

**CERTIFICATE**

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

**Cora 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			
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<b>Fund</b>	<b>K.S.A.</b>				
General	79-1962	4	8,338	1,619	1,312
Cemetery	79-1962	5	9,000	4,235	3,431
<b>Totals</b>		<b>xxxxxx</b>	<b>17,338</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>4,743</b>
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Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	1,334,175
	Nov. 1, 2015 Valuation

Assisted by:

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Attest: 8/27 2015

*Sharon K. Wolter*  
County Clerk

*Jan C. Corfield*  
*G. M. Spence*  
*Gerrit M. Bowman*  
Governing Body

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

Cora Township

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**Computation to Determine Limit for 2016**

	<b>Amount of Levy</b>
1. Total tax levy amount in 2015	+ \$ <u>5,744</u>
2. Debt service levy in 2015	- \$ <u>0</u>
3. <b>Tax levy excluding debt service</b>	<b>\$ <u>5,744</u></b>

**2015 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments**

4. <b>New improvements for 2015:</b>	+ <u>0</u>	
5. <b>Increase in personal property for 2015:</b>		
5a. Personal property 2015	+ <u>34,668</u>	
5b. Personal property 2014	- <u>35,518</u>	
5c. Increase in personal property (5a minus 5b)	+ <u>0</u>	
		(Use Only if > 0)
6. <b>Valuation of property that changed in use during 2015:</b>	+ <u>3,768</u>	
7. <b>Total valuation adjustment (sum of 4, 5c, 6)</b>		<u>3,768</u>
8. Total estimated valuation July 1, 2015	<u>1,234,174</u>	
9. <b>Total valuation less valuation adjustment (8 minus 7)</b>		<u>1,230,406</u>
10. Factor for increase (7 divided by 9)		<u>0.00306</u>
11. Amount of increase (10 times 3)		+ \$ <u>18</u>
12. <b>2016 budget tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 plus 11)</b>		<b>\$ <u>5,762</u></b>
13. <b>Debt service levy in this 2016 budget</b>		<u>0</u>
14. <b>2016 budget tax levy, including debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (12 plus 13)</b>		<b><u>5,762</u></b>
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>92</u>
17. <b>Maximum levy for budget year 2016, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication.'</b> <b>(14 plus 16)</b>		<b>\$ <u>5,854</u></b>

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

Adopted Budget

**Cemetery**

	Prior Year Actual for 2014	Current Year Estimate for 2015	Proposed Budget Year for 2016
<b>Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1</b>	<b>5,004</b>	<b>5,671</b>	<b>4,765</b>
<b>Receipts:</b>			
Ad Valorem Tax	4,049	4,395	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	161	127	0
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	0	72	0
Commercial Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
Watercraft Tax	0	0	0
Donations	240	0	0
Miscellaneous	0	0	0
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>4,450</b>	<b>4,594</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>9,454</b>	<b>10,265</b>	<b>4,765</b>
<b>Expenditures:</b>			
Operations - Cedar Hill	3,783	3,000	4,000
Operations - Oak Hill	0	500	500
Capital Outlay	0	2,000	4,500
Fence	0	0	0
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	0	0	0
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>3,783</b>	<b>5,500</b>	<b>9,000</b>
<b>Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31</b>	<b>5,671</b>	<b>4,765</b>	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2014/2015/2016 Budget Authority Amount:	9,500	5,500	9,000
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	9,000
		Tax Required	4,235
Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%		0
	<b>Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax</b>		<b>4,235</b>

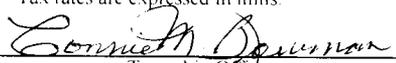
**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

The governing body of  
**Cora Township**  
**Smith County**  
will meet on Aug 24 at 7:30pm at 7041 V. LN 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 and will be available at this hearing.

**BUDGET SUMMARY**

Proposed Budget 2016 Expenditures and Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2016 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

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	2,506	5.459	4,150	1.085	8,338	1,619	1.312
Cemetery	3,783	0.000	5,500	3.864	9,000	4,235	3.431
<b>Totals</b>	<b>6,289</b>	<b>5.459</b>	<b>9,650</b>	<b>4.949</b>	<b>17,338</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>4.743</b>
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	6,289		9,650		17,338		
<b>Total Tax Levied</b>	<b>5,654</b>		<b>5,744</b>		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	1,035,813		1,160,846		1,234,174		
Outstanding Indebtedness:							
Jan 1	2013		2014		2015		
G.O. Bonds	0		0		0		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	0		0		0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>0</b>		<b>0</b>		

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills.  
  
Township Officer

**Cora Township**

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**2016 Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate**

Budgeted Funds for 2016	2015 Ad Valorem before Rebate**	2015 Mil Rate before Rebate	Estimate 2016 NR Rebate
General	1,619	1.312	0
Cemetery	4,235	3.431	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>4.743</b>	<b>0</b>

2015 July 1 Valuation: 1,234,174

Valuation Factor: 1,234,174

Neighborhood Revitalization Subj to Rebate: 0

Neighborhood Revitalization factor: 0.000

\*\*This information comes from the 2016 Budget Summary page. See instructions tab #12 for completing the Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate table.



STATE OF KANSAS  
SMITH  
COUNTY SS.

# Affidavit of Publication

Frank Mercer, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is publisher of the *Smith County Pioneer*, a weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Smith County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Smith County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a weekly published one day a week and has been 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 Smith Center, Kansas, in said county as second class matter.

That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for 1 consecutive week the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 20 day of August, 2015, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

Signed: [Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 2015

**RICHELLE TWENTER**  
Notary Public, State of Kansas  
My Appt. Expires 8-3-2016  
Notary Public's Signature

Publication Fee \$ 77.63  
Affidavit, Notary's Fee \$ 50  
Additional copies @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total Publication Fee \$ 78.13

## Public Notice

State of Kansas  
Township

(Published in the *Smith County Pioneer* on Thursday, Aug. 20, 2015)

### NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of Smith County, KS will meet on Aug 27 at 7:30 AM for the purpose of hearing and reviewing objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of the various tax rates to be levied for the year 2016. Detailed budget information is available in the public office of the County Treasurer, Smith County, Kansas.

Proposed Budget 2016 Expenditures and Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limit of the 2016 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final approved valuation.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2014		Current Year Estimate 2015		Proposed Budget 2016	
	Expenditures	Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2016 Ad Valorem Tax
General	7,506	5.495	4,150	3.015	8,000	1,317
Connecticut	3,783	0.000	3,800	3.886	4,215	3,431
Totals	6,289	3.495	7,950	3.295	12,215	5,851
Less: Transfers	6,289		9,650		17,331	
Net Expenditure	0		0		0	0
Total Tax Levied	5,654		1,650		1,650	
Amount Available	1,035		1,650		1,650	
Outstanding indebtedness:						
Jan. 1						
G.O. Bonds	0		0		0	
Other	0		0		0	
Less: Purchase Principal	0		0		0	
Balance	0		0		0	

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills  
Treasurer  
Township Officer

