necessary. The CDDO hosts the meetings which last about an hour.

Please contact the CDDO of Southeast Kansas if you are interested in participating! You can call our office at 620-429-8985 or send an email to info@cddosek.org for more information.