

2016

**CERTIFICATE**

To the Clerk of Barton County, State of Kansas  
We, the undersigned, officers of  
**Liberty 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.

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Fund		K.S.A.			
General	79-1962 ✓	6	28,300 ✓	25,217 ✓	5,416
<del>Debt Service</del>	<del>10-113</del>				
<del>Library</del>	<del>12-1220</del>				
Road	68-518c ✓	7	65,719 ✓	52,590 ✓	11,296
Special Machinery	68-141g ✓	7			
<b>Totals</b>	xxxxxx		94,019 ✓	77,807 ✓	16,712
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Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate		9	Vote publication required? <u>Yes</u> <u>NO</u>		

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	Nov. 1, 2015 Valuation

4,655,714

Assisted by:  
**Adams, Brown, Beran & Ball, Chtd.**

Address:  
**PO Drawer J**  
**Great Bend, KS 67530**  
Email:  
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Attest: August 11, 2015

Don Zimmerman  
County Clerk

Deey Staty Treasurer  
[Signature]  
L. Rose Trustee  
Governing Body



Special Road Election held  
First levy in

Liberty Township

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**Computation to Determine Limit for 2016**

	<b>Amount of Levy</b>
1. Total tax levy amount in 2015	+ \$ <u>76,067</u> ✓
2. Debt service levy in 2015	- \$ <u>0</u> ✓
3. Tax levy excluding debt service	\$ <u>76,067</u> ✓

**2015 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments**

4. New improvements for 2015:	+ <u>2,424</u> ✓
5. Increase in personal property for 2015:	
5a. Personal property 2015	+ <u>207,586</u> ✓
5b. Personal property 2014	- <u>178,172</u> ✓
5c. Increase in personal property (5a minus 5b)	+ <u>29,414</u> ✓
	(Use Only if > 0)
6. Valuation of property that changed in use during 2015:	+ <u>0</u> ✓
7. Total valuation adjustment (sum of 4, 5c, 6)	<u>31,838</u> ✓
8. Total estimated valuation July 1, 2015	<u>4,662,294</u> ✓
9. Total valuation less valuation adjustment (8 minus 7)	<u>4,630,456</u> ✓
10. Factor for increase (7 divided by 9)	<u>0.00688</u> ✓
11. Amount of increase (10 times 3)	+ \$ <u>523</u> ✓
12. 2016 budget tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 plus 11)	\$ <u>76,590</u> ✓
13. Debt service levy in this 2016 budget	<u>0</u> ✓
14. 2016 budget tax levy, including debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (12 plus 13)	<u>76,590</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>1,217</u> ✓
17. Maximum levy for budget year 2016, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication.' (14 plus 16)	\$ <u>77,807</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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**FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY**

Adopted Budget Road	Prior Year Actual for 2014	Current Year Estimate for 2015	Proposed Budget Year for 2016
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	13,683	5,645	3,970
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	33,625	52,018	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax	874	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	3,814	3,752	4,591 ✓
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	82	104 ✓
16/20M Vehicle Tax	172	151	141 ✓
Commercial Vehicle Tax	416		535 ✓
Watercraft Tax	0	25	24 ✓
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	4,191	4,054 <del>4,142</del>	3,764 ✓
Interest on Idle Funds	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	550	0	0
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>43,642</b>	<b>60,170</b>	<b>9,159</b>
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>57,325</b>	<b>65,815</b>	<b>13,129</b>
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	1,108	1,200	1,500
Salaries & Wages	7,047	7,500	8,000
Employee Benefits	3,110	3,500	4,000
Road Maintenance	0	0	0
Road Materials	11,016	10,000	11,224
Equipment	1,650	12,145	12,745
Parts and Supplies	9,891	10,000	10,250
Fuel & Oil	7,708	8,250	8,500
Mowing	4,150	4,250	4,500
Transfer to Special Machinery	6,000 ✓	5,000 ✓	5,000 ✓
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	0	0	
Miscellaneous	0	0	0
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>51,680</b>	<b>61,845</b> ✓	<b>65,719</b> ✓
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	5,645	3,970	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2014/2015/2016 Budget Authority Amount:	53,214	65,505	65,719
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	65,719
		Tax Required	52,590
Delinquent Comp Rate:		0.0%	0
		Amount of 2015 Ad Valorem Tax	52,590

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Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2014 Actual Year
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	14,703 ✓
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	6,000 ✓
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	45
Other	0
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>20,748</b> ✓
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>12,145</b> ✓
<b>Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31</b>	<b>8,603</b> ✓

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SS. CLERK

Proof of Publication

MARY HOISINGTON

of lawful age, duly sworn upon oath states that SHE

is the PUBLISHER

of THE GREAT BEND TRIBUNE

THAT said newspaper has been published at least weekly fifty (50) times a year and has been so published for at least five years prior to the first publication of the attached notice:

THAT said paper was entered as second class mail matter at the post office of its publication:

THAT said paper has a general paid circulation on a daily, or weekly, or monthly, or yearly basis in

BARTON County, Kansas, and is

NOT a trade, religious or fraternal publication and has been PRINTED and published in BARTON County, Kansas.

That the attached notice was published in a regular issue of said newspaper

for 1 consecutive weeks, the first publication being on the 24th day

of July 20 13 and the last publication on the 24th day

of July 20 13

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**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**  
 THE GOVERNING BODY OF  
 LIBERTY TOWNSHIP, BARTON COUNTY  
 will meet on August 8, 2015, at 7:00 p.m., at  
 277 LIBERTY ROAD, GREAT BEND, KS. .  
 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the pro-  
 posed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.  
 Detailed budget information is available at  
 277 LIBERTY ROAD, GREAT BEND, KS.  
 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 final assessed valuation.

Fund	Prior Year Actual for 2014		Current Year Estimate for 2015		Proposed Budget for 2016	
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Expenditures	Estimated Ad Valorem Tax Rate
General	24,898	4.548	26,600	5.126	28,300	25.217
Debt Service						
Library						
Road	51,680	7.187	61,845	11.068	65,719	52.590
Special Machine	12,145					11.280
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>88,723</b>	<b>11.735</b>	<b>88,445</b>	<b>16.214</b>	<b>94,019</b>	<b>77.607</b>
Land Transfers	6,000		5,000		5,000	
Net Expenditures	82,723		83,445		89,019	
Total Tax Levied	55,748		76,067		XXXXXXXXXX	
Amount Valuation Township	4,750,384		4,691,209		4,662,294	

**OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS, JANUARY 1**

	2013	2014	2015
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purch Price	0	76,849	67,651
Total	0	76,849	67,651

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills  
 Kevin Rose  
 Township Trustee

Publication Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Affidavit, Notary's Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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(Sign) Mary Hoisington

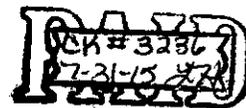
Witness my hand this 24th day of July 20 13

SUBSCRIBED and Sworn to before me this 24th

day of July 20 15

(Notary Public) State of Kansas - Notary Public  
**Loretta Harmison**  
 My Commission Expires 9-8-18

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_



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Less: Transfers	6,000 ✓		5,000 ✓		5,000 ✓		
Net Expenditure	82,723 ✓		83,445 ✓		89,019 ✓		
Total Tax Levied	55,748 ✓		76,067 ✓		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	4,750,364 ✓		4,691,209 ✓		4,662,294 ✓		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2013		2014		2015		
G.O. Bonds	0		0		0		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	0 ✓		76,849		67,651 ✓		
Total	0 ✓		76,849		67,651 ✓		

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Kevin Rose  
Township Trustee