State of Kansas
City

2026

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of HARPER COUNTY, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

BLUFF CITY

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 expenditure for the various funds for the year 2026; and
(3) the Amount(s) of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations.

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Fund	**K.S.A.**				
General	12-101a	6	16,235	11,991	28.172
Special Highway		7	1,600		
Water		7	20,000		
Totals		xxxxxx	37,835	11,991	28.172
Budget Hearing Notice		8			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					425,631
RNR Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	28.173
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Date Attested: 6/30 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

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

Budgeted Funds for 2025	Ad Valorem Levy Tax Year 2024	Allocation for Proposed Year 2026				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	11,991	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	11,991	0	0	0	0	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

Motor Vehicle Factor 0.00000

Recreational Vehicle Factor 0.00000

16/20 Vehicle Factor 0.00000

Commercial Vehicle Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00000

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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	Equipment				KSA 12-1,117
	Totals	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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STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Type of Debt	Date of Issue	Date of Retirement	Interest Rate %	Amount Issued	Beginning Amt Outstanding Jan 1, 2025	Date Due		Amount Due 2025		Amount Due 2026	
						Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal
General Obligation:											
					None						
Total G.O. Bonds					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Revenue Bonds:											
					None						
Total Revenue Bonds					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Other:											
					None						
Total Other					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Total Indebtedness					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

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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 As Beginning of 2025	Payments Due 2025	Payments Due 2026
				None			
				Totals	**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 Jan 1	29,740	6,733	3,694
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	10,613	11,991	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	139		
Motor Vehicle Tax	724	657	0
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
16/20M Vehicle Tax	9	6	0
Commercial Vehicle Tax		0	0
Watercraft Tax		19	0
Gross Earning (Intangible) Tax		0	0
Local Alcoholic Liquor			
Compensating Use Tax			
Local Sales Tax			
Franchise Tax -KanOkla/Wheatland	482	482	500
Licenses			
Building Permits			
State of Kansas			
In Lieu of Tax (IRB)			
Interest on Idle Funds	41	41	50
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**12,008**	**13,196**	**550**
Resources Available:	**41,748**	**19,929**	**4,244**
Expenditures:			
Salaries & Wages			
Employee Benefits			
Personal Services	4,168	4,168	4,168
Commodities	6,200	6,200	6,200
Contractual	5,867	5,867	5,867
Capital Outlay	18,780		
Transfer to Equipment Fund			
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total E			
Total Expenditures	**35,015**	**16,235**	**16,235**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	6,733	3,694	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount	35,016	16,235	16,235
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	16,235
		Tax Required	11,991
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	**11,991**

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH NO TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget Special Highway	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	193	1	1
Receipts:			
State of Kansas Gas Tax	1,239	1,600	1,600
County Transfers Gas		0	0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**1,239**	**1,600**	**1,600**
Resources Available:	**1,432**	**1,601**	**1,601**
Expenditures:			
Street Repair and Maint	1,431	1,600	1,600
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total E			
Total Expenditures	**1,431**	**1,600**	**1,600**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1	1	1
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	1,432	1,697	1,600

Adopted Budget Water	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	4,219	1,155	1,155
Receipts:			
Charges to Customers	10,139	20,000	18,846
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**10,139**	**20,000**	**18,846**
Resources Available:	**14,358**	**21,155**	**20,001**
Expenditures:			
Distributions & Maintenance	13,203	20,000	20,000
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total E			
Total Expenditures	**13,203**	**20,000**	**20,000**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,155	1,155	1
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	20,000	20,020	20,000

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Special Highway	1,431		1,600		1,600		
Water	13,203		20,000		20,000		
Totals	49,649	44.070	37,835	41.461	37,835	11,991	28.172
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Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	49,649		37,835		37,835		
Total Tax Levied	11,992		11,991		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	272,097		289,212		425,631		

Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
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Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills

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

Heather Struble
City Official Title: City Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF KANSAS
HARPER COUNTY SS

Ross Downing

being first duly sworn. Deposes and says: That he/she is publisher of *The Anthony Republican*, a weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Harper County, Kansas with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Harper 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 then five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at the post office of Anthony, Kansas 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 1 consecutive weeks, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on July 16th, 2025 with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

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_____, 20_____

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Total $158.70

Witness my hand this 16th day of July 2025

(Signed) _____

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 16th day of July, 2025.

Elisha R Downing
Notary Public

ELISHA R. DOWNING
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF KANSAS
My Appt. Expires 11-22-26