CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Harvey County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Lake 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		0	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	6	142,373	121,386	24.184
Cemetery	80-932	7	5,350	3,726	0.743
		7			
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxx	147,723	125,112	24.927
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Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Revenue Neutral Rate	23.934
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	**YES**

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	5,019,347
	Nov. 1, 2025 Valuation

Assisted by:
Rick Piepho, County Clerk
Carolyn Brock
Address:
612 SW Terrace Avenue
Topeka, KS 66611
Email:
brockck@sbcglobal.net

Attest: 10-1 2025
County Clerk

HARVEY COUNTY Seal KANSAS

clerk
Treasurer

Governing Body

Special Road Election held _____ for ___Mills for ___ years.
First levy in _____.

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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		0	0	0	0	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	116,403	8,225	374	516	1,579	169
Cemetery	3,565	252	11	16	48	5
	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	119,968	8,477	385	532	1,627	174

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 8,477

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 385

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 532

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 1,627

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 174

MVT Factor 0.07066

RVT Factor 0.00321

16/20M Factor 0.00443

Comm Veh Factor 0.01356

Watercraft Factor 0.00145

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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	Road	-			80-1406
Special Machinery	Road	707			68-141g
	Total	707	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	707	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	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										
GO Bond	5/15/2018	4.50	170,000	170,000	July	July	21,536		21,536	
Total G.O. Bonds				170,000			21,536	0	21,536	0
Other										
Total Other				0			0	0	0	0
Total Indebtedness				**170,000**			**21,536**	**0**	**21,536**	**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 you are merely 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 **Road**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	3,336	806	1,561
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	96,636	116,403	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,463		
Motor Vehicle Tax	6,638	7,083	8,225
Recreational Vehicle Tax	301	275	374
16/20M Vehicle Tax	501	469	516
Commercial Vehicle Tax	1,390	1,137	1,579
Watercraft Tax		177	169
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	8,180	7,600	8,000
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	439	484	563
IRS Refund			
Treasurer's Adjustment (annual report)	30		
Impact Fee-Wheat State 36th	2,000		
Rd Improvemnts 72	707		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**118,285**	**133,628**	**19,426**
Resources Available:	**121,621**	**134,434**	**20,987**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	3,000	1,440	1,440
Salaries & Wages	19,852	8,000	8,000
Employee Benefits	6,499	2,500	2,500
Shoulders/Ditches/Culverts		28,000	28,000
Road Materials/Hauling	33,847	23,100	30,600
Equipment Repairs	11,162	14,700	14,700
Insurance	11,645	4,500	4,500
Fuel & Supplies	9,657	10,000	10,000
Weed Control		7,000	7,000
Bond Payment	21,496	21,000	23,000
Building Utilities		11,623	11,623
Building Construction	1,791	1,010	1,010
Accounting	-		
Office Supplies	141		
Mileage			
Budget & Publications	153		
HV Co Treasurer	271		
Transfer to Special Machinery			
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous	1,301		
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**120,815**	**132,873**	**142,373**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	806	1,561	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	124,250	133,873	142,373
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	142,373
		Tax Required	121,386
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	121,386

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	**2024 Actual Year**
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	402
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	0
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	523
Other	
Resources Available:	925
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**925**

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Cemetery**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	149	1,178	1,292
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	3,690	3,565	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	38		
Motor Vehicle Tax	155	270	252
Recreational Vehicle Tax	7	11	11
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		18	16
Commercial Vehicle Tax	32	43	48
Watercraft Tax		7	5
Cash Adjustment (annual report)	-149		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous	71		
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**3,844**	**3,914**	**332**
Resources Available:	**3,993**	**5,092**	**1,624**
Expenditures:			
Maintenance-Mowing	2,775	3,800	5,350
Improvements-Fence			
HV Co. Treasurer			
Repairs	40		
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**2,815**	**3,800**	**5,350**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,178	1,292	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	4,000	4,000	5,350
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	5,350
		Tax Required	3,726
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	3,726

Adopted Budget **0**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1		0	0
Receipts:			
State of Kansas			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Transfer to Road			
Wages			
Road Materials			
Contractual			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	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

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Cemetery	2,815	0.816	3,800	0.742	5,350	3,726	0.742
Special Machinery							
Totals	123,630	22.186	136,673	24.958	147,723	125,112	24.925
*Revenue Neutral Rate***							*23.934*
Less: Transfers	707		0		0		
Net Expenditure	122,923		136,673		147,723		
Total Tax Levied	101,527		119,968		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	4,576,184		4,806,899		5,019,542		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023		2024		2025		
G.O. Bonds	170,000		170,000		170,000		
Lease Purchase Principal	0		0		0		
Total	170,000		170,000		170,000		

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

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

Rodney Redinger
Trustee

Lake Township

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COMBINED NOTICE OF HEARINGS - REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE & BUDGET

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF LAKE TOWNSHIP, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE HARVEY COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

X Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is 24.925. The date of our hearing is 8/27/2025 at 6:30pm and will be held at Lake Township Shop, 8103 S Patterson Rd, Kansas.

* Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to the form when submitted to the County Clerk(s)

_____ No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our budget to the County Clerk on or before October 1, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on 19 June, 2025.

(Seal)

Clerk

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

Column
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Harvey County Now
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(316) 281-7899

I, Joey Young, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that I am the Publisher of Harvey County Now, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the city of Newton, for the County of Harvey, 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. 31, 2025

Notice ID: zeubjPeKOw2kyjSTT3WY
Publisher ID: 107622-Lake Twp - 2025 RNR & Budget Hearing-HCN
Notice Name: Lake Twp - 2025 RNR & Budget Hearing

PUBLICATION FEE: $52.80

Publisher

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STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF HARVEY

Signed or attested before me on this

1st day of Aug., A.D. 2025.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10-17-2027

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Rodney Redinger
Trustee

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LAKE TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-1

A RESOLUTION OF THE LAKE TOWNSHIP, KANSAS TO LEVY A PROPERTY TAX RATE EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the Lake Township was calculated as 23.934 mills by the Harvey County Clerk; and

WHEREAS, the budget proposed by the Governing Body of the Lake Township will require the levy of a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body held a hearing on 8/27/2025 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Lake Township, having heard testimony, still finds it necessary to exceed the Revenue Neutral rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE LAKE TOWNSHIP:

The Lake Township shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 23.934 mills.

This resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and shall remain in effect until future action is taken by the Governing Body.

ADOPTED this 27 day of Aug (month), 2025 and SIGNED by the Governing Body.

_____, Trustee

_____, Treasurer

_____, Clerk

Roll Call Vote

Governing Body Members (please print)	Yes	No	No Vote
Ty Miller	X		
Edgar D. Blubaugh	X		
Total			

Attested: _____