STATE OF KANSAS
WEST PLAINS TOWNSHIP
2026

CERTIFICATE

TO THE CLERK OF: MEADE COUNTY, STATE OF KANSAS
WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, DULY ELECTED, QUALIFIED AND ACTING OFFICERS OF

WEST PLAINS TOWNSHIP

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 AND (3) THE AMOUNT(S) OF 2025 AD VALOREM TAX FOR THE VARIOUS FUNDS FOR THE BUDGET YEAR 2026.

			2026 ADOPTED BUDGET		
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FUND	K.S.A.				
ALLOCATION OF MVT, RVT & 16/20M TAX		2			
GENERAL	79-1972	3	0	0	
ROAD	68-518C	4	500,000	~~327,391~~	
WEED	2-1318	5	3,905	306,282.12 0	13,007
			XXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXX	
TOTALS		XXXXXXXX	503,905	~~327,391~~	13,007
PUBLICATION					
FINAL ASSESSED VALUATION					23,547,484

STATE ONLY
RECEIVED _____
REVIEWED BY _____
FOLLOW UP: YES____ NO____

ASSISTED BY:

HAY - RICE & ASSOCIATES, CHARTERED

P O BOX 2707

LIBERAL KS 67905-2707

ATTEST: 9/12, 2025

COUNTY CLERK

GOVERNING BODY

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STATE OF KANSAS
WEST PLAINS TOWNSHIP
2026

ALLOCATION OF MVT, RVT & 16/20M VEHICLE TAX

2026 BUDGETED FUND NAMES	TAX LEVY AMT. IN 2025 BUDGET	ALLOCATION FOR YEAR 2025		
		MVT	RVT	16/20M VEH.
GENERAL		0	0	0
ROAD	335,482	4,290	163	3,498
WEED	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	335,482	4,290	163	3,498
		0.01279		
		MVT FACTOR	0.00049	
			RVT FACTOR	0.01043
				16/20M FACTOR

NOTE: DO NOT ALLOCATE TO NEW, DISCONTINUED, OR ANY FUNDS THAT DID NOT HAVE A TAX LEVY IN 2025 BUDGET.

ADOPTED BUDGET

GENERAL FUND	CODE	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL 2024	CURRENT YEAR ESTIMATE 2025	PROPOSED BUDGET YEAR 2026
UNENCUMBERED CASH BALANCE JANUARY 1		0	0	0
COUNTY TREASURER BALANCE JANUARY 1				XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
RECEIPTS:				
AD VALOREM TAX	T01	0	0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
DELINQUENT TAX	T01	0	0	0
GROSS EARNINGS (INTANGIBLES) TAX	T01			
MOTOR VEHICLE TAX	T01	0	0	0
INTEREST ON IDLE FUNDS	U20			
MISCELLANEOUS	U99			
TOTAL RECEIPTS		0	0	0
RESOURCES AVAILABLE		0	0	0
EXPENDITURES:				
COMMODITIES				
CONTRACTUAL		0	0	0
ROAD MATERIALS TO ROAD FUND				
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		0	0	0
COUNTY TREASURER BALANCE DECEMBER 31	W61		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
UNENCUMBERED CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31	W61	0	0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
BUDGET AUTHORITY		0	0	
			NON-APPROPRIATED BALANCE	
			TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND NON-APPROPRIATED BALANCE	0
			TAX REQUIRED	0
			DELINQUENCY COMPUTATION	
			AMOUNT OF 2025 AD VALOREM TAX	0

ADOPTED BUDGET

ROAD FUND	CODE	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL 2024	CURRENT YEAR ESTIMATE 2025	PROPOSED BUDGET YEAR 2026
UNENCUMBERED CASH BALANCE JANUARY 1		331,390	195,232	244,738
COUNTY TREASURER BALANCE JANUARY 1				XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
RECEIPTS:				
AD VALOREM TAX	T01	209,067	226,756	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
DELINQUENT TAX	T01	149	250	250
GASOLINE TAX	C46	11,879	7,500	7,500
MOTOR VEHICLE TAX	T01	6,410	5,000	5,000
LAVTR	T01			
INTEREST INCOME		961		
REIMBURSEMENT				
NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION REBATE				
TOTAL RECEIPTS		228,466	239,506	12,750
RESOURCES AVAILABLE		559,856	434,738	257,488
EXPENDITURES:				
CONTRACTUAL		364,624	190,000	500,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		364,624	190,000	500,000
COUNTY TREASURER BALANCE DECEMBER 31	W61		XXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
UNENCUMBERED CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31	W61	195,232	244,738	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
BUDGET AUTHORITY		500,000	500,000	
			NON-APPROPRIATED BALANCE	
			TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND NON-APPROPRIATED BALANCE	500,000
			TAX REQUIRED	242,512
			ADJ FOR NEIGHBORHOOD REVIT	84,879
			DELINQUENCY COMPUTATION	
			AMOUNT OF 2025 AD VALOREM TAX	327,391

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ADOPTED BUDGET

WEED	CODE	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL 2024	CURRENT YEAR ESTIMATE 2025	PROPOSED BUDGET YEAR 2026
UNENCUMBERED CASH BALANCE JANUARY 1		5,285	3,905	3,905
COUNTY TREASURER BALANCE JANUARY 1				XXXXXXXXXXXXX
RECEIPTS:				XXXXXXXXXXXXX
AD VALOREM TAX				
DELINQUENT TAX				
MOTOR VEHICLE TAX				
OTHER				
RESOURCES AVAILABLE		5,285	3,905	3,905
EXPENDITURES:				
MEADE CO NOXIOUS WEED		1,380		3,905
OTHER				
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		1,380	0	3,905
COUNTY TREASURER BALANCE DECEMBER 31			XXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXX
UNENCUMBERED CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31		3,905	3,905	XXXXXXXXXXXXX
BUDGET AUTHORITY		4,500	4,500	
NON-APPROPRIATED BALANCE				
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND NON-APPROPRIATED BALANCE				3,905
TAX REQUIRED				0
ADJ FOR NEIGHBORHOOD REVIT				
DELINQUENCY COMPUTATION				
AMOUNT OF 2025 AD VALOREM TAX				0

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent'

THE GOVERNING BODY OF West Plains township **HEREBY NOTIFIES THE** Meade **COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE:**

____ Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate

Our proposed mill levy rate is: _____

Our proposed ad valorem tax (dollar amount) is_____

The date of our hearing is: _____

The time of our hearing is:_____

The location of our hearing is:_____

X No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our budget to the County Clerk on or before August 25, 2024.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on _____, 2024.

(Seal)

Shawn Jacobs

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

NOTE: Notice required to be sent to County Clerk on or before 5 p.m. on July 20, otherwise Revenue Neutral Rate cannot be exceeded. Signed notice may be scanned and sent electronically

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2,026

Schedule of Transfers

Expenditure Fund Transferred From:	Receipt Fund Transferred To:	Actual Amount for 2,024	Current Amount for 2,025	Proposed Amount for 2,026	Transfers Authorized by Statute
	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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2,026

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Type of Debt	Date of Issue	Interest Rate %	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding Jan 1, 2024	Date Due		Amount Due 2,024		Amount Due 2,025	
					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, 2024	Payments Due 2,024	Payments Due 2,025
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

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NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

THE GOVERNING BODY OF WEST PLAINS TOWNSHIP, MEADE COUNTY, KANSAS WILL MEET ON THE 20 DAY OF Sep, 2025 AT 6 PM, AT West Plains Shed FOR THE PURPOSE OF HEARING AND ANSWERING OBJECTIONS OF TAXPAYERS RELATING TO THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND THE AMOUNT OF AD VALOREM AND THE PROPOSED USE OF ALL FUNDS.

DETAILED BUDGET INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AT Meade Courthouse AND WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THIS HEARING.

BUDGET SUMMARY

PROPOSED BUDGET 2026 EXPENDITURES AND AMOUNT OF 2025 AD VALOREM TAX ESTABLISH THE MAXIMUM LIMITS OF THE 2026 BUDGET. THE ESTIMATED TAX RATE* IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON FINAL ASSESSED VALUATION.

	2024		2025		PROPOSED BUDGET 2026		
FUND	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL EXPENDITURES	ACTUAL TAX RATE*	CURRENT YEAR ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES	ACTUAL TAX RATE*	EXPENDITURES	AMOUNT OF 2025 AD VALOREM TAX	EST TAX RATE*
GENERAL	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
ROAD	364,624	14.165	190,000	12.894	500,000	327,391	13.944
WEED	1,380	0.000	0	0.000	3,905	0	0.000
	0						
TOTALS	366,004	14.165	190,000	12.894	503,905	XXXXXXXXXXXX	13.944
REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE**							13.007
LESS: TRANSFERS							
NET EXPENDITURES	366,004		190,000		503,905		
TOTAL TAX LEVIED	305,379		335,482		327,391		
ASSESSED VALUATION							
TOWNSHIP	21,558,831		23,684,039		23,478,532		
TOTAL	21,558,831		23,684,039		23,478,532		

	OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS, JANUARY 1,		
	2024	2025	2026
G.O. BONDS	NONE	NONE	NONE
NO-FUND WARRANTS			

*TAX RATES ARE EXPRESSED IN MILLS.
**REVENUE NETURAL RATE AS DEFINED BY 2021 KANSAS SENATE BILL 13

Shawn Jacobs
TOWNSHIP CLERK

Affidavit of Publication

State of Kansas, County of Meade, ss: Clint D Kuhns, of lawful age, being first duly sworn on oath says that he is the principal clerk – bookkeeper of Meade County News, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Meade, KS; that said newspaper has the following qualifications: (a) it has been published at least fifty (50) times a year and has so published at least five (5) years prior to the first publication of the attached notice; (b) it is entered at the post office as periodical mail matter; (c) it has a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in said county and it is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication; and (d) it is published in Meade County, Kansas; and that the attached legal notice being a copy of Legal Notice as per clipping attached, was published in the regular and entire weekly edition of said newspaper and not any supplement thereof for 1consecutive week(s), the first publication being on the 21st of August 2025, and the last publication being on the 21st day of August 2025.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 2025.

DENICE D. KUHNS
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires

My Appointment Expires: 7/16/27

Publication Fee: 60.00

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GENERAL	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0	0.000
ROAD	364,624	14.165	190,000	12.894	500,000	327,391	13.944
WEED	1,380	0.000	0	0.000	3,905	0	0.000
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OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS, JANUARY 1.

	2024	2025	2026
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NO-FUND WARRANTS			NONE

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