



## KENTUCKIANS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH

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# KFTC Education Justice Work Team – Meeting Agenda

July 11, 2024 \* [Zoom link](#)

## Welcome & open

- Drop your name, pronouns, & location in chat

## We have a vision

We are working for a day when Kentuckians-and all people-enjoy a better quality of life. When the lives of people and communities matter before profits. When our communities have good jobs that support our families without doing damage to the water, air, and land. When companies and the wealthy pay their share of taxes and can't buy elections. When all people have health care, shelter, food, education, and other basic needs. When children are listened to and valued. When discrimination is wiped out of our laws, habits, and hearts. And when the voices of ordinary people are heard and respected in our democracy.

## 2031 Vivid Description

Kentuckians For The Commonwealth is a collective light, leading the way to a thriving, joyful, intergenerational, multi-cultural society where people are free from oppression and where equity, health care, and racial, economic and environmental justice exist for everyone. We are a beloved community where all people are connected and affirmed through healthy relationships, dedicated to achieving mutual liberation.

## 2031 Audacious Goal

Guided by Black, Indigenous, People of Color and impacted communities, recruit, equip, and activate a network of 100,000 members and partners across all 120 counties to dismantle racism and all systems of oppression, to develop a robust democracy and transform the future of Kentucky.



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### Agenda

- **New & Good**
- **Amendment 2 convo**
  - [Link to ballot language](#)
  - [KFTC online Pledge to Vote NO](#)
  - [KFTC printable Pledge to Vote NO](#)
  - [H.E.A.L. Together - Tennessee Zoom - July 25, 7pm EST - RSVP here](#)
  - Resources
    - [Vouchers undermine efforts to provide an excellent public education for all](#)
    - [Arizona is sending taxpayer money to religious schools — and billionaires see it as a model for the US](#)
    - [Just Who is Trashing Public Education?](#)
- **[2024 KFTC Education Justice in KY Report](#)**
  - County reports - optional
- **Break-out rooms by County/region**
  - Questions
    - What issues are affecting education justice in your county/school district?
    - Will school board races in November impact this?
    - What will be helpful for you to know from school board candidates?
      - KFTC voter guide questions?
    - What will be helpful for others outside your school district to know?
    - Are you interested in a county-specific 2024 KFTC Education Justice report?
    - Are you willing to be on a local education justice report team?
    - Would having some of this data in local voter guides for school board candidates be helpful?
- **Planning for 2025 KY General Assembly**
  - Interim Education Committee watch team
    - Who is up for this?



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- Internal KFTC processes for General assembly
- 2025 Statewide Education Justice in KY Report
  - Questions for the survey [here](#)
  - Target survey opening - Aug 1
  - Listening workshops across the state
- **Public Schools Strong**
  - [Orientation training - Aug 13, 6:30-8pm EST](#)
  - History
  - Kentucky anchor
  - Local to statewide & back
- **[KFTC Membership call](#)**
  - Become a member
  - Renew your membership
- **Next meeting:**
  - [Thursday, Aug 8, 6 - 7:30 pm EST - RSVP](#)