State of Kansas
Township

CERTIFICATE

2026 IN

To the Clerk of Ness County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Waring 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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Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	118,159	21,772	5.790
Fire Protection	80-1503	6			
Totals		xxxxxxx	118159	21772	5.790
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Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
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Final County Assessed	County Clerk's Use Only
Waring Township	3,328,036
Brownell	432,084
0	
Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	3,760,120

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	0.000
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	5.795

Assisted by:
ADAMS BROWN, LLC

Address:
818 Broadway * PO Box 127
Larned, KS 67550
Email:
akoehn@adamsbrowncpa.com

Attest: Aug. 28, 2025

County Clerk

Treasurer

Trustee

Dwayne Richardson Clerk

Governing Body

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

CPA Summary

No assurance is provided. Substantially all disclosures omitted.

COUNTY CLERK OF NESS COUNTY, KANSAS SEAL

Waring Township

2026

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

	Budgeted Funds for 2025	Tax Levies in the 2025 Budget	Allocation for Year 2026									
			MVT - Township	MVT - City	RVT - Township	RVT - City	16/20M - Township	16/20 - City	CommVeh - Twnshp	CommVeh - City	Wtrcraft - Township	Wtrcraft - City
***	General	5.677	911	0	42	0	300	0	912	0	20	0
***	Debt Service	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***	Library	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Special Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Noxious Weed	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Fire Protection	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	5.677	911		42		300		912		20	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***)	5.677		0		0		0		0		0

Waring 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
Fire	General	-	41,179	-	Closing Fund
	Total	0	41,179	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	0	41,179	0	

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

Waring Township
Ness 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										
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.

Waring Township
FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

2026

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	72,586	63,720	93,010
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	2,161	21,772	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	10		
Motor Vehicle Tax	61	68	911
Recreational Vehicle Tax	3	2	42
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	32	29	300
Commercial Vehicle Tax	44	3	912
Watercraft Tax		2	20
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	394	885	1,192
Wind Farm Deposit	258		
Transfer In	0	41,179	0
Interest on Idle Funds	317		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipt			
Total Receipts	**3,280**	**63,940**	**3,377**
Resources Available:	**75,866**	**127,660**	**96,387**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	450	450	5,000
Reports & Services	2,015	3,000	10,000
Capital Outlay		10,000	81,159
Repairs & Fuel	9,407	10,000	10,000
Utilitites		1,000	1,000
Insurance		10,000	10,000
Office Supplies	199	200	1,000
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	75		
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**12,146**	**34,650**	**118,159**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	63,720	93,010	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	70,107	98,007	118,159
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	118,159
		Tax Required	21,772
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	21,772

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

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Adopted Budget **Fire Protection**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	20,093	40,149	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	19,346	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	90	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	505	674	0
Recreational Vehicle Tax	26	25	0
16/20M Vehicle Tax	281	288	0
Commercial Vehicle Tax	25	25	0
Watercraft Tax		18	0
Wind Farm Deposit	2,565		
Donations	3,260		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous	2,322		
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**28,420**	**1,030**	**0**
Resources Available:	**48,513**	**41,179**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Operating Expense	8,364		
Capital Outlay			
Transfer to General Fund		41,179	
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**8,364**	**41,179**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	40,149	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	30,200	26,956	0
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab C		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	0
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	0

Adopted Budget

0	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	0	0	0
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	0
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	0

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Ness County
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BUDGET SUMMARY

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Fire Protection	8,364	5.278	41,179				
Special Machinery							
Totals	20,510	5.808	75,829	5.677	118,159	21,772	5.792
					*Funds Supported by Township Only - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*0.000*
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Less: Transfers	0		41,179		0		
Net Expenditure	20,510		34,650		118,159		
Total Tax Levied	21,772		21,772		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	4,121,713		3,836,389		3,758,870		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					3,326,786		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	8,917	0	0
Total	8,917	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

***Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988*

Eric Weeks
Treasurer

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF WARING TOWNSHIP, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE NESS 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 _____. The date of our hearing is _____ at _____ AM/PM and will be held at _____ address in _____, Kansas.
*** Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to this form when submitted to the county clerk(s).**

X 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 July 18th, 2025

(Seal)

E [illegible] Treasurer
Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

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STATE OF KANSAS, COUNTY OF NESS, ss:

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Filed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Attached Proof Of Publication approved this _____ day of _____, 20____

_____
District Magistrate Judge.

Filed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

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Clerk of the District Court.

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Judge Twenty-fourth Judicial District.

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