## CITY OF OSAWATOMIE

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Nick Hampson, Mayor

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The City of Osawatomie is extending the REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR COMMUNITY HOUSING LEVERAGING CITY-OWNED LAND to April 22, 2022.

This extension is due to the possible benefits for developers and builders from Kansas House Bill 2212 which will be addressed on March 3, 2022. HB 2212 would enact the Kansas Housing Investor Tax Credit Act (HITCA) and the Kansas Affordable Housing Tax Credit Act (AHTCA).

The bill would state the purpose of HITCA is to bring housing investment dollars to communities lacking adequate housing, and that development of housing will complement economic development of rural and urban areas.

The bill would further state that the purpose of tax credits issued under HITCA is to facilitate investment in suitable housing that will support the growth of communities lacking housing by attracting new employees, residents, and families, and will support the development and expansion of businesses that are job and wealth creating enterprises.

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