CERTIFICATE 2026

To the Clerk of McPherson County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Turkey Creek Township
certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
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Revenue Neutral Rate	10.543
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	**YES**

Assisted by:
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rwitte@mcpcoks.us

Attest: 9-10 2025
Hallie D. Mellroy
County Clerk

Governing Body

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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	106,480	5,684	160	100	159	15
	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	106,480	5,684	160	100	159	15

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 5,684

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 160

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 100

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 159

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 15

MVT Factor 0.05338

RVT Factor 0.00150

16/20M Factor 0.00094

Comm Veh Factor 0.00149

Watercraft Factor 0.00014

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Turkey Creek 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	15,000	-	-	KSA 68-141g
	Total	15,000	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	15,000	0	0	

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

Turkey Creek Township
McPherson County

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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										
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, 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.

Turkey Creek 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	6,598	2,370	100
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	48		
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20 M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	624	430	1,115
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**672**	**430**	**1,115**
Resources Available:	**7,270**	**2,800**	**1,215**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay			
Salaries & Wages			
Employee Benefits			
Supplies			
Equipment			
Buildings Maintenance			
Insurance	4,900	2,700	1,200
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)			
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avai			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**4,900**	**2,700**	**1,200**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	2,370	100	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	4,986	2,714	1,200
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	1,200
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	2.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	0

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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	33,620	22,810	8,285
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	107,947	104,350	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,367	350	350
Motor Vehicle Tax	5,635	5,632	5,684
Recreational Vehicle Tax	184	236	160
16/20M Vehicle Tax	122	102	100
Commercial Vehicle Tax	157	312	159
Watercraft Tax		22	15
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	4,014	4,021	4,015
Interest on Idle Funds	202	100	100
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**119,628**	**115,125**	**10,583**
Resources Available:	**153,248**	**137,935**	**18,868**
Expenditures:			
Board Per Diem	3,000	3,000	3,000
Salaries & Wages	45,420	46,000	47,000
Employee Benefits	25,565	27,000	27,500
Road Maintenance	10,457	12,500	13,000
Road Materials	25,230	25,000	25,000
Equipment		10,000	26,100
Insurance	5,766	6,150	6,600
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Transfer to Special Machinery	15,000		
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**130,438**	**129,650**	**148,200**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	22,810	8,285	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	138,100	129,650	148,200
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	148,200
		Tax Required	129,332
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	2.0%	2,587
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	131,919

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	**2024 Actual Year**
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	127,565
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	15,000
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	
Resources Available:	142,565
Total Expenditures	48,840
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**93,725**

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Totals	184,178	10.334	132,350	10.336	149,400	131,919	13.061
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Less: Transfers	15,000		0		0		
Net Expenditure	169,178		132,350		149,400		
Total Tax Levied	110,578		106,480		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	10,701,389		10,302,427		10,100,296		
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		

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Norman Schmidt
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SUPPORTING COUNTIES
McPherson County

Revenue Neutral Rate*	10.543	Proposed Tax Rate	13.061

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County of Orange

Signed or attested before me on this: 08/07/2025

Notary Public

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF **Turkey Creek**

HEREBY NOTIFIES THE MCPHERSON COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE:

X Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate

Our proposed mill levy rate is: 13.061

Our proposed ad valorem tax (dollar amount) is: 131,919

The date of our hearing is: 9-10-2025

The time of our hearing is: 9:00 A.M.

The location of our hearing is: 311 16th Ave
Moundridge, KS

_____ 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, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on 7/12, 2025

(Seal)

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.

Roll Call Vote

A Roll Call Vote of the Turkey Creek Township To Levy a Property Tax Exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate

Hearing to Exceed Revenue Neutral Rate Held on September 10, 2025
Resolution No. 2025-01

Governing Body Member	Yes	No	No Vote
Tim Kaminkow	x		
Ian Smith	x		
Dusty Krehbiel	x		
Total	3		

Certified:

Resolution No. 2025 - 01

A RESOLUTION OF THE TURKEY CREEK TOWNSHIP, KANSAS TO LEVY A PROPERTY TAX RATE EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the Turkey Creek Township was calculated as 10.543 mills by the McPherson County Clerk; and

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

WHEREAS, the Governing Body held a hearing on September 10, 2025 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Turkey Creek 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 TURKEY CREEK TOWNSHIP:

The Turkey Creek Township shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 10.543 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 10th day of September 2025 and SIGNED by the Governing Body.

Attested:

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