PUBLIC NOTICE

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State of Kansas
Township

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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MORRIS TOWNSHIP
SUMNER COUNTY

will meet on July 22, 2025 at 7:00 P.M. at 890 S Blackstone Rd, Bluff Cy, KS 67103 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.
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Road	80,288	50.182	83,460	49.270	83,695	79,332	72.770
Special Machinery	19,187						
Totals	103,294	52.617	87,754	51.875	87,989	83,513	76.605
*Revenue Neutral Rate***							76.605
Less: Transfers	20,686		0		0		
Net Expenditure	82,608		87,754		87,989		
Total Tax Levied	83,514		83,513		xxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation							
Township	1,587,198		1,609,891		1,090,179		

Outstanding Indebtedness,

Jan 1	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur Prins	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.
***Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by 2021 Kansas Senate Bill 13*

Sandy McGee
Township Treasurer

Sandy McGee

CERTIFICATE 2026

To the Clerk of SUMNER COUNTY, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
MORRIS 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	4,294	4,181	3.833
Road	68-518c	6	83,695	79,332	72.772
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxx	87,989	83,513	76.605
Budget Hearing Notice		7			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					1,090,722
Rate Hearing Notice					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Revenue Neutral Rate	76.605
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Attest: 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

Abil Harper
Sandy McGee
Rick McGee

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

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MORRIS TOWNSHIP 2026

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

Budgeted Funds for 2025	Tax Levy Amount in 2025 Budget	Allocation for Year 2026				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	4,193	96	0	11	0	6
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	79,320	1,814	0	224	0	113
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	83,513	1,910	0	235	0	119

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 1,910

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 235

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 119

MVT Factor 0.02287

RVT Factor 0.00000

16/20M Factor 0.00282

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00142

2026

MORRIS 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	686	-	-	KSA 80-122
Road	Special Machinery	20,000	-	-	KSA 68-141g
Road	Special Machinery				KSA 68-141g
	Total	20,686	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	20,686	0	0	

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

MORRIS TOWNSHIP
SUMNER 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										
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.

MORRIS 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	9	1	1
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	3,634	4,193	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	89		
Motor Vehicle Tax	77	76	96
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
16/20 Vehicle Tax	11	10	11
Commercial Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
Watercraft Tax		7	6
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax		0	0
Sale of Lots			
Refunds			
Reimbursements			
Interest on Idle Funds		8	
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**3,811**	**4,294**	**113**
Resources Available:	**3,820**	**4,295**	**113**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	900	600	600
Salaries & Wages		554	554
Employee Benefits			
Supplies	15	43	43
Equipment			
Buildings Maintenance	68	12	12
Insurance		109	109
Publication	150	76	76
Contractuasl		400	400
Dixon Fire Fund	2,000	2,500	2,500
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)	686		
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**3,819**	**4,294**	**4,294**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1	1	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	3,943	4,294	4,294
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	4,294
		Tax Required	4,181
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	4,181

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MORRIS TOWNSHIP 2026
FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY
Adopted Budget

Road	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	0	0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	74,324	79,320	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,841		
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,589	1,561	1,814
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
16/20M Vehicle Tax	192	207	224
Commercial Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
Watercraft Tax		154	113
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	2,342	2,218	2,211
Refunds			
Reimbursements			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**80,288**	**83,460**	**4,362**
Resources Available:	**80,288**	**83,460**	**4,363**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	1,825	1,440	1,440
Salaries & Wages	7,445	15,976	15,976
Employee Benefits		1,670	1,670
Road Maintenance		360	360
Road Materials	21,701	21,115	21,115
Equipment	4,839	5,192	5,192
Insurance	3,431	2,200	2,435
Contractal	21,047	26,369	26,369
Noxious Weed			
Fuel & Oil		9,138	9,138
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Transfer to Special Machinery	20,000		
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**80,288**	**83,460**	**83,695**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	83,460	83,460	83,695
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	83,695
		Tax Required	79,332
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	79,332

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2024 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	61,874
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	20,000
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	686
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	24,634
Resources Available:	107,194
Total Expenditures	19,187
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