

The governing body of
Cherokee County

BUDGET SUMMARY

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget Year for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	6,180,246	7.626	6,346,865	11.221	6,276,889	2,036,261	8.287
Debt Service							
Road & Bridge	4,191,851	8.280	2,365,328	1.153	3,681,740	2,989,385	12.167
Appraisal	313,860	1.281	388,872	1.288	376,140	302,169	1.230
Health	447,528	0.250	446,990	0.312	520,801	121,023	0.493
Direct Election	197,288	0.976	208,650	0.547	213,050	133,850	0.545
Noxious Weed	83,014	0.332	102,588	0.210	102,588	30,728	0.125
Extension Council	277,676	1.168	253,169	0.958	252,622	225,172	0.916
Conservation District	25,000	0.103					
Fair	16,000	0.069	16,000	0.062	30,000	29,623	0.121
Emergency Medical Serv	47,581		8,281		4,843		
Elderly Services	36,965	0.183	41,000	0.156	45,258	25,360	0.103
Mental Health	125,457	0.521	125,457	0.482	125,457	112,287	0.457
Mental Retardation	111,157	0.456	120,000	0.463	120,000	109,040	0.444
Employee Benefits	3,372,479	12.059	3,700,000	13.559	3,700,000	2,960,936	12.054
Special Bridge	54,591	1.000		1.000		245,709	1.000
Special Parks and Recreat	1,750		6,000		6,000		
Special Alcohol	21,528		17,385		19,212		
Tourism and Promotion	5,751		7,000		8,000		
Law Enforcement VIN Fe	40,544		20,064		26,000		
Emergency Telephone Tax	216,813		174,729		214,577		
Prosecuting Atty Training	2,267		3,000		5,028		
Co Atty Law Enforcement					629		
Spider Program			8,500		8,500		
Half Cent Sales Tax	602,418		641,719		1,300,000		
Co Atty Appl Fee	6,016		10,000		19,436		
Opioid Settlement			47,237		59,484		
Non-Budgeted Funds-A	32,527						
Non-Budgeted Funds-B	66,772						
Non-Budgeted Funds-C	1,410,198						
Totals	17,887,277	34.304	15,048,834	31.411	17,116,254	9,321,743	37.939
Revenue Neutral Rate **							30.605
Less: Transfers	719,113		0		0		
Net Expenditure	17,168,164		15,048,834		17,116,254		
Total Tax Levied	7,695,540		7,518,149		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation	224,367,963		239,350,168		245,708,992		

January 1,	2023
G.O. Bonds	0
Revenue Bonds	0
Other	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	2,697,050
Total	2,697,050

****Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988**

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August 8, 2025

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Legal Notice

(First Published in the Columbus News Report Friday, August 8, 2025)

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

2026

The governing body of
Sewer District No. 1
 Cherokee County

will meet on August 25, 2025 at 10:15 AM at County Courthouse for the purpose of hearing and
 answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied.
 Detailed budget information is available at County Clerks Office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits
 of the 2026 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget Year for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	196,260		161,505		250,000		
Debt Service							
Totals	196,260	0.900	161,505	0.000	250,000	0	0.000
Revenue Neutral Rate**							0.000
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	196,260		161,505		250,000		
Total Tax Levied	0		0		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation	0		0		0		

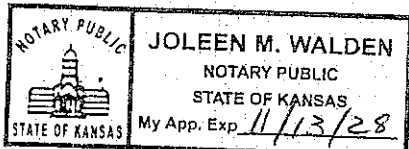
Outstanding Indebtedness		2023	2024	2025
Gen. Fund		0	0	0
G.O. Bonds		0	0	0
Revenue Bonds		0	0	0
Other		141,024	129,186	117,037
Lease Pmt. Princ.		188,000	155,000	8,200
Total		329,024	284,186	125,237

No Assistance is Provided
 *Tax rates are expressed in mills
 **Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Taylor Brown

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2026

CITY OF BAXTER SPRINGS

Detailed budget information is available at CITY HALL, 1445 MILITARY, BAXTER SPRINGS, KS and will be available at this hearing.

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget.
Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

Outstanding Indebtedness,

2023

2024

2025

410,000
0
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347,702
757,702

****Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988**

City Official Title: MAYOR

NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

2026

The governing body of

City of Galena

will meet on September 2, 2025 at 6:00 PM at City Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.

Detailed budget information is available at City Clerks Office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget.

Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget Year for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate *	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate *	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate *
General	2,491,640	50.761	2,421,359	50.888	2,706,265	978,657	46.368
Debt Service	129,922	7.588	138,630	5.996	205,230	130,501	6.183
Library	61,186	3.254	80,000	3.695	120,000	120,665	5.717
Noxious Weed					1,864		
Employee Benefits	330,521	15.767	356,400	15.955	375,000	357,774	16.951
Special Liability	18,901						
Special Highway	80,993		82,752		90,000		
Special Parks and Rec	14,100		15,000		19,824		
Economic Development	51,505		14,000		18,000		
Cemetery Perp Care			1,023		2,000		
Cemetery Perp Care Int			2,058		4,549		
Landfill	119,071		145,000		145,000		
Police Training	3,860		2,000		4,000		
City Attorney Training			2,000		2,000		
City Beautification					96		
Zellican					483		
Special Water			25,000		50,000		
Police DUI			2,500		5,000		
Water Motor	66,765		40,000		50,000		
City Attorney DUI			1,500		2,000		
Monofill Bluehole			15,000		15,000		
Senior Citizens Center	2,010		10,000		10,000		
Water	936,961		801,549		870,877		
Sewer	300,645		315,080		342,454		
Solid Waste	372,475		391,300		378,000		
Non-Budgeted Funds-A	153,517						
Non-Budgeted Funds-B							
Totals	5,134,072	77.370	4,862,151	76.534	5,417,642	1,587,597	75.219
Revenue Neutral Rate**							73.163

Less: Transfers	179,338	135,023	206,000
Net Expenditure	4,954,734	4,727,128	5,211,642
Total Tax Levied	1,459,906	1,544,138	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Assessed			
Valuation	18,869,788	20,175,912	21,106,130
Outstanding Indebtedness,			
January 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	1,233,790	1,140,160	1,046,098
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	376,730	295,847	299,659
Lease Purchase Principal	325,311	273,279	173,477
Total	1,935,831	1,709,286	1,519,234

*Tax rates are expressed in mills

**Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Tracy Roberts

City Official Title: City Clerk

No Assurance is provided.

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Roseland

State of Kansas
City

2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

City of Roseland

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the
maximum expenditure for the various funds for the year 2026; and
(3) the Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations.

			2026 Adopted Budget		
			Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Final Tax Rate (County Clerk's Use Only)
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Fund	K.S.A.				
General	12-101a	6	28,168		
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Special Highway		7	50,594		
Water		7	57,275		
Totals		xxxxxx	136,037	0	
Budget Hearing Notice		8			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
RNR Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization					
					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate 0.000

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

Assisted by:

Carolyn Brock

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Date Attested:

, 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

City of Scammon

State of Kansas
City

2026

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
City of Scammon

will meet on August 13, 2025 at 7:00 PM at Scammon City Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed budget information is available at Scammon City Hall and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	177,003	27.078	183,527	24.167	573,695	49,639	23.736
Debt Service							
Library							
Cemetery Fund	800	0.495	800	0.491	5,420	1,035	0.495
Special Highway	8,104		8,774		244,509		
Special Parks & Recreation	793		654		930		
Water Utility	46,037		49,167		555,731		
Sewer Utility	21,107		20,992		262,340		
Non-Budgeted Funds-A							
Totals	253,844	27.573	263,914	24.658	1,642,625	50,674	24.231
					Revenue Neutral Rate**		
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Less: Transfers	5,000	0	0
Net Expenditure	248,844	263,914	1,642,625
Total Tax Levied	50,674	50,674	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Assessed Valuation	1,837,822	2,054,985	2,091,277
Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills

** Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Debra Norris

Official Title: City Treasurer

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City of Weir

State of Kansas
City

2026

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
City of Weir
will meet on August 11, 2025 at 6:30 PM at Weir City Hall for the purpose of hearing and
answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.
Detailed budget information is available at Weir City Hall and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget.
Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	304,581	47.997	285,242	57.061	492,532	152,731	53.961
Debt Service							
Library	8,988	3.002	9,034	3.003	9,681	8,492	3.000
Special Highway	26,268				136,588		
Water Utility	172,182		150,544		150,600		
Sewer Utility	92,756		83,835		101,851		
	92,756						
Non-Budgeted Funds-A	24,822						
Non-Budgeted Funds-B	33,183						
Totals	755,536	50.999	528,655	60.064	891,252	161,223	56.961
Revenue Neutral Rate**							56.962

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Less: Transfers	28,345	31,900	27,400
Net Expenditure	727,191	496,755	863,852
Total Tax Levied	126,626	161,223	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Assessed			
Valuation	2,482,898	2,684,177	2,830,398
Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	0	0	35,000
Total	0	0	35,000

*Tax rates are expressed in mills
** Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Amy Zortz
Official Title: City Clerk

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City of Cherokee

State of Kansas
City 2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Crawford, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

City of Cherokee

- certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and
(3) the Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations.

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Schedule of Transfers		3			
Statement of Indebtedness		4			
Statement of Lease-Purchases		5			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	12-101a	6	531,849	119,626	
Special Highway		7	43,260		
Special Parks & Recreation		7	17,089		
Water Utility		8	553,932		
Sewer Utility		8	92,919		
Non-Budgeted Funds-A		9			
Totals		XXXXXX	1,239,049	119,626	
Budget Hearing Notice		10			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice		10			
RNR Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization					
					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate 46.821
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate? NO

48.855

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County Clerk

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CPA Summary

West Mineral

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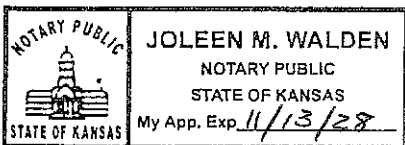
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My Commission Expires: November 13, 2028

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Legal Notice

(First Published in the Columbus News-Report Friday, August 15, 2025)

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The following notice is
Given West Mineral

will meet on August 23, 2025 at 6:30 PM in the West Mineral City Hall for the purpose of hearing and
answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of all taxes.
Detailed budget information is available at West Mineral City Hall and will be available at the hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Revenue for 2025. A 3% addendum to establish the maximum annual increase in the budget
estimated tax rates is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate
General Fund	122,000	45.156	122,000	45.156	122,000	45.156	122,000	45.156
Debt Service								
Library								
Special Highway	8,200	1.102	8,200	1.102	8,200	1.102	8,200	1.102
Special Parks & Recreation	5,000	1.183	5,000	1.183	5,000	1.183	5,000	1.183
Water Utility	63,424	85.099	63,424	85.099	63,424	85.099	63,424	85.099
Sewer Utility	35,182	47.804	35,182	47.804	35,182	47.804	35,182	47.804
Non-Budgeted Funds								
TOTAL	228,806	22.252	228,806	22.252	228,806	22.252	228,806	22.252
Revenue	14,800	14.308	14,800	14.308	14,800	14.308	14,800	14.308
Net Expenditures	214,006	21.844	214,006	21.844	214,006	21.844	214,006	21.844
Final Expenditures	214,006	21.844	214,006	21.844	214,006	21.844	214,006	21.844
Assessed Valuation	201,000	851,004	201,000	851,004	201,000	851,004	201,000	851,004
Outstanding Indebtedness	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taxes Purchase Principal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.
**Revenue Northall Rate as required by KS 79-2988

Brandi Knowlen
Official Title: City Clerk

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NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

City of Oswego

BUDGET SUMMARY

Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

Less: Transfers	447,416	340,555
Net Expenditure	3,442,024	3,231,988
Total Tax Levied	570,311	638,668
Assessed		
Valuation	8,026,074	8,537,174
Outstanding Indebtedness,		
January 1,	2023	2024
G.O. Bonds	5,255,000	4,975,000
Revenue Bonds	0	0
Other	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	80,830	61,253
Total	5,335,830	5,036,253

** Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Official Title: City Clerk

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Fire District # 1

Fire Dist #1

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held; (2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and (3) the Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2026 Budget.

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Schedule of Transfers		3			
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	19-3610	5	39,762	26,739	
Debt Service	10-113				
Totals	xxxxxxxxxx		39,762	26,739	
Budget Hearing Notice		6	County Clerk's Use Only		
Combined Rate - Budget Hearing Notice					
RNR Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					
			Nov. 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation		

Assisted by:
Carolyn Brock

Revenue Neutral Rate

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

Revenue Neutral Rate 4.412

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NO

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Gail Vaughan	Secretary
Sharon J. Miller	Treasurer
Matthew S. Miller	Vice President

Attest: _____, 2025

Governing Body

County Clerk

CPA Summary

SEK Library

NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

State of Kansas
Special District

The governing body of
Southeast Kansas Library System
Allen County

will meet on September 5, 2025 at 1:00 p.m. at SEK Impact Conference Center, 1500 W 7th, Chanute, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds, the amount of tax to be levied and the revenue neutral rate. Detailed budget information is available at Southeast Kansas Library System Headquarters, 218 E. Madison, Iola, KS and will be available at this hearing

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Allen County (home county) Anderson, Bourbon, Chautauqua, Cherokee, Crawford
Elk, Greenwood, Labette, Linn, Montgomery, Neosho
Wilson, Woodson

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget Year for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	1,974,303	1.404	2,048,604	1.354	2,281,133	1,780,084	1.301
Debt Service							
Employee Benefits	126,666	0.084	141,780	0.092	149,280	127,611	0.093
Capital Improvements			38,791		30,000		
Non-Budgeted Funds	84,879						
Totals	2,185,848	1.488	2,229,175	1.446	2,460,413	1,907,695	1.394
					Revenue Neutral Rate **		
Less: Transfers	10,000		1,000		1,000		
Net Expenditures	2,175,848		2,228,175		2,459,413		
Total Tax Levied	1,843,154		1,878,228		xxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	1,156,389,057		1,299,880,984		1,368,402,070		

Outstanding Indebtedness,

Jan 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

**Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Sharon Moreland
Director

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
City of Baxter Springs, Kansas
will meet on July 8, 2025 at 6:00 P.M. at City Hall, 1445 Military Ave, Baxter Springs, KS for the purpose of
hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of funds.
Detailed budget information is available at City Hall, 1445 Military Ave, Baxter Springs, KS and will be
available at this meeting.

SUPPORTING COUNTRIES

Cherokee County (same county)

BUDGET SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

The proposed budget year expenditure amount is the maximum expenditure limit for the proposed budget year.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2024	Current Year Estimated 2025	Proposed Budget Year 2026
General	\$291	29,981	15,004
Public			
Total	\$291	29,981	15,004

Issue Purchases	2023	2024	2025
January 1	0	0	0

Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 19-2904	0.334
Total Proposed Estimated Tax Rate	0.324

Bill Buck
Recreation Commission Secretary

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF KANSAS, COUNTY OF CHEROKEE

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the Columbus News-Report

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notice hereinafter mentioned. A copy of that notice, is
hereto attached, and was published in the regular and
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Columbus News-Report. Affiant further says that he has
personal knowledge of the statements above set forth,
and that they are true.

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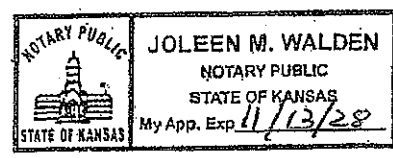
June 27, 2025

Joleen M. Walden

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: November 13, 2028

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Baxter Springs
REC

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned officers of

City of Baxter Springs Recreation

certify that the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held and after the budget hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the maximum expenditure for the various funds for the year. Per K.S.A. 12-1927 a copy of the budget has been submitted to the sponsoring entity and to county clerk.

Table of Contents for the Adopted Budget	Page No.	2026 Adopted Budget of Expenditures for the Proposed Budget Year
Statement of Cond. Lease-Purchase/Cert. of Participation	2	
General	3	15,004
TOTAL	XXXXXX	15,004
Budget Hearing Notice	4	
Combined Rate/Budget Hearing Notice		
RNR Hearing Notice		

Total Revenue Neutral Rate 0.384

Total Proposed Estimated Mill Rate 0.384

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the RNR? NO

Date Received: _____

County Clerk

Kimberly Hall
Bart Davis
Wayne Smith
Jim L. Jones
Janet Hughes
Commission Members

Permanent
Recreation Commission Address

City of Baxter Springs Recreation
PO Box 577
Baxter Springs, KS 66713

Sponsoring
USD/City Address

City of Baxter Springs
PO Box 577
Baxter Springs, KS 66713

Provide point of contact:
James Krokroskia
POC phone number:
(417)850-2017

Other County: 0
Other County: 0
Other County: 0
Other County: 0
Other County: 0

CPA Summary

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2026

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
City of Baxter Springs Recreation
will meet on July 9, 2025 at 6:00 P.M. at City Hall, 1445 Military Ave, Baxter Springs, KS for the purpose of
hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of funds.
Detailed budget information is available at City Hall, 1445 Military Ave, Baxter Springs, KS and will be
available at this meeting.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Cherokee County (home county)

BUDGET SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

The proposed budget year expenditure amount is the maximum expenditure limit for the proposed budget year.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2024	Current Year Estimated 2025	Proposed Budget Year 2026
General	5,291	29,981	15,004
Totals	5,291	29,981	15,004

Lease Purchases:
January 1,

<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>
0	0	0

Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988
Total Proposed Estimated Tax Rate

0.384
0.384

Bill Buck
Recreation Commission Secretary

Columbus Rec

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF KANSAS, COUNTY OF

Larry Hiatt of lawful age, do depose and saith, he/she is the Columbus News-Report

A twice weekly newspaper Columbus, Cherokee County religious, or fraternal publication has been entered as second class United States Post Office, Columbus News-Report has been published for more than fifty weeks a year and more than one year prior to notice hereinafter mentioned hereto attached, and was published in its regular edition published on Columbus News-Report. Affiant has personal knowledge of the facts and that they are true.

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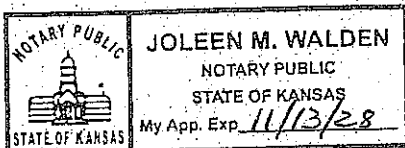
July 1, 2025

Joleen M. Walden

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: November 13, 2028

Printer's Fee: \$45.00



Legal Notice

(First Published in the Columbus News-Report Tuesday, July 1, 2025)

2026

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of

Columbus Recreation Commission

will meet on July 10, 2025 at 5:00pm at Red Iron Activity Center for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of funds.

Detailed budget information is available at Columbus City Hall and will be available at this meeting.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Cherokee (home county)

BUDGET SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

The proposed budget year expenditure amount is the maximum expenditure limit for the proposed budget year.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2024	Current Year Estimated 2025	Proposed Budget Year 2026
General	172,096	69,341	72,459
Totals	172,096	69,341	72,459

Lease Purchases	2023	2024	2025
January 1	0	0	0

Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 19-2088

2.474

Total Proposed Estimated Tax Rate

2.474


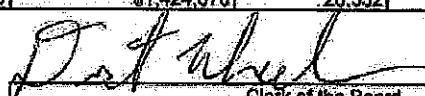
Columbus Recreation Commission

Recreation Commission Secretary

Page No.

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 247 will meet on the 8th day of September 2025 at 6:00 PM at 506 S. Smelter, Cherokee, KS 66724 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at District Office and will be available at this hearing.

Revenue Neutral						
	2024-2025			2025-2026		
	Actual Taxes Levied	Actual Tax Rate	Revenue Neutral Taxes	Revenue Neutral Tax Rate	Proposed Taxes to be Levied	Proposed Tax Rate
General	\$724,611	20.000	\$724,611	19.255	\$752,676	20.000
ALL OTHER FUNDS						
Supplemental General (LOB)	\$1,040,738	21.551	\$1,039,021	20.808	\$1,057,133	21.135
Adult Education	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Capital Outlay	\$386,264	7.999	\$385,649	7.724	\$400,148	8.000
Cost of Living	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Liability Expense Fund	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #1	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #2	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Assessment	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Temporary Note	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Historical Museum	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Revenue Neutral Calculation						
Taxes Levied Including General Fund	\$2,151,613	49.550	\$2,149,281	47.787	\$2,209,957	49.135
Taxes Levied Excluding General Fund	\$1,427,002	29.550	\$1,424,670	28.532	\$1,457,281	29.135
<div> <div>  Board President </div> <div>  Clerk of the Board </div> </div>						

CERTIFICATE
TO THE CLERK of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, duly elected, qualified and acting officers of
Unified School District 404

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached proof of publication was held; (2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the maximum expenditure for the various funds for the year 2025-2026; and (3) the Amount(s) of 2025 Tax to be Levied are within statutory limitations.

		2025-2026 Adopted Budget		
		1	2	3
TABLE OF CONTENTS	K.S.A.	Code 01 Line Expenditures	2025 Tax to be Levied	County Clerk's Use Certified Mill Rate
General ¹	72-5142	06	7,358,086	20.000 ²
Federal Funds	12-1663	07	191,000	
Supplemental General (LOB) ³	72-5147	08	2,443,734	915,292
Adult Education	74-32,259	10	0	0
Preschool-Aged At-Risk	72-5154	11	62,000	
Adult Supplemental Education	74-32,261	12	0	
At Risk Education Fund	72-5153	13	1,328,886	
Bilingual Education	72-3613	14	1,443	
Virtual Education	72-3715	15	41,000	
Capital Outlay	72-53, 113	16	1,244,000	398,430
Driver Training	72-5163	18	0	
Declining Enrollment	72-5160	19	0	
Extraordinary School Program	72-3239	22	0	
Food Service	72-5164	24	480,808	
Professional Development	72-2552	26	13,260	
Parent Education Program	72-4165	28	0	
Summer School	72-3238	29	0	
Special Education	72-3422	30	1,498,030	
Cost of Living ⁴	72-5159	33	0	0
Career and Postsecondary Education	72-5162	34	448,626	
Gifts and Grants	72-1142	35	15,630	
Special Liability Expense Fund	72-1179	42	0	0
Extraordinary Growth Facility	72-5158	45	0	0
Special Reserve Fund	72-1180	47		
KPERS Special Retirement Contribution	74-4939a	51	695,115	
Contingency Reserve	72-5165	53		
Textbook & Student Material Revolving	72-3355	55		
Activity Funds	72-1178	56		
DEBT SERVICE				
Bond and Interest #1	10-113	62	1,209,175	579,206
Bond and Interest #2	10-113	63	0	0
No Fund Warrant ⁵	79-2939	66	0	0
Special Assessment	12-6a10	67	0	0
Temporary Note	72-5457	68	0	0

1. The amount computed on Form 150 is the limit of the 2025-2026 General Fund Expenditures.

2. The General Fund levy must be 20 mills. County clerks can't change this levy.

3. Date of Resolution ADOPTED to exceed 32.3 % 4/14/2022 authorizing 33.00% expires 9999

Date of ELECTION to exceed 32.3 % _____ authorizing 0.00% expires _____

4. Date the Board adopted Cost of Living Resolution authorized by 72-5159

5. See K.S.A. 79-2939, order # _____ dated _____ / _____ / _____

Resolutions of Levy Limits for Tax Funds

1. Capital Outlay

Resolution dated 11/8/2018 authorizing 8.000 mills for 9999 years.

Note: For any new resolutions dated 7-1-2005 and after, the mill rate may not exceed 8 mills in total.

2. Adult Education

Resolution dated _____ authorizing 0.000 mills for 0 years.
(limit 5 years)

3. Historical Museum:

Tax Rate authorized by a petition dated _____ authorizing _____ mills.

4. Public Library:

Resolution dated _____ authorizing _____ mills.

5. Recreation Commission:

Resolution dated _____ authorizing _____ mills.

Note: The USD must have a copy of the separate recreation commission budget before making this levy.

DISTRICT NAME Riverton
 USD # 404 (TYPE USD NUMBER ONLY)
 HOME COUNTY Cherokee

2025-2026

48,725,770	Final 2023 Assessed Valuation (All funds except General)
41,854,703	Final 2023 General Fund Assessed Valuation
48,347,491	Final 2023 Capital Outlay Assessed Valuation
50,569,298	Final 2024 Assessed Valuation (All funds except General)
39,388,054	Final 2024 General Fund Assessed Valuation
50,128,524	Final 2024 Capital Outlay Assessed Valuation
53,123,938	2025 Assessed Valuation (All funds except General)
41,981,750	2025 General Fund Assessed Valuation
53,123,938	2025 Capital Outlay Assessed Valuation
	2025 Assessed Valuation for Bond and Interest #2 (Only use if you have a different assessed valuation for the bond and interest #2 fund.)
	LEAVE BLANK

	2023-24 Mill Rates (official levies from County Clerk)	2024-25 Mill Rates	2023 Taxes Levied (From 2024-2025 Budget Form 110, Line 2)
General	20.000	20.000	837,094
Supplemental General	17.154	16.463	842,682
Adult Education	0.000	0.000	
Capital Outlay	7.493	8.000	388,421
Special Liability Expense	0.000	0.000	
Bond and Interest #1	12.377	12.066	608,602
Bond and Interest #2	0.000	0.000	
No Fund Warrant	0.000	0.000	
Special Assessment	0.000	0.000	
Temporary Note	0.000	0.000	
Historical Museum	0.000	0.000	
Public Library Board	0.000	0.000	
Public Library Bld - Emp Bnfts	0.000	0.000	
Recreation Commission	0.000	0.000	
Rec Comm Employee Benefits	0.000	0.000	
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	0.000	0.000	
Cost of Living	0.000	0.000	

Enrollment Data for Form 150 (Exclude Virtual)

671.5	9/20/22 Audited FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
657.5	9/20/23 Audited FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
636.1	9/20/24 Audited FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
675	9/20/25 Est. Funded Headcount for PK-12 (include Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
	9/20/25 Est. FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
655.0	Note: Out of state students counted as HALF of regular FTE. Exclude FHSU Math & Science Academy.
11.0	9/20/25 Est. Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old] FTE Enrollment (count each student as .5 FTE)
	9/20/25 Est. Number of eligible students that qualify for free meals
310	EXCLUDE part-time students in grades 1-12 and students 20 years of age and over, unless they are on an IEP
	9/20/25 Est. Career and Tech Ed total clock hours of students enrolled and attending in approved courses
240.0	EXCLUDE classes taken at Technical College or Community College
0.0	9/20/25 Est. Bilingual Education total clock hours of students enrolled and attending
2	9/20/25 Est. Bilingual headcount of students enrolled and attending
220.0	9/20/25 Est. Public pupils transported or for whom transportation is being made available who reside in the district 2.5 miles or more
	9/20/25 Est. FTE of students enrolled in your district and attending Fort Hays State University (FHSU) Math & Science Academy. [Cannot be used to generate general fund weightings other than BASE and cannot be used for LOB authority. Districts must send BASE to FHSU for students enrolled in their district and attending FHSU Math & Science Academy.]

Military Provision for Form 150 - New Students of Military Families Not Enrolled on 9/20 (Exclude Virtual)

0.0	2/20/23 Audited FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
0.0	2/20/24 Audited FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
0.0	2/20/25 Audited FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
	2/20/26 Est. Funded Headcount for PK-12 (include Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
	2/20/26 Est. FTE Enrollment (Excludes Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old])
	Note: Out of state students counted as HALF of regular FTE.
	2/20/26 Est. Preschool-Aged At-Risk [3 yr and 4 yr Old] FTE Enrollment (count each student as .5 FTE)
	2/20/26 Est. number of eligible students that qualify for free meals
	EXCLUDE part-time students in grades 1-12 and students 20 years of age and over, unless they are on an IEP
	2/20/26 Est. Career and Tech Ed total clock hours of students enrolled and attending in approved courses
	2/20/26 Est. Bilingual Education total clock hours of students enrolled and attending
	2/20/26 Est. Bilingual headcount of students enrolled and attending
	2/20/26 Est. Public pupils transported for whom transportation is being made available who reside in the district 2.5 miles or more

USD-493

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 493 will meet on the 2nd day of September 2025 at 5:45 PM at 802 South High School Avenue, Columbus, KS 66725 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at Columbus School District Board of Education Office and will be available at this hearing.

Revenue Neutral						
	2024-2025				2025-2026	
	Actual Taxes Levied	Actual Tax Rate	Revenue Neutral Taxes	Revenue Neutral Tax Rate	Proposed Taxes to be Levied	Proposed Tax Rate
General	\$1,530,438	20.000	\$1,530,438	19.463	\$1,572,688	20.000
ALL OTHER FUNDS						
Supplemental General (LOB)	\$1,605,637	16.534	\$1,629,650	16.686	\$1,733,052	17.745
Adult Education	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Capital Outlay	\$777,126	8.000	\$777,126	7.821	\$683,647	7.000
Cost of Living	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Liability Expense Fund	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #1	\$894,182	9.208	\$907,890	9.296	\$879,050	9.001
Bond and Interest #2	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Assessment	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Temporary Note	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Historical Museum	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Revenue Neutral Calculation						
Total Taxes Levied Including General Fund	\$4,807,383	53.742	\$4,845,104	53.266	\$4,868,437	53.746
Taxes Levied Excluding General Fund	\$3,276,945	33.742	\$3,314,666	33.803	\$3,295,749	33.746
Board President			Clerk of the Board			

USD-499

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 499 will meet on the 8th day of September 2025 at 6:00 PM at 702 E 7th St, Galena, KS 66739 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at the District Office and will be available at this hearing.

Revenue Neutral						
	2024-2025				2025-2026	
	Actual Taxes Levied	Actual Tax Rate	Revenue Neutral Taxes	Revenue Neutral Tax Rate	Proposed Taxes to be Levied	Proposed Tax Rate
General	\$345,184	20.000	\$397,349	18.973	\$363,871	20.000
ALL OTHER FUNDS						
Supplemental General (LOB)	\$449,811	17.121	\$446,704	23.791	\$474,883	17.486
Adult Education	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Capital Outlay	\$209,978	7.995	\$208,608	7.682	\$217,254	8.000
Cost of Living	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Liability Expense Fund	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #1	\$179,302	6.829	\$178,173	0.000	\$185,568	6.833
Bond and Interest #2	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Assessment	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Temporary Note	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Historical Museum	\$21,335	0.812	\$0	0.000	\$27,150	1.000
Public Library Board	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Revenue Neutral Calculation						
Total Taxes Levied	\$1,205,610	52.757	\$1,230,834	50.446	\$1,268,706	53.319
Taxes Levied Excluding General Fund	\$660,426	32.757	\$833,485	31.473	\$904,835	33.319
<div>Denise M. Litus Board President</div> <div>Shirley D. H... Clerk of the Board</div>						

USD 504
Oswego

THE GOVERNING BODY OF Oswego Rec Commission, HEREBY NOTIFIES
THE Labette COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE
NEUTRAL RATE;

Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed
mill levy rate is 2.0. The date of our hearing is Sept 3, 25 at
6:30 AM and will be held at 8th St & Commercial address in
Oswego, Kansas.

* Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to this
form when submitted to the county clerk(s).

No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit
our budget to the County Clerk on or before October 1, 20__.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on _____, 20__.

(Seal)

Cindy White
Recreation Commission Secretary

2025/2026

NOTICE OF REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE HEARING AND BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Oswego Recreation Commission
will meet on September 3, 2025 at 6:30pm at Senior Citizens Bldg (8th & South Commercial St) Oswego,
hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of funds.
Detailed budget information is available at hearing and will be available at this meeting.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Labette County (home county)

BUDGET SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

The proposed budget year expenditure amount is the maximum expenditure limit for the proposed budget

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2023/2024	Current Year Estimated 2024/2025	Proposed Budget Year 2025/2026
General	35,000	35,000	35,000
Totals	35,000	35,000	35,000

Lease Purchases:
July 1,

<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
0	0	0

Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

1.865

Total Proposed Estimated Tax Rate

2.000

Oswego Recreation Commission
Recreation Commission Secretary

USD 504
Oswego

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

**THE GOVERNING BODY OF UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 504, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE
LABETTE COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;**

X Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy
rate is 52.807. The date of our hearing is September 8, 2025 at 6:50 PM
and will be held at 719 4th Street in Oswego, Kansas.

 No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our
budget to the County Clerk on or before August 25, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on July 14, 2025.

(Seal)

Julie Wimp
Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 504 will meet on the 8th day of September 2025 at 6:50 PM at 719 4th Street, Oswego, KS 67356 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at district office and will be available at this hearing.

	Revenue Neutral				2025-2026	
	2024-2025		2025-2026			
	Actual Taxes Levied	Actual Tax Rate	Revenue Neutral Taxes	Revenue Neutral Tax Rate	Proposed Taxes to be Levied	Proposed Tax Rate
General	\$216,410	20.000	\$216,410	20.000	\$234,594	20.000
ALL OTHER FUNDS						
Supplemental General (LOB)	\$328,482	20.401	\$327,786	20.401	\$345,339	20.203
Adult Education	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Capital Outlay	\$128,585	7.986	\$128,312	7.986	\$136,744	8.000
Cost of Living	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Liability/Expense Fund	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #1	\$61,620	3.827	\$61,489	3.827	\$78,696	4.604
Bond and Interest #2	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Assessment	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Temporary Note	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Historical Museum	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000

Total Taxes Levied: \$735,097 52.214 \$733,997 52.214 \$795,373 20.000

Taxes Levied Excluding General Fund: \$518,687 32.214 \$517,587 32.214 \$560,779 32.807

Kevin R. Hall Board President *Julie Weiner* Clerk of the Board

Revenue Neutral Calculation

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PUBLIC NOTICE (First published in the Labette Avenue, Thursday, August 28, 2025)

Notice of Hearing 2025-2026 Budget

The governing body of Unified School District 505 will meet on the 8th day of September 2025 at 7:00 PM at 430 Elm Street, Chetopa, KS 67336 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, building needs assessment and Board state assessment review is available at USD 505, 430 Elm Street, Chetopa, KS 67336 on the district website and will be available at this hearing.

The Amount of 2025 Tax to be Levied and Expenditures (published below) establish the maximum limits of the 2025-2026 Budget. The 'Est. Tax Rate' (column 7), shown for comparative purposes, is subject to slight change depending on final assessed valuation.

	Code 99 Line	2023-2024 Actual	2024-2025 Actual	2025-2026 Proposed Budget				
		Actual Expenditures (1)	Actual Tax Rate* (2)	Actual Expenditures (3)	Actual Tax Rate* (4)	Budgeted Expenditures (5)	Amount of 2025 Tax to be Levied (6)	Est. Tax Rate* (7)
OPERATING								
General	06	3,857,299	20.000	4,072,229	20.000	4,585,771	297,444	20.000
Supplemental General (LOB)	09	1,505,856	20.071	1,538,496	21.808	1,531,276	423,029	19.824
SPECIAL REVENUE								
Federal Funds	07	451,170		239,118		224,557		
Adult Education	10	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Preschool-Aged At-Risk	11	30,529		25,042		148,467		
Adult Supplemental Education	12	0		0		0		
At-Risk Education Fund	13	692,342		664,500		779,161		
Bilingual Education	14	2,750		4,336		6,662		
Virtual Education	15	0		0		10,431		
Capital Outlay	16	784,433	7.992	775,919	7.995	1,756,187	170,718	8.000
Driver Training	18	0		0		21,295		
Declining Enrollment	19	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Extraordinary School Program	22	0		0		0		
Food Service	24	325,048		324,524		470,980		
Professional Development	26	25,685		27,397		49,775		
Parent Education Program	28	0		0		0		
Summer School	29	0		0		30,228		
Special Education	30	659,370		717,625		1,159,990		
Cost of Living	33	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Career and Postsecondary Education	34	251,808		249,497		409,327		
Gifts and Grants	35	54,372		62,208		80,177		
Special Liability Expense Fund	42	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	45	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Special Reserve Fund	47	0		0		0		
KPERS Special Retirement Contribution	51	412,981		375,575		423,460		
Contingency Reserve	53	0		0		0		
Textbook & Student Material Revolving	55	1,094		47,347				
Activity Fund	56	110,705		66,629				
DEBT SERVICE								
Bond and Interest #1	62	499,050	7.634	503,925	6.794	514,425	164,586	7.713
Bond and Interest #2	63	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	66	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Special Assessment	67	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Temporary Note	69	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
COOPERATIVES								
Special Education	78	0		0		0		
TOTAL USD EXPENDITURES	100	9,838,292	55.597	9,687,363	55.697	12,172,169	1,055,777	55.637
Less: Transfers	105	2,046,117		2,094,734		2,110,060		
NET USD EXPENDITURES	110	7,792,175		7,592,629		10,062,119		
TOTAL USD TAXES LEVIED	115	1,011,407		1,045,587		1,055,777		
Supplemental District Outlay								

*Sponsoring District Only
*Tax Rates are expressed in Mills

Notice of Hearing 2025-2026 Budget

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		Actual Expenditures (1)	Actual Tax Rate* (2)	Actual Expenditures (3)	Actual Tax Rate* (4)	Budgeted Expenditures (5)	Amount of 2025 Tax to be Levied (6)	Est. Tax Rate* (7)
OTHER								
Historical Museum	80	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Public Library Board	82	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	83	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
Recreation Commission	84	14,021	0.999	12,632	0.999	58,587	21,338	1.000
Rec Comm Emp Benefits & Spec Liab	85	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
TOTAL OTHER	120	14,021	0.999	12,632	0.999	58,587	21,338	1.000
TOTAL TAXES LEVIED	125	\$1,031,042		\$1,066,268		\$1,077,115		
Assessed Valuation - General Fund	129	\$16,305,401		\$14,294,894		\$14,072,213		
Assessed Valuation - All Other Funds	130	\$18,721,347		\$20,674,448		\$21,339,725		
Assessed Valuation - Capital Outlay	129	\$19,716,118		\$20,672,108		\$21,339,725		
Outstanding Indebtedness, July 1		2023		2024		2025		
General Obligation Bonds	135	6,860,000		6,590,000		6,300,000		
Capital Outlay Bonds	140	0		0		0		
Temporary Note	145	0		0		0		
No-Fund Warrant	150	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	153	0		0		0		
TOTAL USD DEBT	155	6,860,000		6,590,000		6,300,000		

*Tax Rates are expressed in Mills

Robert Carter
Board President

Terrell Ross
Clerk of the Board

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 505 will meet on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:55 PM at 430 Elm Street, Chetopa, KS 67336 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at USD 505, 430 Elm Street, Chetopa, KS 67336 and will be available at this hearing.

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF USD 606 Chetopa-Elm Park Recreation Commission, Labelle HEREBY NOTIFIES THE
COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE.



Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is
1.0 ✓. The date of our hearing is September 8, 2025 at 6:45 PM AM/PM and will be
held at 430 Elm Street in Chetopa, Kansas.



No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our budget to
the County Clerk on or before August 25, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on July 18, 2025.

(Seal)

Jerisa Rora

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

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Baxter Springs

7/17/25

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 508 will meet on the 11th day of September 2025 at 6:00 PM at 1108 Military Avenue, Baxter Springs, KS 66713 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at District Office and will be available at this hearing.

Revenue Neutral						
	2024-2025				2025-2026	
	Actual Taxes Levied	Actual Tax Rate	Revenue Neutral Taxes	Revenue Neutral Tax Rate	Proposed Taxes to be Levied	Proposed Tax Rate
General	\$651,379	20.000	\$651,396	19.996	\$651,526	20.000
ALL OTHER FUNDS						
Supplemental General (LOB)	\$678,974	15.293	\$678,974	15.248	\$870,107	19.058
Adult Education	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Capital Outlay	\$366,469	8.000	\$366,469	7.926	\$379,057	8.000
Cost of Living	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Liability Expense Fund	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #1	\$339,154	7.639	\$339,154	7.617	\$131,933	2.889
Bond and Interest #2	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Special Assessment	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Temporary Note	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Historical Museum	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000	\$0	0.000
Revenue Neutral Calculation						
Total Taxes Levied	\$2,035,976	50.932	\$2,035,993	50.787	\$2,032,623	-49.942
Taxes Levied Excluding General Fund	\$1,384,597	30.932	\$1,384,597	30.791	\$1,381,097	-29.942
Board President _____ Clerk of the Board _____						

19.058

2.889

*Off on Levy Sheet
49,947*

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CERTIFICATE

2026

*Cherokee
Town*

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Cherokee Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was approved and adopted as the
maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and (3) the
Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2026 Budget.

			2026 Adopted Budget		
Table of Contents:			Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Final Tax Rate (County Clerk's Use Only)
Alloc of MVT, RVT, and 16/20M Vehicles Tax		Page No. 2			
Schedule of Transfers		3			
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	93,679	17,437	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Road	80-1413				
Noxious Weed	2-1318				
Fire Protection	80-1503				
Special Machinery					
Totals	XXXXXX		93679	17437	
Budget Hearing Notice		6			
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					
			Final County Assessed		
			Cherokee Township		
			City of Weir		
			0		
			Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation		

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	0.000
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	2.227
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

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Attest: _____, 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held _____ for _____ Mills for _____ years.
First levy in _____.

CPA Summary

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Cherokee TWSP

Tax Year:
2025

COUNTY CLERK'S BUDGET INFORMATION FOR THE 2026 BUDGET
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Date - Time:
2025/06/12 - 16:33:37

CHEROKEE TWSP

CHEROKEE TWP /WEIR 3RD CLASS

Township

3rd Class City

1. Estimated Assessed Valuation Information as of July 1, 2025

	Estimated Assd Valuation	3rd Class City	Property With Changed Use
Real Estate	3,921,059	2,382,370	116,610
Personal Property	123,694	87,529	0
Oil and Gas	0	0	0
State Assessed Utilities	954,381	360,499	0
Severed Minerals	0	0	0
Total	4,999,134	2,830,398	116,610
New Improvements	44,894	80,831	
Remodel	0	0	

2. All Personal Property excluding Watercraft 211,223

3. Actual Tax Rates Levied for the 2025 Budget

Fund	Rate
CHEROKEE GENERAL	2.281000
	2.281000

Revenue Neutral Rate:	Township Supported Only:	0.000000
	Township and 3rd Class City Supported:	2.227000

4. Final Assessed Valuation from November 1, 2024 Abstract 7,644,101

5. All Personal Property excluding Watercraft for 2024 238,507

6. Gross Earning (Intangible) Tax Estimate 0.00

7. Neighborhood Revitalization District Valuation Subject to Rebates 0

8. 2024 Column (2023 Tax) Delq % for CHEROKEE GENERAL Fund 3.32 %

Tax Increment Financing - TIF/RHID:

TIF/RHID Base Assessed Valuation 0

TIF/RHID Current Assessed Valuation 0

TIF/RHID is not subtracted from Real Estate Value.

10. Watercraft Taxes 5.96



06/12/2025

Date

[Signature]

Provided by

Cherokee County

Name of County

[Handwritten initials]

Crawford

2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

Crawford Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
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maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and (3) the
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			2026 Adopted Budget		
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Schedule of Transfers	3				
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase	4				
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	55,032	21,309	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals	XXXXXX		55,032	21,309	
Budget Hearing Notice	0				County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice	6				
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					
					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate

1.862

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Attest:

2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held

for Mills for . years.

First levy in

CPA Summary

Garden

CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Garden Township

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			2026 Adopted Budget		
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Alloc of MVT, RVT, and 16/20M Vehicles	2				
Schedule of Transfers	3				
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase	4				
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	208,702	112,696	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals	xxxxxx		208,702	112,696	
Budget Hearing Notice	0				County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice	6				
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate 2.687

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate? NO

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Attest: 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held for Mills for years.
First levy in

CPA Summary

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Lola

2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Lola Township

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			Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Final Tax Rate (County Clerk's Use Only)
Table of Contents:					
Alloc of MVT, RVT, and 16/20M Vehicles		2			
Schedule of Transfers		3			
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	31,362	14,713	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	31,362	14,713	
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate

2.430

-2,429

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Attest:

2025

John M Epler
Judy Epler
Rodney Monroe

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held

for Mills for years.

First levy in

CPA Summary

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2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Lowell Township

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			2026 Adopted Budget		
Table of Contents:			Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Final Tax Rate (County Clerk's Use Only)
Alloc of MVT, RVT, and 16/20M Vehicles	2				
Schedule of Transfers	3				
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase	4				
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	80,140	32,614	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals	XXXXXX		80,140	32,614	
Budget Hearing Notice	0				County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate 3.118

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate? NO

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Attest: 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held for Mills for years.
First levy in

CPA Summary

Lyon

2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Lyon Township

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			2026 Adopted Budget		
Table of Contents:			Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Final Tax Rate (County Clerk's Use Only)
Alloc of MVT, RVT, and 16/20M Vehicles	2				
Schedule of Transfers	3				
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase	4				
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	17,144	10,208	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals	xxxxxx		17,144	10,208	
Budget Hearing Notice	0				County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice	6				
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

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Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

Revenue Neutral Rate	1.561
	NO

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Attest: 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held _____ for _____ Mills for _____ years.
First levy in _____

CPA Summary

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CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Mineral Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
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maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and (3) the
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			2026 Adopted Budget		
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Alloc of MVT, RVT, and 16/20M Vehicles		2			
Schedule of Transfers		3			
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	34,464	10,396	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	34,464	10,396	
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate

1.907

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Attest:

2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held

for Mills for years.

First levy in

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Neosho

CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of

Neosho Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
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			2026 Adopted Budget		
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Schedule of Transfers		3			
Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	57,760	25,345	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals	xxxxxx		57,760	25,345	
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate 3.255

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Attest:

2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held
First levy in _____

for Mills for years.

CPA Summary

3.254

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2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

Pleasant View Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was approved and adopted as the
maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and (3) the
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			2026 Adopted Budget		
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Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	44,395	24,136	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Non-Budgeted Funds		6			
Special Machinery					
Totals	XXXXXX		44,395	24,136	
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice		7			
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					
					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate

2.218

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Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Attest:

2025

Eddy Alford
Elita R. Alford
Angie Rippe

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held
First levy in

for Mills for years.

CPA Summary

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Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Road	80-1413				
Noxious Weed	2-1318				
Fire Protection	80-1503				
Special Machinery					
Totals	XXXXXX		32858.5	27183.5	
Budget Hearing Notice	6			Final County Assessed	County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice	6\			Ross Township	
Rate Hearing Notice				Roseland	
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate				West Mineral	
				Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	

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Trustee 7/24/25
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Governing Body

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2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Salamanca Township
certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was approved and adopted as the
maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2026; and (3) the
Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2026 Budget.

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Fund		K.S.A.			
General	5	79-1962	20,783	11,220	
Debt Service		10-113			
Library		12-1220			
Road		68-518c			
Special Machinery					
Totals	xxxxxx		20,783	11,220	
Budget Hearing Notice	0				County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice	6				
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					
					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate? Revenue Neutral Rate 1.048
NO

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County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held for Mills for years.
First levy in

CPA Summary

Shawnee

CERTIFICATE

2026

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Shawnee Township

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Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	73,430	41,853	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals	xxxxxx		73,430	41,853	
Budget Hearing Notice	0				County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice	6				
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

-5.636

Revenue Neutral Rate

5.638

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Justin Moore

Justin Moore Clerk

Matthew Napier

Matthew Napier Trustee

Becky Forgey

Becky Forgey, Treasurer

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held
First levy in

for Mills for years.

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Sheridan

State of Kansas
Township

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Sheridan Township
Cherokee County

will meet on September 20, 2025 at 6:30 PM at 7970 NW Coalfield Rd, McCune for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed budget information is available at Cherokee County Clerk's office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2024		Current Year Estimate 2025		Proposed Budget 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	13,505	3.606	22,010	3.253	48,353	19,992	3.075
Totals	13,505	3.606	22,010	3.253	48,353	19,992	3.075
Revenue Neutral Rate**							3.076
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	13,505		22,010		48,353		
Total Tax Levied	19,992		19,992		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	5,545,471		6,146,228		6,501,996		

-3.0747

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

**Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

Kyle Rennie
Treasurer

Handwritten signature

CERTIFICATE

2026

Spring Valley

To the Clerk of Cherokee County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

Spring Valley Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
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Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	58,174	42,178	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	58,174	42,178	
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice		6			
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					
					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate

2.455

Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?

NO

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Diana Robinson Clerk

Nancy King Treasurer

Governing Body

Special Road Election held
First levy in

for Mills for years.

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