State of Kansas
Special District

2025

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Hodgeman County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
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 2025; and
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General	24-1219	5	2,507,000	601,367	2.731
Debt Service	10-113				
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Budget Hearing Notice		6			
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
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Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

County Clerk's Use Only	
Nov 1, 2024 Total Assessed Valuation	220,148,310

Note: Loss in overall valuation between July and November

Revenue Neutral Rate	2.714
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

County Clerk's Use Only - November 1, 2024 - Final Assessed Valuation			
County	Final Valuation	County	Final Valuation
Hodgeman County	39,982,248	Pawnee County	25,935,678
Gray County	38,865,404	0	
Ness County	14,833,219	0	
Edwards County	996,807	0	
Lane County	2,639,938	0	
Rush County	715,159	0	
Finney County	13,855,011	0	
Ford County	82,324,846	0	
		Total of all counties:	220,148,310 -

Assisted by:
Adams Brown, LLC

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

Attest: August 22, 2024

County Clerk

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Hodgeman County

2025

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

2024 Budgeted Funds	Tax Levy Amount in 2024 Budget	Allocation for Year 2025				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	601,367	42,741	587	3,421	1,113	140
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	601,367	42,741	587	3,421	1,113	140

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 42,741

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 587

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 3,421

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 1,113

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 140

MVT Factor 0.07107

RVT Factor 0.00098

16/20M Factor 0.00569

Comm Veh Factor 0.00185

Watercraft Factor 0.00023

State of Kansas
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2025

Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
Hodgeman County

Schedule of Transfers

Expenditure Fund Transferred From:	Receipt Fund Transferred To:	Actual Amount for 2023	Current Amount for 2024	Proposed Amount for 2025	Transfers Authorized by Statute
	Totals	0	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	0	0	0	

*Note: Adjustments are required only if the transfer is being made in 2024 and/or 2025 from a non-budgeted fund.

State of Kansas
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Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
Hodgeman County

2025

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Type of Debt	Date of Issue	Interest Rate %	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding Jan 1, 2024	Date Due		Amount Due 2024		Amount Due 2025	
					Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal
General Obligation:										
NONE										
Total G.O.				0			0	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds:										
NONE										
Total Revenue				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, 2024	Payments Due 2024	Payments Due 2025
NONE							
			Total	0	0	0	0

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

Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
Hodgeman County
FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

2025 State of Kansas
Special District

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2023	Current Year Estimate for 2024	Proposed Budget Year for 2025
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	2,314,949	2,081,992	1,787,631
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	584,410	601,367	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	20,875	5,000	5,000
Motor Vehicle Tax	54,360	43,126	42,741
Recreational Vehicle Tax		667	587
16/20M Vehicle Tax		3,232	3,421
Commercial Vehicle Tax		2,387	1,113
Watercraft Tax		136	140
Windfarm Donation	42,817	40,000	40,000
State of Kansas			
Reimbursed Expense	1,778		
Interest on Idle Funds	65,826	25,000	25,000
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**770,066**	**720,915**	**118,002**
Resources Available:	**3,085,015**	**2,802,907**	**1,905,633**
Expenditures:			
Personal Services	207,253	227,979	250,000
Contractual Services	676,754	667,059	690,000
Commodities	31,050	32,603	40,000
Capital Outlay	50,284	50,000	50,000
Studies & Structures	37,635	37,635	50,000
Cash Reserve (2025 column)			1,427,000
Miscellaneous	47		
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**1,003,023**	**1,015,276**	**2,507,000**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	2,081,992	1,787,631	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2023/2024/2025 Budget Authority Amount:	3,010,632	2,751,384	2,507,000
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	2,507,000
		Tax Required	601,367
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	601,367

CPA Summary

No assurance is provided. Substantially all disclosures omitted.

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Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
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Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

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Randy Still
Manager

Proof of Publication

State of Kansas,
County of Hodgeman, ss:

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THAT said newspaper has been published at least weekly 50 times a year and has been so published for at least five years prior to the first publication of the attached notice.

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Affidavit, Notary's Fees $ _____
Additional Copies ____ @ ____ $ _____
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(Signed)

Witness my hand this 1 day of August, 20 24

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this _____

day of _____, 20 ____.

Kelly C Anderson
(Notary Public)

My commission expires 2.7.2026

KELLY C. ANDERSON
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires Feb 7, 2026

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all, Flooring, and More!
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hgcord@fairpoint.net. This position will remain open until filled.

Personal Care Assistant needed for 37 year old male with special needs at home (Burdett). Hours semi flexible, M-F, 39 hours per week. Must be able to lift 50 lbs and pass background check. Pay DOE up to 15.40 hour. Ability to start ASAP. Contact tsmejm@gmail.com or 8167284841.

Thank You

I would like to thank my family and friends for all the food, cards, and calls I received on my 90th. It was great!

Dean Hertel

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Randy Still
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Dawn Wendel
(Signed)

Witness my hand this 31 day of July, 2024

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 31
day of July, 20 24.

Kelly C. Anderson
(Notary Public)

My commission expires 2·7·2026

KELLY C. ANDERSON
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires Feb 7, 2026

(First published in *The Jacksonian* on Wednesday, July 31, 2024.)

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Manager

Pawnee Watershed
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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION: ---Ness County News



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City School

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Wednesday	Thursday	Frid

STATE OF KANSAS, COUNTY OF NESS, ss:

Jerry Clarke, being first duly sworn, Deposes and says: that he is Publisher of Ness County News, a weekly newspaper, published and printed in Ness City, State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Ness County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Ness 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 Ness City, in said County as second class mail 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 weeks, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the **1st day of August, 2024**, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

Jerry Clarke
Jerry Clarke, editor.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **1st day of August, 2024.**

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas
BRANDI REINERT
My Appt Expires 1-8-25

Brandi Reinert
Brandi Reinert, Notary Public.

Publication Fee	**$97.25**
Total Publication Fees	**$97.25**

Filed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

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

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District Magistrate Judge.

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Clerk of the District Court.

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Judge Twenty-fourth Judicial District.

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(Signed)

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Janice K Hogan
(Notary Public)

My commission expires 03-05-26

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas
JANICE K. HOGAN
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Legals

(First published in the Edwards County Sentinel on July 31, 2024)

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

Randy Still
Manager

Proof of Publication

State of Kansas,
County of Lane, ss:

Kimberly George

of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath states that he/she is the editor of THE DIGHTON HERALD.

THAT said newspaper has been published at least weekly 50 times a year and has been so published for at least five years prior to the first publication of the attached notice.

THAT said newspaper was entered as second class matter at the post office of its publication;

THAT said newspaper has a general paid circulation on a daily, weekly, monthly, or yearly basis in LANE County, Kansas and is NOT a trade, religious or fraternal publication and has been printed and published in LANE County, Kansas.

THE ATTACHED was published on the following dates in a regular issue of said newspaper:

1st Publication was made on the 24 day of July, 2024
2nd Publication was made on the ____ day of _____, 20____
3rd Publication was made on the ____ day of _____, 20____
4th Publication was made on the ____ day of _____, 20____
5th Publication was made on the ____ day of _____, 20____
6th Publication was made on the ____ day of _____, 20____

Publication fee	$ 120.00
Affidavit, Notary's Fees	$
Additional Copies ____ @ ____	$
Total Publication Fee	$ 120.00

Kimberly George
(Signed)

Witness my hand this 24 day of July, 2024

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 24 day of July, 2024.

George C. Von Leonrod
(Notary Public)

My commission expires 5/29/2025

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF KANSAS | GEORGE C. VON LEONROD NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF KANSAS My Appt. Exp. 5/29/2025

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State of Kansas
Special District

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
Hodgeman County
will meet on August 19, 2024 at 7:00 PM at 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, 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 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, KS and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Hodgeman County (home county) Gray County, Ness County, Edwards County, Lane County, Rush County
Finney County, Ford County, Pawnee County

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2025 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2024 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2025 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual for 2023		Current Year Estimate for 2024		Proposed Budget Year for 2025		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	1,003,023	2.868	1,015,276	2.657	2,507,000	601,367	2.713
Debt Service							
Totals	1,003,023	2.868	1,015,276	2.657	2,507,000	601,367	2.713
						*Revenue Neutral Rate**	2.714
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	1,003,023		1,015,276		2,507,000		
Total Tax Levied	602,204		601,367		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	209,729,115		226,394,988		221,670,762		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,

	2022	2023	2024
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

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

Randy Still
Manager

Legal
First Published in the Dighton Herald on 7/24/24

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Affidavit of Publication

State of Kansas, } SS.

TIM ENGEL, being first duly sworn, Deposes and says: That he is Publisher of The Rush County News, a weekly newspaper, published and printed in La Crosse, State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Rush County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Rush 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; 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 La Crosse in said County as periodical mail 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 31st day of July, 2024, with subsequent publications being made on the following date(s):

2025 PROPOSED BUDGET

_____, 2024

_____, 2024

Tim Engel
Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July 2024.

Melissa Jay
Notary Public

My commission expires: 4-5-26

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of Kansas
MELISSA JAY
My Appt. Exp. 4-5-26

Printer's Fee $_____

Additional copies $_____

Approved this _____ day of _____, 20_____

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Hodgeman County
will meet on August 19, 2024 at 7:00 PM at 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, 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 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, KS and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Hodgeman County (home county) Gray County, Ness County, Edwards County, Lane County, Rush County
Finney County, Ford County, Pawnee County

BUDGET SUMMARY

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FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	1,003,023	2.868	1,015,276	2.657	2,507,000	601,367	2.713
Debt Service							
Totals	1,003,023	2.868	1,015,276	2.657	2,507,000	601,367	2.713
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*2.714*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	1,003,023		1,015,276		2,507,000		
Total Tax Levied	602,204		601,367		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	209,729,115		226,394,988		221,670,762		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2022	2023	2024
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.
**Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988*

Randy Still
Manager

Column

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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Garden City Telegram
1807 E Mary St. #7
(620) 504-9885 Ext. 2330

I, Lori Sibley, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that I am the Agent of Garden City Telegram, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the city of Garden City, for the County of Finney, in the state of Kansas, that this affidavit is Page 1 of 2 with the full text of the sworn-to notice set forth on the pages that follow, and that the attachment hereto contains the correct copy of what was published in said legal newspaper in consecutive issues on the following dates:

PUBLICATION DATES:
Jul. 27, 2024

Notice ID: dlAuECRjGcnBHuQsvMbx
Publisher ID: 2507170
Notice Name: Pawnee WJD 81

PUBLICATION FEE: $86.85

Lori Sibley
Agent

VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF FINNEY

Signed or attested before me on this

27 day of July, A.D. 2024.

Rhonda Zinn
Notary Public

STATE OF KANSAS NOTARY PUBLIC
RHONDA ZINN
My Appointment Expires
June 2, 2026

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
Hodgeman County
will meet on August 19, 2024 at 7:00 PM at 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, 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 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, KS and will be available at this hearing

SUPPORTING COUNTIES
Hodgeman County (home county) Gray County, Ness County, Edwards County, Lane County, Rush County
Finney County, Ford County, Pawnee County

BUDGET SUMMARY
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	Prior Year Actual for 2023		Current Year Estimate for 2024		Proposed Budget Year for 2025		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	1,003,023	2.868	1,015,276	2.657	2,507,000	601,307	2.713
Debt Service							
Totals	1,003,023	2.868	1,015,276	2.657	2,507,000	601,307	2.713
						Revenue Neutral Rate**	2.714
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	1,003,023		1,015,276		2,507,000		
Total Tax Levied	602,204		601,307		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	209,729,115		226,394,088		221,870,782		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2022	2023	2024
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

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

Randy Stit
Manager

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Published in Garden City Telegram July 27, 2024.

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DODGE CITY DAILY GLOBE

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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The State of Kansas
S.S
County of Ford

I, Lori Sibley, being of lawful age, make oath and say that:
I am Newspaper Operations Manager for Cherry Road Media in the state of Kansas.

Dodge City Daily Globe is a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the City of Dodge City, for the County of Ford, in the State of Kansas. This affidavit is page 1 of 2 with the full text of the sworn-to notice set forth on the pages that follow, and the attachment hereto contains the correct copy of what was published in said legal newspaper in consecutive issues on the following dates.

PUBLICATION DATES:
29 Jul 2023

Notice ID: vFWBM2ppjQ4hdRqBVVAB
Publisher ID: 1319110
Notice Name: Pawnee WS Dist. No. 81

PUBLICATION FEE: $113.85

Lori Sibley

Lori Sibley, Newspaper Operations Manager, Cherry Road Media

VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF FORD

Signed or attested before me on this

2nd day of August A.D. 2023

Rhonda Zinn

Rhonda Zinn / Notary Public

STATE OF KANSAS NOTARY PUBLIC

RHONDA ZINN
My Appointment Expires
June 2, 2026

My Commission Expires: June 6, 2026

Published in
Dodge City Daily Globe
Jul 29, 2023

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 81
Hodgeman County
will meet on August 21, 2023 at 7:00 PM at 20476 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, 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 district office and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES
Hodgeman County (home county) Gray County, Ness County, Edwards County, Lane County, Rush County Finney County, Ford County, Pawnee County

BUDGET SUMMARY
Proposed Budget 2024 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2023 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2024 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual for 2022		Current Year Estimate for 2023		Proposed Budget Year for 2024		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	916,291	2.999	975,012	2.868	2,751,384	601,367	2.740
Debt Service							
Totals	916,291	2.999	975,012	2.868	2,751,384	601,367	2.740
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*2.740*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	916,291		975,012		2,751,384		
Total Tax Levied	602,204		602,204		xxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	200,854,939		209,729,115		219,437,081		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2021	2022	2023
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

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

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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF KANSAS **SS.**

PAWNEE COUNTY

Frank W. Mercer being first duly sworn deposes and says: That he is Publisher of

THE TILLER AND TOILER

A Weekly Newspaper printed in the State of Kansas and published in and for general circulation in Pawnee County, Kansas with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Pawnee County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

SAID newspaper is a 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 Larned 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 ISSUE consecutive, *the first publication thereof* being made as aforesaid on the 25 day of July, 2024 with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

_____, 20____ _____, 20____

_____, 20____ _____, 20____

_____, 20____ _____, 20____

F. W. Mercer

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 25 day of July, 2024.

Patty Smith
Notary Public

My commission expires Jan. 20, 2028

Printer's fee $ 64.33

Additional copies $ _____

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas
PATTY SMITH
My Appt Expires 1-20-28

Proof of Publication

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(First published in The Tiller & Toiler, July 25, 2024) 1t

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Pawnee Watershed Joint District No. 91
Hodgeman County
will meet on August 16, 2024 at 7:00 PM at 20478 SE Highway 283, Antonino, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem taxes.
Detailed budget information is available at 20478 SE Highway 283, Jetmore, KS and will be available at the hearing.

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	Prior Year Actual for 2023		Current Year Estimate for 2024		Proposed Budget Year for 2025		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	3,001,023	2.866	1,015,278	2.867	2,537,000	101,797	2.711
Debt Service							
Totals	3,001,023	2.866	1,015,278	2.867	2,537,000	101,797	2.711
						Revenue Neutral Rate**	2.714
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	3,001,023		1,015,278		2,537,000		
Total Tax Levied	860,304		851,367		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	300,228,118		299,364,949		314,873,743		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2022	2023	2024
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

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Randy Bell
Manager

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