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CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Marion County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Peabody 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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General	79-1962		44,791	876	.074
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Road	68-518c				
Special Road	80-1413				
Noxious Weed	2-1318				
Fire Protection	80-1503				
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	142911	82058	6.941
Budget Hearing Notice				Final County Assessed	County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice				Peabody Township	6,597,733
Rate Hearing Notice				Peabody	5,223,303
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate				0	
				Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	-

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	0.000
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	6.928

Assisted by:
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Attest: Oct 24, 2025
County Clerk

Norma Jean Patton Trustee
Treasurer
Clerk

Governing Body

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

CPA Summary

Peabody 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	0.092	23	47	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
•••	Debt Service	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
•••	Library	7.316	1,837	3,754	29	63	240	12	0	3	11	12
	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	7.408	1,860		29		243		0		11	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (•••)	7.408		3,801		64		12		3		12

Peabody 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
General	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
General	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
Road	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
	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.

Peabody Township
Marion 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				**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
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

WORKSHEET FOR STATE GRANT-IN-AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEMS

Budgeted Year: 2026

Library found in: Peabody Township
Marion County

As provided in KSA 75-2553 *et seq.*, two tests are used to determine eligibility for State Library Grant. If the grant is approved, then the municipality's library will be paid the grant on February 15 of each year.

First test:

	Current Year 2025	Proposed Year 2026
Ad Valorem Tax	$81,080	$81,182
Delinquent Tax	$0	$0
Motor Vehicle Tax	$5,741	$5,591
Recreational Vehicle Tax	$107	$92
16/20M Vehicle Tax	$188	$252
LAVTR	$0	$0
	$0	$0
TOTAL TAXES	$87,116	$87,116
Difference in Total Taxes:	$0	
Qualify for grant: Qualify		

Second test:

Assessed Valuation	$11,076,611	$11,843,929
Did Assessed Valuation Decrease?	No	
Levy Rate	7.316	6.854
Difference in Levy Rate:	(0.462)	
Qualify for grant: Not Qualify		

Overall does the municipality qualify for a grant? **Qualify**

If the municipality would not have qualified for a grant, please see the below narrative for assistance from the State Library.

Peabody 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	37,984	41,265	42,560
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	1,058	1,027	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	66		
Motor Vehicle Tax	107	77	70
Recreational Vehicle Tax	2	1	1
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	10	3	3
Commercial Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
Watercraft Tax	0	0	0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	1,775	895	1,298
Interest Earned	842		
Other	10		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	-7	-8	-18
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**3,863**	**1,995**	**1,355**
Resources Available:	**41,847**	**43,260**	**43,915**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	450	450	450
Insurance	132		
Publications		250	250
Bond			100
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			43,991
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	**582**	**700**	**44,791**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	41,265	42,560	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	35,217	41,106	44,791
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	44,791
		Tax Required	876
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	876

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Debt Service**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
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 misc. 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 Expendi			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amou	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

Adopted Budget **Library**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	5,461	5,461	10,978
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	78,774	81,080	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	2,207		
Motor Vehicle Tax	4,499	5,741	5,591
Recreational Vehicle Tax	67	107	92
16/20M Vehicle Tax	226	188	252
Commercial Vehicle Tax	2	13	3
Watercraft Tax	12	17	23
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	-530	-622	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**85,257**	**86,524**	**5,960**
Resources Available:	**90,718**	**91,985**	**16,938**
Expenditures:			
Library Expense	85,257	81,007	81,007
Cash Forward			17,113
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expendi			
Total Expenditures	**85,257**	**81,007**	**98,120**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	5,461	10,978	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amou	89,149	95,415	98,120
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	98,120
		Tax Required	81,182
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	81,182

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
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Marion County
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BUDGET SUMMARY

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Fund	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	582	0.106	700	0.092	44,791	876	0.074
Debt Service							
Library	85,257	7.890	81,007	7.316	98,120	81,182	6.854
Road							
Special Road							
Noxious Weed							
Fire Protection							
Special Machinery							
Totals	85,839	7.996	81,707	7.408	142,911	82,058	6.928
					*Funds Supported by Township Only - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*0.000*
					*Funds Supported by Township and 3rd Class City - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*6.928*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	85,839		81,707		142,911		
Total Tax Levied	82,097		82,107		xxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	10,266,577		11,076,611		11,843,929		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					6,622,349		

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

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

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

Norma Patton
Trustee

Peabody Township

2026

2026 Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate

Budgeted Funds for 2026	2025 Ad Valorem before Rebate**	2025 Mil Rate before Rebate	Estimate 2026 NR Rebate
General	1,023	0.086	18
Debt Service			0
Library	0		0
Road			0
Special Road			0
Noxious Weed			0
Fire Protection			0
			0
			0
			0
			0
			0
TOTAL	1,023	0.086	18

2025 July 1 Valuation: 11,843,929

Valuation Factor: 11,843.929

Neighborhood Revitalization Subj to Rebate: 209,891

Neighborhood Revitalization factor: 209.891

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

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Norma Patton, Trustee

M-45-2774

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STATE OF KANSAS, MARION COUNTY, ss:

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That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 23rd day of July, 2025 .

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
23rd day of July, 2025

Notary Public, Marion County, Kansas
My appointment expires

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