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**COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

- Ongoing development of community participation & engagement
- Voluntary compliance through neighborhood support systems
- Fosters collaboration with neighborhood & community stakeholder groups to achieve departmental goals
- Neighborhood Leadership Training Program

**HOUSING SERVICES**

- Help create affordable housing opportunities
- Housing & neighborhood redevelopment/maintenance programs
- Emergency housing/Homeless prevention programming
- Housing & Urban Development (HUB) funded programming

**PROPERTY CODE &  
DEVELOPMENT SERVICES**

- Coordinate Property Code & Development Services to enhance customer relations and service delivery in neighborhoods
- Management of construction activity
  - Building permits & inspections
  - Certificates of Occupancy
  - Protect public health, safety & welfare
  - Protect property values
  - Property inspections
  - Enforcement of the International Property Maintenance Code

**THE TOPEKA NEIGHBORHOOD RELATIONS DEPARTMENT**

Enhancing the City's partnership with neighborhoods, citizens & community stakeholders to create & promote the goals & initiatives of the City.