

**CERTIFICATE**

2017

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;  
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was 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.

			2017 Adopted Budget		
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Fund		K.S.A.			
General	79-1962	6	53,740	20,182	2.936
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
<b>Totals</b>		xxxxxx	53,740	20,182	2.936
Budget Summary		7			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			Vote publication required?		No

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	6,874,032
	Nov. 1, 2016 Valuation

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Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ 2016

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County Clerk

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*Leah D. Leonard*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
*Marion Atkinson*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
*William D. Thomas*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Governing Body

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

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**Computation to Determine Limit for 2017**

		<b>Amount of Levy</b>
1. Total tax levy amount in 2016	+ \$	<u>20,100</u>
2. Debt service levy in 2016	- \$	<u>0</u>
3. Tax levy excluding debt service	\$	<u>20,100</u>

**2016 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments**

4. New improvements for 2016:	+	<u>7,058</u>	
5. Increase in personal property for 2016:			
5a. Personal property 2016	+	<u>204,989</u>	
5b. Personal property 2015	-	<u>192,626</u>	
5c. Increase in personal property (5a minus 5b)	+	<u>12,363</u>	
			(Use Only if > 0)
6. Valuation of property that changed in use during 2016:	+	<u>0</u>	
7. Total valuation adjustment (sum of 4, 5c, 6)		<u>19,421</u>	
8. Total estimated valuation July 1, 2016		<u>6,881,586</u>	
9. Total valuation less valuation adjustment (8 minus 7)		<u>6,862,165</u>	
10. Factor for increase (7 divided by 9)		<u>0.00283</u>	
11. Amount of increase (10 times 3)	+ \$	<u>57</u>	
12. 2017 budget tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 plus 11)	\$	<u>20,157</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>20,157</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>25</u>	
17. Maximum levy for budget year 2017, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication.' (14 plus 16)	\$	<u>20,182</u>	

If the 2017 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 General	Prior Year Actual for 2015	Current Year Estimate for 2016	Proposed Budget Year for 2017
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	24,916	30,041	30,902
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	23,212	20,100	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		2,885	2,304
Recreational Vehicle Tax		53	43
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		195	284
Commercial Vehicle Tax		18	25
Watercraft Tax		110	0
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Sale of Equipment	500		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous	17		
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>23,729</b>	<b>23,361</b>	<b>2,656</b>
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>48,645</b>	<b>53,402</b>	<b>33,558</b>
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	600	600	600
Salaries & Wages			
Employee Benefits			
Supplies		500	500
Equipment & Repairs	5,584	6,000	6,000
Insurance			
Fire Contract-Columbus	6,975	7,100	7,100
Cemetery-Mowing	5,000	6,500	6,500
Cemetery Repairs		1,000	5,000
Budget & Publications	135	300	300
Utilities	310	500	500
Capital Improvements			27,240
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(No Levy)			
Does the General Fund have a tax levy			
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(Gen has Levy)			
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avail			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>18,604</b>	<b>22,500</b>	<b>53,740</b>
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	30,041	30,902	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2015/2016/2017 Budget Authority Amount:	42,355	44,703	53,740
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	53,740
		Tax Required	20,182
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2016 Ad Valorem Tax	20,182

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**Crawford Township**  
**Cherokee County**

will meet on July 14, 2014 at 7:00 PM at Marion Atkinson, 1800 SE 30th St., Columbus 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 Marion Atkinson, 1800 SE 30th St., Columbus and will be available at this hearing.

**BUDGET SUMMARY**

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Fund	Prior Year Actual 2015		Current Year Estimate 2016		Proposed Budget 2017		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2016 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	18,604	3.519	22,500	3.219	53,740	20,182	2.933
<b>Totals</b>	<b>18,604</b>	<b>3.519</b>	<b>22,500</b>	<b>3.219</b>	<b>53,740</b>	<b>20,182</b>	<b>2.933</b>
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	18,604		22,500		53,740		
Total Tax Levied	20,100		20,100		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation: Township	5,711,252		6,244,882		6,881,586		

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

Marion Atkinson  
Clerk

**AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**

**STATE OF KANSAS, COUNTY OF CHEROKEE, SS:**

Larry Hiatt of lawful age, being first duly sworn, depose and saith, he/she is Legal Representative of the Columbus News-Report

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Affiant further says that he has personal knowledge of the statements above set forth, and that they are true.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

July 1, 2016

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: December 5, 2019

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