CERTIFICATE 2026

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Lafayette Township
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Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	8,635	1,851	
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
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Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	0.970
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

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Attest: 2025

County Clerk

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Joel Terrill - Treasurer

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2025

COUNTY CLERK SEAL CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY KANSAS

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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	1,851	80	2	3	0	1
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	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	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1,851	80	2	3	0	1

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 80

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 2

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 3

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 1

MVT Factor 0.04322

RVT Factor 0.00108

16/20M Factor 0.00162

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00054

2026

Lafayette Township

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
None					
	Total	0	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	0	0	0	

*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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Chautauqua County

2026

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										
Total G.O. Bonds				0			0	0	0	0
Other										
Total Other				0			0	0	0	0
Total Indebtedness				**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.

Lafayette Township 2026

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	8,333	8,576	6,698
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	1,964	1,851	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		66	80
Recreational Vehicle Tax		2	2
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		2	3
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax		1	1
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**1,964**	**1,922**	**86**
Resources Available:	**10,297**	**10,498**	**6,784**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay			
Fire District # 4	500	1,000	1,000
Supplies		1,500	6,335
Equipment			
Budget & Publications	221	300	300
Lafayette Cemetery Board			
Road Repairs			
Grafton Comm. Building Repairs	1,000	1,000	1,000
Public Benefit Donation			
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 Avai			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**1,721**	**3,800**	**8,635**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	8,576	6,698	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	8,050	8,381	8,635
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	8,635
		Tax Required	1,851
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	1,851

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

2026

THE GOVERNING BODY OF Lafayette Township, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE Chautauqua County CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

_____ Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is 0.97. The date of our hearing is 0 at 0 and will be held at 0 , Kansas.

* Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to the form when submitted to the County Clerk(s)

XXXX No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our budget to the County Clerk on or before October 1, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on _____, 2025.

(Seal)

_____

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

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Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
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Assessed Valuation:							
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*Tax rates are expressed in mills.
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Lois Terning
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