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## **HISTORICAL SOCIETY ANNOUNCES NEW ADMINISTRATORS AT SITES IN KANSAS CITY AND FAIRWAY**

TOPEKA—The Kansas Historical Society announced the appointment of new site curators at Grinter Place State Historic Site in Kansas City and Shawnee Indian Mission State Historic Site in Fairway. Site curators manage the day-to-day administration of historic sites on behalf of the historical society and work with the surrounding community to increase visitation and develop educational outreach programs.

Anita Faddis has been serving as part-time interim historic site curator at Shawnee Indian Mission for the past several months and is now officially that site's curator. Hours at the site are 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Tuesday – Saturday and 1 – 5 p.m. Sunday. Winter hours, effective December – February, are 10 – 5 p.m. Thursday – Saturday. Admission is \$3 for adults, \$2 for seniors, and \$1 for students. KSHS, Inc., members; current military; and children five and under are admitted free.

Joseph Brentano has been named the new site curator at Grinter Place. He was previously a tourist counselor at the Kansas State Capitol Tour Center in Topeka, which is also operated by the Kansas Historical Society. Grinter Place recently reopened after extensive exterior and interior rehabilitation. Hours at the site are 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Thursday – Saturday. Winter hours, effective December – February, are 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Friday – Saturday. Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for seniors and students. KSHS, Inc., members; current military; and children five and under are admitted free.

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