CERTIFICATE 2022

To the Clerk of Barton County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Independent 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 2022; and (3) the Amount(s) of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2022 Budget.

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Fund	K.S.A.					
General	79-1962		9,200	7,887	.919	.99
~~Debt Service~~	~~10-113~~					
Library	12-1220		30,900	27,739	3.219	3.219
Road	68-518c		115,400	106,090	19.422	19.546
~~Special Road~~	~~80-1413~~					
~~Noxious Weed~~	~~2-1318~~					
~~Fire Protection~~	~~80-1503~~					
Special Machinery	12-1494					
Totals		xxxxxx	155,500	141,716	23.560	23.684
Budget Summary		0				
Neighborhood Revitalization						

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Independent Township	5,462,274
Claflin	3,068,133
Total Assessed Valuation	8,530,407
	Nov. 1, 2021 Valuation

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Attest: September 9, 2021 LATE
Don Ammerman
County Clerk

Governing Body

CPA Summary

Special Road Election held: ____ for ___ Mills for ___ years.
First Levy in ____.

BARTON COUNTY KANSAS SEAL COUNTY CLERK

Independent Township

2022

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

	Budgeted Funds for 2021	Tax Levies in the 2021 Budget	Allocation for Year 2022									
			MVT - Township	MVT - City	RVT - Township	RVT - City	16/20M - Township	16/20 - City	CommVeh - Twnshp	CommVeh - City	Wtrcraft - Township	Wtrcraft - City
***	General	0.924	247	657	3	12	41 43	4	2	12	3	10
***	Debt Service	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***	Library	3.238	866	2,303	11	42	146 152	15	6	42	11	34
	Road	19.108	5,113		64		882 894		35		66	
	Special Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Noxious Weed	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Fire Protection	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	23.270	6,227		78		1,089		43		81	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***)	4.162		2,961		54		20		54		43

2022

Independent Township

Schedule of Transfers

Expenditure Fund Transferred From:	Receipt Fund Transferred To:	Actual Amount for 2020	Current Amount for 2021	Proposed Amount for 2022	Transfers Authorized by Statute
Road	Special Machinery	13,000	-	-	68-141g
	Total	13,000	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	13,000	0	0	

*Note: Adjustments are required only if the transfer is being made in 2021 and/or 2022 from a non-budgeted fund.

WORKSHEET FOR STATE GRANT-IN-AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEMS

Budgeted Year: 2022

Library found in: Independent Township
Barton County

Two tests are used to determine eligibility for State Library Grant. If the grant is approved, then the municipality's library will be paid the grant on February 15 of each year.

First test:

	Current Year 2021	Proposed Year 2022
Ad Valorem Tax	$27,277 ✓	$27,739 ✓
Delinquent Tax	$0 ✓	$0 ✓
Motor Vehicle Tax	$2,983 ✓	$3,170 ✓
Recreational Vehicle Tax	$50 ✓	$53 ✓
16/20M Vehicle Tax	$71 ✓	~~$167~~ 181
LAVTR	$0	$0
	$0	$0
TOTAL TAXES	$30,381	~~$31,128~~ 31,143
Difference in Total Taxes:	~~$747~~ 762	
Qualify for grant: Qualify ✓		

Second test:

Assessed Valuation	$8,423,206 ✓	$8,531,636 ✓
Did Assessed Valuation Decrease?	No ✓	
Levy Rate	3.238 ✓	3.251 ✓
Difference in Levy Rate:	0.013 ✓	
Qualify for grant: Qualify ✓		

Overall does the municipality qualify for a grant? **Qualify** ✓

If the municipality would not have qualified for a grant, please see the below narrative for assistance from the State Library.

Independent Township 2022

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2020	Current Year Estimate for 2021	Proposed Budget Year for 2022
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	473	311	410
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	6,628	7,784	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	285	748	
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,038	12	905
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	21 16	15
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	20	28	48
Commercial Vehicle Tax	39	11	14
Watercraft Tax			13
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Correcting Entry	3		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**8,013**	**8,599**	**994**
Resources Available:	**8,486**	**8,910**	**1,404**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	600	1,800	1,200
Salaries & Wages		0	
Employee Benefits	155	1,150	1,000
Supplies	7,420	500	1,750
Equipment			
Buildings Maintenance		800	1,000
Insurance		4,250	4,250
Cash Forward (2022 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	**8,175**	**8,500**	**9,200**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	311	410	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2020/2021/2022 Budget Authority Amount:	8,500	8,500	9,200
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	9,200
		Tax Required	7,796
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.2%	91
		Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax	7,887

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget

Road	Prior Year Actual for 2020	Current Year Estimate for 2021	Proposed Budget Year for 2022
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	655	419 ~~291~~	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	99,045	105,639	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,408	0	
Motor Vehicle Tax	4,336	3,883	5,113
Recreational Vehicle Tax		64	64
16/20M Vehicle Tax	319	284	~~892~~ 894
Commercial Vehicle Tax	29	53	35
Watercraft Tax		65	66
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	4,917	3,824	4,364
John Deere Refund	328		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	110,382 **110,054**	**113,812**	**10,537**
Resources Available:	111,037 **110,709**	114,431 ~~114,103~~	**10,537**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	1,063	1,725	1,200
Salaries & Wages	12,402	13,476	17,500
Employee Benefits	4,117	0	4,200
Road Maintenance	44,464	38,000	51,500
Road Materials	35,372	34,493	41,000
Equipment		14737 ~~14,409~~	
Liability Insurance		4,000	
Contract Services		8,000	
Cash Forward (2022 column)			
Transfer to Special Machinery	13,000		
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**110,418**	114,431 **114,103**	**115,400**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	419 291	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
2020/2021/2022 Budget Authority Amount:	112,610	114,610	115,400
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	115,400
		Tax Required	104,863
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.2%	1,227
		Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax	106,090

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2020 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	~~167,235~~ 147,773
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	13,000
General Fund (No Levy)	0
General Fund (Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	1,315
Other	
Resources Available:	~~181,550~~ 162,088
Total Expenditures	114,771
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	66,779 47,317

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Debt Service**	Prior Year Actual for 2020	Current Year Estimate for 2021	Proposed Budget Year for 2022
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	0	0	0
Resources Available:	0	0	0
Expenditures:			
Cash Basis Reserve (2022 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expendi			
Total Expenditures	0	0	0
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2020/2021/2022 Budget Authority Amou	0	0	0
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	0
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.2%	0
		Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax	0

Adopted Budget **Library**	Prior Year Actual for 2020	Current Year Estimate for 2021	Proposed Budget Year for 2022
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	0	0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	26,675	27,277	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	995		
Motor Vehicle Tax	3,508	2,983	3,170
Recreational Vehicle Tax		50	53
16/20M Vehicle Tax	81	71	167
Commercial Vehicle Tax	146	111	48
Watercraft Tax		46	45
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	31,405	30,538	3,482
Resources Available:	31,405	30,538	3,482
Expenditures:			
Funds To Library Board	31,405	30,538	30,900
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expendi			
Total Expenditures	31,405	30,538	30,900
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2020/2021/2022 Budget Authority Amou	30,900	30,900	30,900
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab A		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	30,900
		Tax Required	27,418
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.2%	321
		Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax	27,739

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STATE OF KANSAS

BARTON COUNTY

SS.

Proof of Publication

Karma Byers

of lawful age, duly sworn upon oath states that she

is the Production Manager

of **THE GREAT BEND TRIBUNE**

THAT said newspaper has been published at least weekly fifty (50) times a year and has been so published for at least five years prior to the first publication of the attached notice:

THAT said paper was entered as second class mail matter at the post office of its publication:

THAT said paper has a general paid circulation on a daily, or weekly, or monthly, or yearly basis in

BARTON County, Kansas, and is

NOT a trade, religious or fraternal publication and has been PRINTED and published in BARTON County, Kansas.

That the attached notice was published in a regular issue of said newspaper

for 1 consecutive weeks, the first publication being on the 10th day of Sept 2021 and the last publication on the 10th day of Sept 2021

Publication Fee	$ 52.91
Affidavit, Notary's Fees	$
Additional Copies ___ at ___	$
Total Publication Fee	$

(Sign) Karma Byers

Witness my hand this 10th day of Sept, 2021

SUBSCRIBED and Sworn to before me this 10th day of Sept 2021

(Notary Public)

My comission expires 12/2/23

State of Kansas -Notary Pub!
JANA HESTAND
My Commission Expires 12/2/23

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(Published in the Great Bend Tribune, September 10, 2021) -1t

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

THE GOVERNING BODY OF

INDEPENDENT TOWNSHIP, BARTON COUNTY

will meet on September 21, 2021, at 8:00 p.m., at

RANDY OESER RESIDENCE, 101 6TH STREET, CLAFLIN, KS

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.

Detailed budget information is available at

RANDY OESER RESIDENCE, 101 6TH STREET, CLAFLIN, KS

and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2022 Expenditures and Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2022 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual for 2020		Current Year Estimate for 2021		Proposed Budget for 2022		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budg. Author. Expenditures	Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax	Estimate Tax Rate*
General	8,175	0.763	8,500	0.924	9,200	7,887	0.924
Debt Service							
Library	31,405	3.071	30,538	3.238	30,900	27,739	3.251
Road	110,418	16.293	114,103	19.108	115,400	106,090	19.422
Special Road							
Noxious Weed							
Fire Protection							
Special Machinery	114,771						
TOTALS	264,769	20.127	153,141	23.270	155,500	141,716	23.597
						Revenue Neutral Rate**	23.684
						Revenue Neutral Rate (Includes Third Class City Funds)**	23.684
Less: Transfers	13,000		0		0		
Net Expenditure	251,769		153,141		155,500		
Total Tax Levied	136,850		140,700		xxxxxxxxx		
Ass'd Valuation	8,996,360		-8,423,206		8,531,636		
Township Ass'd Valuation	6,282,943		5,528,385		5,462,459		

OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS, JANUARY 1

	2019	2020	2021
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purch Princ.	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills

**Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by 2021 Kansas Senate Bill 13

Randy Oeser, Township Trustee

State of Kansas
Township

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Independent Township
Barton County
will meet on 9/21/2021 at 8:00 PM at Randy Oeser residence, 101 6th Street, Claflin, KS 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.
Detailed budget information is available at Randy Oeser residence, 101 6th Street, Claflin, KS and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2022 Expenditures and Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2022 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2020		Current Year Estimate 2021		Proposed Budget 2022		
Fund	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2021 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	8,175	0.763	8,500	0.924	9,200	7,887	0.924
~~Debt Service~~							
Library	31,405	3.071	30,538	3.238	30,900	27,739	3.251
Road	110,418	16.293	114,103	19.108	115,400	106,090	19.422
~~Special Road~~							
~~Noxious Weed~~							
~~Fire Protection~~							
Special Machinery	114,771						
Totals	264,769	20.127	153,141	23.270	155,500	141,716	23.597
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*23.684*
				*Revenue Neutral Rate (Inlcudes Third Class City Funds)***			*23.684*
Less: Transfers	13,000		0		0		
Net Expenditure	251,769		153,141		155,500		
Total Tax Levied	136,850		140,700		xxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	8,996,360		8,423,206		8,531,636		
Township Assessed Valuation	6,282,943		5,528,385		5,462,459		

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Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2019	2020	2021
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

***Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by 2021 Kansas Senate Bill 13*

Randy Oeser
Trustee

August 17, 2021

Donna Zimmerman
Barton County Clerk/Election Officer
1400 Main Street – Room 202
Great Bend, KS 67530

RE: Budget Extension

Dear Ms. Zimmerman:

Independent Township requests an extension of time to file the 2022 Operating Budget until September 25, 2021.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Signed: _____

Printed: Ryan Oeser