

Hiawatha City Commission approves housing grant application

**(KNZA)--The Hiawatha City Commission in a special meeting Wednesday morning approved a resolution authorizing the preparation and submittal of a housing grant application.**

**The city will seek a \$650,000 grant from the Kansas Housing Resources Corporation for a duplex development project planned in the community.**

**The Commission last month approved an agreement with The Anderson Group, of DeSoto, Kansas, for the construction of six duplexes on about two-acres of city-owned land west of Bruning Park. The duplexes will be available for rent to residents.**

**As part of the agreement, the city agreed to seek the grant to help with the estimated \$4 million project.**

**The special meeting lasted less than five minutes.**

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