

**Press Release – Kansas Statewide Transgender Education Project  
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*K-STEP Elects New Board Members*

Kansas Statewide Transgender Education Project announced the election of new board members and officers. The election took place at the K-STEP annual meeting on October 1st, 2011 in Salina.

Newly elected board members are Gary Martens of Salina, Sandra Meade of Olathe, Scott Fieker of Olathe, and Mary Haller of Topeka. Paula Keiser, of Topeka, was re-elected to the board and subsequently elected to the office of President of the board of directors. Fieker was elected as Board treasurer. Other Board officers elected were Scott Criqui of Lawrence - Vice-President and Sue Gerth of Manhattan - Secretary.

K-STEP's mission is to end discrimination against transgender people and their families through education. The next K-STEP quarterly meeting will be December 3rd, 2011 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm at the Topeka/Shawnee County Public Library. For additional information please contact Stephanie Mott at (785) 215-7436 or [info@k-step.org](mailto:info@k-step.org).