

CERTIFICATE

2017

To the Clerk of Jefferson County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

**Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10**

- 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 2017; and  
 (3) the Amount(s) of 2016 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2017 Budget.

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<b>Fund</b>	<b>K.S.A.</b>				
General	0	6	302,650	243,067	2,044
Debt Service	10-113				
<b>Totals</b>	xxxxxxxxxxxx		302,650	243,067	
Budget Summary		0	Resolution required?	Vote publication required?	Yes
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Assisted by:

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Address:

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Email:

\_\_\_\_\_

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Jefferson County	61,171,472
Atchison	12,022,417
Jackson	41,804,074
Nemaha	3,950,512
0	
Total Assessed Valuation	118,948,525
	November 1, 2016 Valuation

*Russell Bell*

*William R. Bell*

*at Board*

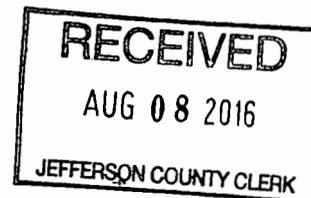
*David A. Smith*

*James W. Brown*

Attest: 8/8 2016

*Sandra McBeth*  
County Clerk

Governing Body



**Computation to Determine Limit for 2017**

	<b>Amount of Levy</b>
1. Total tax levy amount in 2016 budget	+ \$ <u>219,447</u>
2. Debt service levy in 2016 budget	- \$ <u>0</u>
3. Tax levy excluding debt service	\$ <u>219,447</u>

**2016 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments**

4. New improvements for 2016:	+ <u>947,153</u>	
5. Increase in personal property for 2016:		
5a. Personal property 2016	+ <u>1,941,271</u>	
5b. Personal property 2015	- <u>1,178,264</u>	
5c. Increase in personal property (5a minus 5b)	+ <u>763,007</u>	
		(Use Only if > 0)
6. Valuation of property that has changed in use during 2016:		<u>0</u>
7. Total valuation adjustment (sum of 4, 5c, 6)		<u>1,710,160</u>
8. Total estimated valuation July, 1,2016	<u>112,109,304</u>	
9. Total valuation less valuation adjustment (8 minus 7)		<u>110,399,144</u>
10. Factor for increase (7 divided by 9)		<u>0.01549</u>
11. Amount of increase (10 times 3)		+ \$ <u>3,399</u>
12. 2017 budget tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 plus 11)		\$ <u>222,846</u>
13. Debt service levy in this 2017 budget		<u>0</u>
14. 2017 budget tax levy, including debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (12 plus 13)		<u>222,846</u>
15. Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers for calendar year 2015		<u>0.125%</u>
16. Consumer Price Index adjustment (3 times 15)		\$ <u>274</u>
17. Maximum levy for budget year 2017, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication' or adoption of a resolution prior to adoption of the budget (14 plus 16)		\$ <u>223,120</u>

If the 2017 adopted budget includes a total property tax levy exceeding the dollar amount in line 17 you must, prior to adoption of such budget, adopt a resolution authorizing such levy and, subsequent to adoption of such budget, 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.

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

2016 Budgeted Funds	Tax Levy Amount in 2016 Budget	Allocation for Year 2017				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	219,447	28,194	530	2,394	1,428	1,455
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>219,447</b>	<b>28,194</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>2,394</b>	<b>1,428</b>	<b>1,455</b>

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 28,194

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 530

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 2,394

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 1,428

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 1,455

MVT Factor 0.12848

RVT Factor 0.00242

16/20M Factor 0.01091

Comm Veh Factor 0.00651

Watercraft Factor 0.00663







**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

State of Kansas  
Special District  
2017

The governing body of  
**Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10**  
Jefferson County

will meet on July 21, 2016 at 7:00pm at Delaware Watershed Office 125 W 4th St Holton KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to levied. Detailed budget information is available at Delaware Watershed Office 125 W 4th St Holton KS and will be available at this hearing.

**SUPPORTING COUNTIES**

Jefferson County (home county) Atchison, Jackson, Nemaha

**BUDGET SUMMARY**

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FUND	Prior Year Actual 2015		Current Year Estimate for 2016		Proposed Budget Year for 2017		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2016 Ad Valorem Tax	Estimate Tax Rate*
General	204,315	2.011	252,550	1.942	302,650	243,067	2.168
Debt Service							
<b>Totals</b>	<b>204,315</b>	<b>2.011</b>	<b>252,550</b>	<b>1.942</b>	<b>302,650</b>	<b>243,067</b>	<b>2.168</b>
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	204,315		252,550		302,650		
Total Tax Levied	213,839		219,447		xxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:	106,348,876		113,111,034		112,109,304		

Outstanding Indebtedness,

Jan 1,	2015	2016	2017
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

*The Atchison Globe*  
A Division of NPG Newspapers, Inc.  
308 Commercial, Atchison KS 66002

Reference: 162264  
Ad ID: 6408803

P.O. :  
DESC :BUDGET HEARING

**DELAWARE WATERSHED JOINT DISTRICT N**  
125 W. 4TH PO BOX 70  
HOLTON, KS 66436

County of Atchison  
State of Kansas

I, Christy McKibben, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That she is the Advertising Manager of the ATCHISON GLOBE, a Newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Atchison County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a Twice weekly basis in Atchison County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

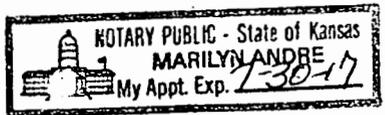
Said newspaper is a Twice Weekly published on Wednesdays and Saturdays, has been published continuously and uninterruptedly in said county and state for a period of more than five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at the post office of Atchison in said county as second class matter.

Run Dates: 07/09/16 to 07/09/16  
Appearances: 1  
AD SPACE: 195  
TOTAL COST: \$160.43  
FILED ON 07/11/16

(Signed) *Christy McKibben*

Subscribed and sworn before me this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of July 2016

- *Marilyn Andree*  
Notary Public



Official Publication  
NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10, Jefferson County will meet on July 21, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at 125 W. 4th Street, Holton, Kansas, 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 Delaware Watershed Office, 125 West 4th Street, Holton, KS and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

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Debt Service							
Totals	204,315	2.001	252,550	1.942	302,650	243,067	2.168
Less Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	204,315		252,550		302,650		
Total Tax Levied	213,839		219,447				
Assesd Valuation	106,348,876		113,111,034		112,109,304		
Outstanding Indebtedness January 1							
	2015		2016		2017		
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.

Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10  
July 9, 2016

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

STATE OF KANSAS )  
 ) ss:  
 JEFFERSON COUNTY )

Clarke E. Davis and/or Marveta F. Davis and/or Corey L. Davis, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That they are the business managers of *The Valley Falls Vindicator* a weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Jefferson County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a weekly, monthly, or yearly basis in Jefferson County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious, or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a weekly published 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 Valley Falls, 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 one

consecutive weeks, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 14th day of

July, 2016, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

- \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_,
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_,
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_,
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

*[Signature]*  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14th day of

July, 2016.  
*Margaret A. Collier*  
 Notary Public

My commission expires 9-3-18

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas  
 MARGARET A. COLLIER  
 My Appt. Exp. 9-3-18

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
 (Published in The Valley Falls Vindicator July 14, 2016) It  
**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

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**Jefferson County**

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<b>Net Expenditures</b>	<b>204,315</b>		<b>252,550</b>		<b>302,650</b>		
Total Tax Levied	213,839		219,447		XXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
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Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan. 1,	2015	2016	2017
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10  
 Manager

**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

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0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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213,839		219,447		xxxxxxx		
106,348,876		113,111,034		112,109,304		

2015	2016	2017
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0
0	0	0

Printed in mills  
 Joint District No. 10  
 Manager

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**  
 STATE OF KANSAS, BROWN COUNTY, SS:

Dana D. Foley, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is publisher of *The Horton Headlight* a weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Brown County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a yearly basis in Brown County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is weekly published at least weekly 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 Horton Kansas, in said County as periodicals postage paid.

That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for one consecutive weeks, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 14 day of July, 2016, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

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

*Dana D. Foley*  
 Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of July, 2016.

**LORI VERTIN**  
 NOTARY PUBLIC  
 STATE OF KANSAS

*Lori Vesten*  
 Notary Public

My commission expires 7-6-19

Printer's fee/ Affidavit fee \$ 133.75

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF KANSAS }  
 NEMAHA COUNTY }

ss. TIM KELLENBERGER, being first duly sworn, Depos and says "that he is  
 The Publisher of

**The Sabetha  
 Herald**

EXHIBIT "A"

a weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of  
 general circulation in Nemaha County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation  
 in Nemaha 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 and has been  
 admitted at the post office of Sabetha , 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 one consecutive week(s). The first  
 publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the day of July  
13, 2016, with subsequent publications being made on the following  
 dates:

\_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_  
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*Tim Kellenberger*

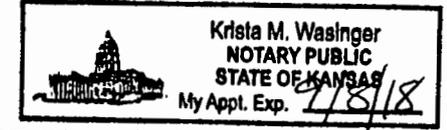
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016

*Krista M. Wasinger*  
 Notary Public

My commission expires: 9/8/18

Printer's Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Copies \$ \_\_\_\_\_



Affidavit and proof of publication examined, approved and filed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_

District Magistrate Judge \_\_\_\_\_

**LEGAL NOTICES**

Published in The Sabetha Herald on Wednesday, July 13, 2016

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING**

The governing body of  
 Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10  
 Jefferson County

will meet on July 21, 2016 at 7:00pm at Delaware Watershed Office 123 W 4th St. Holton KS 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.  
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General	204,313	2.011	232,550	1.942	302,630	2.168
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	204,313	2.011	232,550	1.942	302,630	2.168
Less: Transfers	0	0	0	0	0	0
Net Expenditures	204,313	2.011	232,550	1.942	302,630	2.168
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Assessed Valuation	106,548,876		119,111,034		112,109,304	

Outstanding Indebtedness:

	2015	2016	2017
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Frn.	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

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Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10  
 Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Page No. \_\_\_\_\_



RESOLUTION NO. 2017-1

*A resolution expressing the property taxation policy of the Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 governing body with respect to financing the annual budget for 2017*

Whereas, K.S.A. 79-2925b, as amended, provides that a levy of property taxes to finance the 2017 budget of the Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 exceeding the amount levied to finance the 2016 budget of the Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10, as adjusted to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for calendar year 2015, be authorized by a resolution adopted in advance of the adoption of a budget supported by such levy; and

Whereas, K.S.A. 79-2925b, as amended, also provides that current year revenue that is produced and attributable to the taxation of (1) new improvements, (2) increased personal property valuation other than increased valuation of oil and gas leaseholds and mobile homes, (3) property located within added jurisdictional territory, and (4) property which has changed in use shall not be considered when determining whether revenue produced from property tax has increased from the preceding year; and

Whereas, Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 provides essential services to its citizens; and

Whereas, the cost of providing these services continues to increase.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 governing body that a levy of property taxes in support of the 2017 budget exceeding the amount levied in 2016, as adjusted pursuant to K.S.A. 79-2925b, as amended, is hereby approved.

Adopted this 21st day of July, 2016 by the Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 governing body, Jefferson County, Kansas.

Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 Governing Body

Russell Voelke

William R. Mitchell

Alan Bennett

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF KANSAS }  
 JACKSON COUNTY }

SS. DAVID POWLS, being first duly sworn, Deposes and says "That he is The Publisher of

**THE HOLTON  
 RECORDER**

EXHIBIT "A"

a Semi-Weekly Newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Jackson County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a yearly basis in Jackson County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a Semi-Weekly published at least weekly 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 Holton, 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 time, weeks, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the day of July 27, 2016, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

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

CONNIE POWLS  
 Notary Public - State of Kansas  
 My Appt. Expires 6-12-18

RECEIVED  
 AUG 08 2016  
 JEFFERSON COUNTY CLERK

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016

*C. Powls*

Notary Public

My commission expires: 6-12-18

Printer's Fee \$ 57.04

Additional Copies \$ Ø

**Public Notice**

(Published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Wednesday, July 27, 2016.)

Notice of Vote - Delaware Watershed Joint District No. 10 2017

Pursuant to K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 79-2925b

	Total Property Tax Levied	Mill Levy*
2016 Budget	\$ 219,447	1.942
2017 Budget	\$ 243,067	2.168

In adopting the 2017 budget the governing body voted to increase property taxes in an amount greater than the amount levied for the 2016 budget, adjusted by the 2015 CPI for all urban consumers. 10 members voted in favor of the budget and 0 members voted against the budget.

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