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Sebelius makes appointment to ensure equal opportunity in Kansas

To help eliminate and prevent discrimination in Kansas, Governor Kathleen Sebelius announced one appointment to the Kansas Human Rights Commission.

"One of the great things about Kansas is that it's a place where all voices are heard and everyone has a seat at the table. This commission continues to assure equal opportunity in public places, housing and state employment," Sebelius said.

Terry Crowder, Topeka, has worked at Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company for 39 years. A past sergeant in the United States Marine Corps and a Vietnam Veteran, Crowder continues his public service by volunteering with several local organizations. He has served as vice-chair for Community Action, Inc; as a board member for both the Topeka Youth Project and the Brown Foundation; and as a volunteer for the Salvation Army and United Way. He is also a regular donor to the Community Blood Bank of Topeka.

Crowder has been appointed to serve a four-year term on the commission.

The Kansas Human Rights Commission investigates complaints alleging discrimination in the areas of employment, public accommodations and housing. The commission also receives and investigates, if necessary, complaints alleging racial and other profiling in conjunction with traffic stops.

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