State of Kansas
Township

CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Stafford County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Richland 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 2026; and (3) the Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2026 Budget.

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Computation to Determine State Library Grant					
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	19,750	14,670	3.438
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	6	147,589	65,646	15.384
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxxx	167,339	80,316	18.822
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County Clerk's Use Only
4,267,212
Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed

Revenue Neutral Rate: 18.853
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate? NO

Assisted by:
ADAMS BROWN, LLC

Address:
PO Drawer J
Great Bend, KS 67530

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Attest: 9-30, 2025

Lisa A. Weber
County Clerk

Kerry R. Smith TREASURER

Governing Body

Special Road Election held _____ for ___Mills for ___ years.
First levy in _____.

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

Budgeted Funds for 2025	Tax Levy Amount in 2025 Budget	Allocation for Year 2026				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	14,363	383	16	255	7	9
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	65,959	1,759	72	1,173	32	41
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	80,322	2,142	88	1,428	39	50

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 2,142

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 88

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 1,428

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 39

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 50

MVT Factor 0.02667

RVT Factor 0.00110

16/20M Factor 0.01778

Comm Veh Factor 0.00049

Watercraft Factor 0.00062

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Schedule of Transfers

Expenditure Fund Transferred From:	Receipt Fund Transferred To:	Actual Amount for 2024	Current Amount for 2025	Proposed Amount for 2026	Transfers Authorized by Statute
General	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
General	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
Road	Special Machinery	30,000	30,000	30,000	KSA 68-141g
	Total	30,000	30,000	30,000	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	30,000	30,000	30,000	

*Note: Adjustments are required only if the transfer is being made in 2025 and/or 2026 from a non-budgeted fund.

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STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Type of Debt	Date of Issue	Interest Rate %	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding Jan 1, 2025	Date Due		Amount Due 2025		Amount Due 2026	
					Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal
G.O. Bonds										
None										
Total G.O. Bonds				0			0	0	0	0
Other										
None										
Total Other				0			0	0	0	0
Total				**0**			0	0	0	0

STATEMENT OF CONDITIONAL LEASE-PURCHASE AND CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION*

Items Purchased	Contract Date	Term of Contract (Months)	Interest Rate %	Total Amount Financed (Beginning Principal)	Principal Balance On Jan 1,2025	Payments Due 2025	Payments Due 2026
None							
				Total	0	0	0

***If leasing/renting with no intent to purchase, do not list--such transactions are not lease-purchases.

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	9,836	7,184	3,910
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	10,558	14,363	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	724	500	500
Motor Vehicle Tax	372	185	383
Recreational Vehicle Tax	16	10	16
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	256	164	255
Commercial Vehicle Tax	7	4	7
Watercraft Tax	0	0	9
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	0	0	0
Interest on Idle Funds	0	0	0
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	54	0	0
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipt			
Total Receipts	**11,987**	**15,226**	**1,170**
Resources Available:	**21,823**	**22,410**	**5,080**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	0	0	0
Employee Benefits	5,856	7,500	8,000
Supplies	56	500	500
Insurance	5,282	6,000	6,500
Accounting Fees	2,967	3,500	3,750
Publications	59	250	250
Utilities	419	750	750
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
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 Availabl			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**14,639**	**18,500**	**19,750**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	7,184	3,910	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	19,500	19,250	19,750
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	19,750
		Tax Required	14,670
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	14,670

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget

Road	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	113,502	110,405	73,925
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	61,944	65,959	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	4,284	500	500
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,543	1,087	1,759
Recreational Vehicle Tax	67	57	72
16/20M Vehicle Tax	1,123	959	1,173
Commercial Vehicle Tax	30	26	32
Watercraft Tax	0	0	41
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	2,151	1,932	1,941
Interest on Idle Funds	2,807	2,500	2,500
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	0	0	0
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipt			
Total Receipts	**73,949**	**73,020**	**8,018**
Resources Available:	**187,451**	**183,425**	**81,943**
Expenditures:			
Salaries & Wages	16,078	18,500	20,500
Employee Benefits	0	0	0
Contract Labor	0	2,500	3,000
Road Materials	0	15,000	30,000
Equipment	17,757	20,000	25,089
Officers Pay	1,800	2,500	3,000
Liability Insurance	0	6,000	6,000
Other Operating	11,411	15,000	30,000
Cash Reserve (2026 column)	0	0	0
Transfer to Special Machinery	30,000	30,000	30,000
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Available			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**77,046**	**109,500**	**147,589**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	110,405	73,925	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	142,183	150,642	147,589
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	147,589
		Tax Required	65,646
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	65,646

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2024 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	127,538
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	30,000
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	0
Other	0
Resources Available:	157,538
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**157,538**

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Road	77,046	13.406	109,500	14.634	147,589	65,646	15.409
Special Machinery							
Totals	91,685	15.691	128,000	17.821	167,339	80,316	18.853
*Revenue Neutral Rate***							*18.853*
Less: Transfers	30,000		30,000		30,000		
Net Expenditure	61,685		98,000		137,339		
Total Tax Levied	80,322		80,322		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	5,119,126		4,507,191		4,260,160		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur Princ	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.
***Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by 2021 Kansas Senate Bill 13*

Kerry Suiter
Treasurer

Richland Township

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2026 Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate

Budgeted Funds for 2026	2025 Ad Valorem before Rebate**	2025 Mil Rate before Rebate	Estimate 2026 NR Rebate
General	14,670	3.444	0
Debt Service	0		0
Library	0		0
Road	65,646	15.409	0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
0	0		0
TOTAL	80,316	18.853	0

2025 July 1 Valuation: 4,260,160

Valuation Factor: 4,260.160

Neighborhood Revitalization Subj to Rebate: 0

Neighborhood Revitalization factor: _____

**This information comes from the 2026 Budget Summary page. See instructions step #12 for completing the Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate table.

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Treasurer

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State of Florida
County of Broward

Signed or attested before me on this: 07/15/2025

S Smith

Notary Public

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