

H.E.L.P Advocacy Center of SWOK Inc.

Lawton City Hall

Banquet Hall

6/23/2025

1:00PM

Mission

The mission of the H.E.L.P Advocacy Center of SWOK Inc. is to provide Southwest Oklahoma communities with a private, comfortable place to receive support following a non-consensual sexual act or contact, to provide excellence in forensic examinations 24 hours a day, to reduce the prevalence of sexual assault and abuse in the community, and to foster resilience and healing in those affected by rape, sexual assault/abuse, incest. To this end, the H.E.L.P. Advocacy Center of SWOK Inc. provides 24-hour crisis intervention, advocacy, optional forensic examinations, confidential support and counseling referrals, and a multicounty multidisciplinary community-centered prevention approach aimed at opening meaningful dialog, challenging social norms, and bias, and providing accurate information to the community.

1. Welcome
2. Call to order
3. Identify Board Members: Kevin Duran, Dr. Mercedes Bernard, Brian Wahnee, John Ratliff, Melissa Alvillar
4. Approve minutes from last meeting
5. Resignation and nominations for new chairperson
6. SANE Center Updates – new location needed
 - a. Operational feedback – Rosie
 - b. Water damage with flooding
7. Discussion on consolidation of the Comanche County SART meeting with regular monthly meeting.
8. Open discussion
9. Adjourn

Comanche County SART

Special Meeting

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A. Data Reports from the Field (Note: Dates to present - the completed previous month and the present month up to the 15th)

a. Number of Sexual Assault Calls to Emerg. Communications

b. Number of Sexual Assault Reports for Law Enforcement

c. Number of Filings through DA Office

d. Number of Calls to SHARP

e. Number of Calls to Marie Detty Hotline

f. Number of SANE Exams

Restricted

Unrestricted

B. Operational Feedback from the Field

a. Highlighted areas of collaboration

b. Areas of improvement

C. Identify Topics to Discuss Next Meeting

D. Adjourn