

Proposed amendment, FY25 & FY26

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, the following:

Quindaro ruins archaeological park task force.....\$40,000

Provided, That expenditures shall be made by the above agency from such moneys during fiscal years 2025 and 2026, to establish the Quindaro ruins archaeological park task force:

Provided, That the task force shall be appointed as follows: A member of the legislature appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives, a member of the legislature appointed by the president of the senate, a member of the legislature appointed by the minority leader of the house of representatives, a member of the legislature appointed by the minority leader of the senate, a member appointed by the executive director of the state historical society, a member appointed by the governor, a member representing the unified government appointed by the unified government of Wyandotte county/Kansas city, a member appointed by the African methodist episcopal church and a member appointed by the unified government of Wyandotte county/Kansas city for the community at large:

Provided further, That the speaker of the house of representatives shall appoint the chairperson of the task force: *And provided further*, That the task force shall convene stakeholders involved in the Quindaro ruins archaeological park for the purpose of collaboration and delineation of roles, responsibilities, timeline and goals concerning renovations and developments to the Quindaro ruins archaeological park: *And provided further*, That the task force shall: (1) Clarify the boundaries and property ownership of the Quindaro ruins archaeological park area; (2) recommend and assist in the preparation of any memorandums of understanding for the interested parties concerning the relationship between property owners and development agreements of the area; (3) research and record all state and federal opportunities for the area, including proposals for submission of state and federal historic designations; (4) review and provide an accounting of all private grants, gifts, contributions and bequests, and state, federal and local funding; (5) share, review and consolidate any existing plans and reach an agreement by the stakeholders on a plan moving forward: *And provided further*, That the above agency shall provide assistance as may be requested by the task force: *And provided further*, That each member of the task force attending a meeting so authorized shall be paid compensation, subsistence allowances, mileage and other expenses as provided in K.S.A. 75-3223, and amendments thereto: *And provided further*, That the task force shall submit such plan and report to the house of representatives committee on appropriations and the senate committee on ways and means on or before January 12, 2026.

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(a) Any unencumbered balance in the Quindaro ruins archaeological park task force account in excess of \$100 as of June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated for fiscal year 2026.