

2016

**CERTIFICATE**

To the Clerk of Rush County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

**Big Timber 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 2016; and (3) the  
Amount(s) of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2016 Budget.

|  |         | 2016 Adopted Budget                  |                                  |                               |  |
|--|---------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
|  |         | Budget Authority<br>for Expenditures | Amount of 2015<br>Ad Valorem Tax | County<br>Clerk's<br>Use Only |  |
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| Schedule of Transfers                      |         | 4                                    |                                  |                               |  |
| Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase      |         | 5                                    |                                  |                               |  |
| Fund                                       |         | K.S.A.                               |                                  |                               |  |
| General                                    | 79-1962 | 6                                    | 5,065                            | 3,875                         |  |
| Ambulance                                  | 65-6113 | 7                                    | 2,713                            | 2,394                         |  |
| Library                                    | 12-1220 | 7                                    |                                  |                               |  |
| Road                                       | 68-518c |                                      |                                  |                               |  |
| Special Road                               | 80-1413 |                                      |                                  |                               |  |
| Noxious Weed                               | 2-1318  |                                      |                                  |                               |  |
| Fire Protection                            | 80-1503 |                                      |                                  |                               |  |
| Special Machinery                          |         |                                      |                                  |                               |  |
| <b>Totals</b>                              |         | xxxxxx                               | 7,778                            | 6,269                         |  |
| Budget Summary                             |         | 8                                    |                                  |                               |  |
| Neighborhood Revitalization                |         |                                      | Vote publication required?       | No                            |  |

| Final Assessed Valuation: | County Clerk's Use Only |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Big Timber Township       |                         |
| Liebenthal                |                         |
| 0                         |                         |
| Total Assessed Valuation  | 0                       |
|                           | Nov. 1, 2015 Valuation  |

Assisted by:  
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Attest: Aug 13, 2015  
*Corinne Baldwin*  
County Clerk

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Karon M...  
David M...  
Governing Body

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

Big Timber Township

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**Computation to Determine Limit for 2016**

|                                    | <b>Amount of Levy</b> |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Total tax levy amount in 2015   | + \$ <u>6,269</u>     |
| 2. Debt service levy in 2015       | - \$ _____            |
| 3. Tax levy excluding debt service | \$ <u>6,269</u>       |

**2015 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments**

|  |                  |                   |
|--|------------------|-------------------|
| 4. New improvements for 2015:  | + <u>31,523</u>  |                   |
| 5. Increase in personal property for 2015:   |                  |                   |
| 5a. Personal property 2015   | + <u>29,951</u>  |                   |
| 5b. Personal property 2014   | - <u>29,552</u>  |                   |
| 5c. Increase in personal property (5a minus 5b)  | + <u>399</u>     |                   |
|  |                  | (Use Only if > 0) |
| 6. Valuation of property that has changed in use during 2015:  | + <u>2,931</u>   |                   |
| 7. Total valuation adjustment (sum of 4, 5c, 6)  | <u>34,853</u>    |                   |
| 8. Total estimated valuation July 1, 2015  | <u>1,684,699</u> |                   |
| 9. Total valuation less valuation adjustment (8 minus 7)   | <u>1,649,846</u> |                   |
| 10. Factor for increase (7 divided by 9)   | <u>0.02113</u>   |                   |
| 11. Amount of increase (10 times 3)  |                  | + \$ <u>132</u>   |
| 12. 2016 budget tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 plus 11)                                      |                  | \$ <u>6,401</u>   |
| 13. Debt service levy in this 2016 budget  |                  | _____             |
| 14. 2016 budget tax levy, including debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (12 plus 13)                                     |                  | <u>6,401</u>      |
| 15. Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers for calendar year 2014  |                  | <u>1.60%</u>      |
| 16. Consumer Price Index adjustment (3 times 15)   |                  | \$ <u>100</u>     |
| 17. Maximum levy for budget year 2016, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication.'<br>(14 plus 16) |                  | \$ <u>6,501</u>   |

If the 2016 adopted budget includes a total property tax levy exceeding the dollar amount in line 17 you must publish notice of vote by the governing body to adopt such budget in the official county newspaper and attach a copy of the published notice to this budget.

In no event will published notice of the vote be required if the total budget year tax levy is \$1,000 or less.

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Allocation of MV, RV, 16/20M, Commercial Vehicle, and Watercraft Tax Estimates

| Budgeted Funds<br>for 2015          | Tax Levies in the<br>2015 Budget | Allocation for Year 2016 |            |                |            |                   |              |                  |                |                     |                 |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|--------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|-----------------|
|                                     |                                  | MVT - Township           | MVT - City | RVT - Township | RVT - City | 16/20M - Township | 16/20 - City | CommVeh - Twship | CommVeh - City | Wtrcraft - Township | Wtrcraft - City |
| *** General                         | 2.183                            | 297                      | 0          | 7              | 0          | 62                | 0            | 4                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| *** Ambulance                       | 1.291                            | 176                      | 0          | 4              | 0          | 36                | 0            | 3                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| *** Library                         | 0.000                            | 0                        | 0          | 0              | 0          | 0                 | 0            | 0                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| Road                                | 0.000                            | 0                        |            | 0              |            | 0                 |              | 0                |                | 0                   |                 |
| Special Road                        | 0.000                            | 0                        |            | 0              |            | 0                 |              | 0                |                | 0                   |                 |
| Noxious Weed                        | 0.000                            | 0                        |            | 0              |            | 0                 |              | 0                |                | 0                   |                 |
| Fire Protection                     | 0.000                            | 0                        |            | 0              |            | 0                 |              | 0                |                | 0                   |                 |
| ***                                 | 0.000                            | 0                        | 0          | 0              | 0          | 0                 | 0            | 0                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| ***                                 | 0.000                            | 0                        | 0          | 0              | 0          | 0                 | 0            | 0                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| ***                                 | 0.000                            | 0                        | 0          | 0              | 0          | 0                 | 0            | 0                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| ***                                 | 0.000                            | 0                        | 0          | 0              | 0          | 0                 | 0            | 0                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| ***                                 | 0.000                            | 0                        | 0          | 0              | 0          | 0                 | 0            | 0                | 0              | 0                   | 0               |
| Total                               | 3.474                            | 473                      |            | 11             |            | 98                |              | 7                |                | 0                   |                 |
| Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***) | 3.474                            |                          | 0          |                | 0          |                   | 0            |                  | 0              |                     | 0               |







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**FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY**

| Adopted Budget<br>Ambulance             | Prior Year<br>Actual for 2014 | Current Year<br>Estimate for 2015  | Proposed Budget<br>Year for 2016 |
|---|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1         | 0                             | 0                                  | 0                                |
| Receipts:                               |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Ad Valorem Tax                          | 2,720                         | 2,329                              | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx                 |
| Delinquent Tax                          |                               | 100                                | 100                              |
| Motor Vehicle Tax                       |                               | 235                                | 176                              |
| Recreational Vehicle Tax                |                               | 3                                  | 4                                |
| 16/20M Vehicle Tax                      |                               | 46                                 | 36                               |
| Commercial Vehicle Tax                  |                               |                                    | 3                                |
| Watercraft Tax                          |                               |                                    | 0                                |
| Interest on Idle Funds                  |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Miscellaneous                           |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts |                               |                                    |                                  |
| <b>Total Receipts</b>                   | <b>2,720</b>                  | <b>2,713</b>                       | <b>319</b>                       |
| <b>Resources Available:</b>             | <b>2,720</b>                  | <b>2,713</b>                       | <b>319</b>                       |
| Expenditures:                           |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Rush County Ambulance                   | 2,720                         | 2,613                              | 2,613                            |
| Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate      |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Miscellaneous                           |                               | 100                                | 100                              |
| Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expendit |                               |                                    |                                  |
| <b>Total Expenditures</b>               | <b>2,720</b>                  | <b>2,713</b>                       | <b>2,713</b>                     |
| Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31        | 0                             | 0                                  | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx                 |
| 2014/2015/2016 Budget Authority Amount  | 2,713                         | 2,713                              | 2,713                            |
|   |                               | Non-Appropriated Balance           |                                  |
| See Tab A                               |                               | Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance | 2,713                            |
|   |                               | Tax Required                       | 2,394                            |
|   |                               | Delinquent Comp Rate: 0.0%         | 0                                |
|   |                               | Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax      | 2,394                            |

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| Motor Vehicle Tax                       |                               |                                    | 0                                |
| Recreational Vehicle Tax                |                               |                                    | 0                                |
| 16/20M Vehicle Tax                      |                               |                                    | 0                                |
| Commercial Vehicle Tax                  |                               |                                    | 0                                |
| Watercraft Tax                          |                               |                                    | 0                                |
| Interest on Idle Funds                  |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Miscellaneous                           |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts |                               |                                    |                                  |
| <b>Total Receipts</b>                   | <b>0</b>                      | <b>0</b>                           | <b>0</b>                         |
| <b>Resources Available:</b>             | <b>0</b>                      | <b>0</b>                           | <b>0</b>                         |
| Expenditures:                           |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate      |                               |                                    |                                  |
| Miscellaneous                           |                               |                                    |                                  |
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|   |                               | Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax      | 0                                |

**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

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will meet on August 11, 2015 at 7:30 PM at Fire Station 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 Rush County Clerk's office and will be available at this hearing.

**BUDGET SUMMARY**

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| Fund                             | Prior Year Actual 2014 |                  | Current Year Estimate 2015 |                  | Proposed Budget 2016              |                               |                |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
|                                  | Expenditures           | Actual Tax Rate* | Expenditures               | Actual Tax Rate* | Budget Authority for Expenditures | Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax | Est. Tax Rate* |
| General                          | 3,711                  | 2.721            | 4,809                      | 2.183            | 5,065                             | 3,875                         | 2.300          |
| Ambulance                        | 2,720                  | 1.714            | 2,713                      | 1.291            | 2,713                             | 2,394                         | 1.421          |
| Totals                           | 6,431                  | 4.435            | 7,522                      | 3.474            | 7,778                             | 6,269                         | 3.721          |
| Less: Transfers                  | 0                      |                  | 0                          |                  | 0                                 |                               |                |
| Net Expenditure                  | 6,431                  |                  | 7,522                      |                  | 7,778                             |                               |                |
| Total Tax Levied                 | 6,127                  |                  | 6,269                      |                  | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx                  |                               |                |
| Total Assessed Valuation         | 1,382,534              |                  | 1,804,537                  |                  |                                   | 1,684,699                     |                |
| Township Assessed Valuation Only |                        |                  |                            |                  |                                   | 1,414,956                     |                |

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# Affidavit of Publication

State of Kansas, }  
Rush County, } ss.

TIM ENGEL, being first duly sworn, Deposes and says: That he is Publisher of The Rush County News, a weekly newspaper, published and printed in La Crosse, State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Rush County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Rush County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is published weekly at least 50 times a year; has been so published continuously and uninterruptedly in said county and state for a period of more than five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at the post office of La Crosse in said County as periodical mail matter.

a true copy thereof and was published in the said newspaper for one consecutive thereof being made as aforesaid on July, 2015, with subsequent following date:

:015  
:015

*Tim Engel*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Publisher

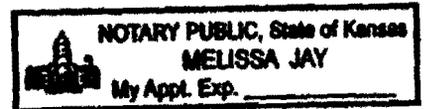
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*Melissa Jay*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

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Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

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