

Point in time count

Topeka/Shawnee County Homeless Task Force

June 2026



TOPEKA/SHAWNEE COUNTY

**HOMELESS
TASK FORCE**

The Point in Time Homeless Count was conducted on June 24, 2026. This one-day event produces a snapshot of the individuals in our community experiencing homelessness as defined by U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). This data supports federal funding for the Continuum of Care Initiative.

Demographics

460

People Experiencing Homelessness
Jan 2026: 502

2025:546 | 2024: 537 | 2023: 412

379

Households Experiencing Homelessness
Jan 2026: 395

2025: 433 | 2024: 442 | 2023: 322

261 Males

199 Females

12%

57
People
under 18

6%

27
Hispanic/
Latino

10%

46
Veterans

88%

403
People
ages 18+

61%

280
White

23%

105
Black
or African-
American

4%

18
Am. Indian
Or Alaskan
Native

0%

0
Asian

6%

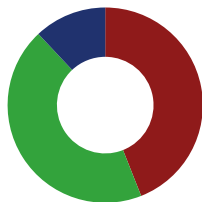
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Multiple
Races

>.5%

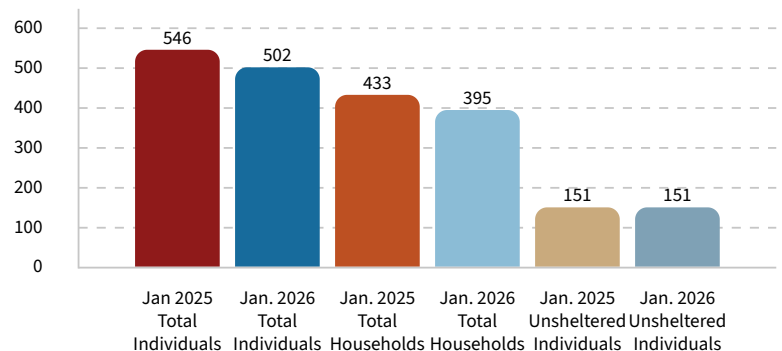
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N. Hawaiian
or Pacific
Islander

Nighttime Locations

At a Glance: 2025-2026



- 204 People In Emergency Shelter (44%)
- 202 Unsheltered (44%)
- 54 People In Transitional Housing (12%)



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