CERTIFICATE 2026

To the Clerk of BARTON COUNTY, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
CLEVELAND 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	8,851	8,555	2.245
Road	68-518c	6	121,023	98,115	26.318
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Totals		xxxxxx	129,874	106,670	28.613
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County Clerk's Use Only

Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	28.601
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Attest: 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

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

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CLEVELAND 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	8,586	182	3	13	31	6
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	98,424	2,170	36	157	373	73
	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	107,010	2,352	39	170	405	79

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

MVT Factor 0.00000

RVT Factor 0.00000

16/20M Factor 0.00000

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00000

2026

CLEVELAND 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	26,000	-	-	KSA 68-141g
	Total	26,000	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	26,000	0	0	

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

CLEVELAND TOWNSHIP
BARTON 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.

CLEVELAND 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	19	60	60
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	7,913	8,586	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	312		
Motor Vehicle Tax	207	217	182
Recreational Vehicle Tax		3	3
Delinquent Tax	12	10	13
Commercial Vehicle Tax	36	28	31
Watercraft Tax		7	6
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax		0	0
Sale of Lots			
Refunds			
Reimbursements			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**8,480**	**8,851**	**235**
Resources Available:	**8,499**	**8,911**	**296**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	4,424	600	600
Salaries & Wages	2,128	2,019	2,019
Employee Benefits		850	850
Supplies	249	82	82
Equipment	75	500	500
Buildings Maintenance			
Insurance	264	2,750	2,750
Publication	75	100	100
Contractuasl	350	350	350
Fire (Clafflin Fire Dept)		1,600	1,600
Rent	875		
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 Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**8,439**	**8,851**	**8,851**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	60	60	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	8,851	8,851	8,851
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	8,851
		Tax Required	8,555
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	8,555

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CLEVELAND 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	199	16,755	15,655
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	94,961	98,424	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	3,102		
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,998	2,592	2,170
Recreational Vehicle Tax		39	36
16/20M Vehicle Tax	119	93	157
Commercial Vehicle Tax	343	329	373
Watercraft Tax		84	73
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	5,089	5,082	4,444
Refunds			
Reimbursements			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**105,612**	**106,643**	**7,253**
Resources Available:	**105,811**	**123,398**	**22,908**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay		1,440	1,440
Salaries & Wages	21,130	15,500	15,500
Employee Benefits		7,632	7,632
Road Maintenance		19,837	19,837
Road Materials	22,500	25,159	38,439
Equipment		6,041	6,041
Insurance	8,759	5,500	5,500
Contractal		7,000	7,000
Noxious Weed	3,667	2,000	2,000
Fuel & Oil	7,000	17,634	17,634
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Transfer to Special Machinery	26,000		
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**89,056**	**107,743**	**121,023**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	16,755	15,655	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	107,743	107,743	121,023
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	121,023
		Tax Required	98,115
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	98,115

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2024 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	38,795
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	26,000
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	3,377
Other	758
Resources Available:	68,930
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**68,930**

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CLEVELAND TOWNSHIP 2026

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH NO TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Fema**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	9,442	3,132	3,132
Receipts:			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**9,442**	**3,132**	**3,132**
Expenditures:			
Road Maintenance	6,310		
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**6,310**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	3,132	3,132	3,132
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	6,310	0	0

Adopted Budget

0	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	0
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	0	0	0

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF CLEVELAND TOWNSHIP **, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE** _____ **COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;**

Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is _____. The date of our hearing is _____ at _____ AM/PM and will be held at _____ address in _____, Kansas.

*** Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to this form when submitted to the county clerk(s).**

X

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 7-16, 2025.

(Seal)

Brian Hoffman

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Fema	6,310						
Special Machinery							
Totals	103,805	28.379	116,594	27.752	129,874	106,670	28.601
*Revenue Neutral Rate***							*28.601*
Less: Transfers	26,000		0		0		
Net Expenditure	77,805		116,594		129,874		
Total Tax Levied	107,071		107,010		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation: Township	3,770,825		3,843,781		3,729,612		

Outstanding Indebtedness,

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

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PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF KANSAS
BARTON COUNTY

SS.

Audra Musil

of lawful age, duly sworn upon oath states that she

is the Legals Clerk

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 19th day of July 2025 and the last publication on the 19th day of July 2025.

Publication Fee $49.80

Affidavit, Notary's Fees $_____

Additional Copies_____at_____ $_____

Total Publication Fee $_____

(Sign) Audra Musil

Witness my hand this 21st day of July, 2025

SUBSCRIBED and Sworn to before me this 21st

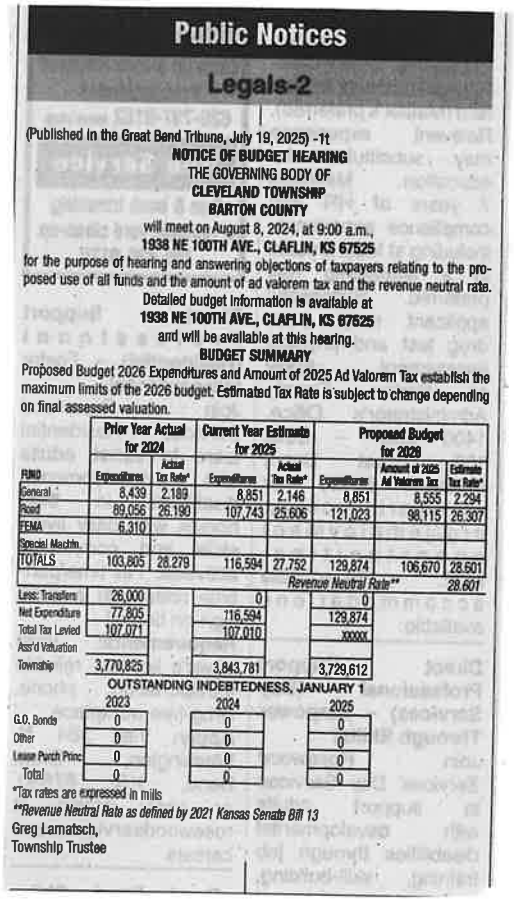
day of July 2025

Linda Pringle

(Notary Public)

NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF KANSAS
Linda Pringle
My Appt. Exp. 3-3-29

My commission expires _____



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OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS, JANUARY 1

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