State of Kansas
Special District
2024

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Montgomery County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Bee Creek Watershed Joint District No. 15 of Chautauqua & Montgomery
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 expenditures for the various funds for the year 2024; and
(3) the Amount(s) of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2024 Budget.

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Totals		xxxxxxxx	104,130	18,648	2.641 ✓
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Final County Assessed Valuation	County Clerk's Use Only
Montgomery County	5,653,920
Chautauqua County	1,406,102
0	
0	
0	
Nov 1, 2023 Total Assessed Valuation	7,060,022

Montgomery – 5,653,920
Chautauqua – 1,406,102
Total – 7,060,022

Revenue Neutral Rate: 2.650

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Date Attested: _____, 2023

Montgomery County, Kansas SEAL 8423 County Clerk CLERK
Charlotte Schmett
County Clerk

PRES. _____
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Sec.-Treas. Dennis & Barbara

Governing Body

CPA Summary

BEE CREEK WATERSHED DIST. 15

(Published in the Montgomery County Chronicle on Thursday, Aug. 10, 2023)

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of

Bee Creek Watershed Joint District No. 15 of Chautauqua & Montgomery

Montgomery County

will meet on August 21, 2023 at 7:00pm at Hillcrest Headquarters for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information is available at Hillcrest Headquarters and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Montgomery County (home county) Chautauqua County

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2024 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2023 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2024 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2022		Current Year Estimate for 2023		Proposed Budget Year for 2024		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	49,201	3.094	53,200	2.780	104,130	18,648	2.650
Debt Service							
Totals	49,201	3.094	53,200	2.780	104,130	18,648	2.650
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	2.650
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	49,201		53,200		104,130		
Total Tax Levied	18,958		18,647		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	6,127,466		6,707,342		7,036,917		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,

	2021	2022	2023
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills

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

Dennis Bayless

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Bee Creek Joint District #15
Notice of budget hearing

Andrew R. Taylor of lawful age, being duly sworn, deposes and says he or she represents the publisher of:

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a weekly newspaper in the City of Caney, County of Montgomery, State of Kansas, and of general circulation in said county and which has been admitted to the U.S. Mail as a second class matter in said county, and which said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said county during the period of one year immediately prior to the first publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned.

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and again on -----.

The affiant further says that he or she has personal knowledge of the statements above set forth and that they are true.

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Andy Taylor
Signature

State of Kansas, Montgomery County.
Subscribed and sworn to before me

this *11th* day of *August*, *2023*.

KATHY TAYLOR
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires 05-09-2027

Kathy Taylor
Notary Public