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**Quarterly Conference & Legislative Forum**

**September 7-8, 2022 Safe Child Center, 212 East Fifth NORTHWEST ENTRANCE**

**Scott City, Kansas**

**Hotels**

**EL QUARTELEJO BEST WESTERN INN & SUITES – 1610 S Main Street**

$106.00 Single King (plus taxes) $110.00 Double Queen (plus taxes)

$96.00 Government rate--must show credentials and/or tax exempt certificate and State-issued CC for payment.

Rates include complimentary upgraded internet access & breakfast

Call directly to make a reservation: 620-872-7373

MENTION WKREDA (THIS HOTEL ISSUES NO BLOCKS OF ROOMS)

Limited rooms – Book ASAP (they have been full nearly every night since May)

**LAZY R MOTEL – 710 E Fifth (K96 Highway) Somewhat dated rooms, but exceptionally clean stay**

$58 - $70 Single (plus taxes) This motel is often full with workers. Recommend booking early.

Call directly to make a reservation: 620-872-3043

**Wednesday, September 7th**

**Pre-Conference Events (Optional)**

9:00 am – 2:00 pm Scott Community Golf Course, 806 N Main – 9-hole golf course. On your own.

More info: 620-872-7109

10:00 am – 2:00 pm Little Jerusalem Tour - Bus group to view newest State Park. Katie providing lunch at Lake Scott (campsite)

1:00 – 2:30 pm Committee Meetings – Time and location is up to each committee

**CD101 – Safe Child Center, 212 East Fifth, Northwest Entrance**

2:30 pm Welcome & Introductions

2:40 – 3:25 pm Midwest RUC study – Joel Skelley – Director of Policy-Kansas Department of Transportation

3:25 – 4:10 pm Kansas Infrastructure hub - bipartisan infrastructure (BIL) grant programs – Julie Lorenz, Secretary-Kansas Department of Transportation

4:10 – 4:20 pm Break

4:20 – 5:00 pm EV Infrastructure discussion – Midwest Energy – Mike Morley/Wheatland Electric – Alli Conine

5:00 – 5:30 pm RETAINWorks presentation – Deb Scheibler – Kansas WorkforceONE, University of Kansas Health System

5:30 pm ---- Check into hotel ----

6:00 pm Social hour – back at Safe Child Center

6:30 pm Dinner featuring Scott County Meats. Delicious meal featuring Scott County-raised beef and pork prepared by John Ross & Co. Signature Catering. If you have special dietary needs, please tell Katie in advance.

8:00 pm Cornhole Tournament and Colleague Networking – Scott Rec Sports Bar – 318 S Main

**Thursday, September 8th  - Safe Child Center**

8:00 am Breakfast – Coffee, breakfast burritos and pastries prepared by TruNorth Café & Coffee House

8:30 am Welcome & Introductions

8:40 am WKREDA Business Meeting (will break before Legislative Roundtable)

10:00 am Legislative Forum

Noon Adjourn – Lasagna luncheon meal prepared by Tate’s – Sponsored by Scott City Tourism

1:00 pm WKREDA Board of Directors Meeting

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**Business Meeting Agenda**

**September 8, 2022 Safe Child Center, 212 East Fifth NORTHWEST ENTRANCE**

**Scott City, Kansas**

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Treasurer’s Report
5. Board Update
   1. Open board seat
6. Committee Reports
   1. Agriculture
   2. Community Development
   3. Legislative
   4. Marketing
   5. Professional Development
   6. Audit
   7. Nominating
   8. Workforce
7. Old Business
8. New Business
9. Resource Partner Updates
10. Adjournment