State of Kansas
Special District
2025

CERTIFICATE

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Fire District # 1

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NO RNR Hearing

Revenue Neutral Rate: 4.473

Assisted by:
Carolyn Brock

Address:
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Topeka KS 66611
Email:
brockck@sbcglobal.net

Jack [illegible] — President
Matthew S[illegible] — V-President
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Attest: _____, 2024

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

2024 Budgeted Funds	Tax Levy Amount in 2024 Budget	Allocation for Year 2025				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	26,756	1,854	44	174	12	24
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	26,756	1,854	44	174	12	24

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 1,854

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County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 12

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 24

MVT Factor 0.06929

RVT Factor 0.00164

16/20M Factor 0.00650

Comm Veh Factor 0.00045

Watercraft Factor 0.00090

2025

Fire District # 1
Cherokee County

Schedule of Transfers

Expenditure Fund Transferred From:	Receipt Fund Transferred To:	Actual Amount for 2023	Current Amount for 2024	Proposed Amount for 2025	Transfers Authorized by Statute
None					
	Totals	0	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	0	0	0	

*Note: Adjustments are required only if the transfer is being made in 2024 and/or 2025 from a non-budgeted fund.

Fire District # 1
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2025

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Type of Debt	Date of Issue	Interest Rate %	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding Jan 1, 2024	Date Due		Amount Due 2024		Amount Due 2025	
					Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal
General Obligation:										
Total G.O.				0			0	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds:										
Total Revenue				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, 2024	Payments Due 2024	Payments Due 2025
Building	12/31/2012	240	3.14	80,000	54,422	5,442	5,442
Building (2)	4/7/2022	240	3.14	186,209	176,899	9,310	9,310
1999 Pumper	1/13/2020	60	4.00	22,463	4,494	4,492	4,492
2020 Ford	2/14/2020	84	4.00	40,230	17,242	5,745	5,745
			Total	**328,902**	**253,057**	**24,989**	**24,989**

***If leasing/renting with no intent to purchase, do not list--such transactions are not lease-purchases.

Fire District # 1
Cherokee County
FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

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Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2023	Current Year Estimate for 2024	Proposed Budget Year for 2025
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	10,009	1,373	1,199
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	29,688	26,756	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		2,471	1,854
Recreational Vehicle Tax		35	44
16/20M Vehicle Tax		346	174
Commercial Vehicle Tax		20	12
Watercraft Tax		28	24
			0
Townships Contribution	8,825	9,000	9,000
Donations	500		
Sale of Equipment			
Insurance Refund	500		
Refunds	110		
Lola Township			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**39,623**	**38,656**	**11,108**
Resources Available:	**49,632**	**40,029**	**12,307**
Expenditures:			
Building Maintenance			
Utilities	2,763	3,000	3,000
Insurance	5,026	5,000	5,000
Building-Lease Payments	5,747	5,442	5,442
Building New Addition	9,310	9,310	9,310
Tanker Truck-Lease Purchase			
1999 Pumper	4,492	4,492	4,492
2020 Ford	5,745	5,745	5,745
Repairs	463	1,000	1,000
Supplies	44	500	500
Fuel	840	757	757
Equipment	12,386		
Equipment Maintenance		3,434	3,567
Storm Shelder			0
Budget & Publications	146	150	250
Legal/Accountant Fees			
Licenses/Dues			
Firefighters Fund			
Uniforms			
Radios			
Mileage			
Miscellaneous	1,297		
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**48,259**	**38,830**	**39,063**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,373	1,199	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2023/2024/2025 Budget Authority Amount:	55,523	38,830	39,063
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	39,063
		Tax Required	26,756
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	26,756

CPA Summary

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

2025

THE GOVERNING BODY OF Fire District # 1, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE Cherokee 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 4.472. The date of our hearing is 0 at 0 and will be held at 0, Kansas.

XXXX 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, 2024.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on June 25, 2024.

(Seal)

_____
Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

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2025 Special District

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						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*4.473*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	48,259		38,830		39,063		
Total Tax Levied	26,756		26,756		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	5,513,683		5,851,602		5,983,056		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2022	2023	2024
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	108,453	288,287	253,057
Total	108,453	288,287	253,057

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.
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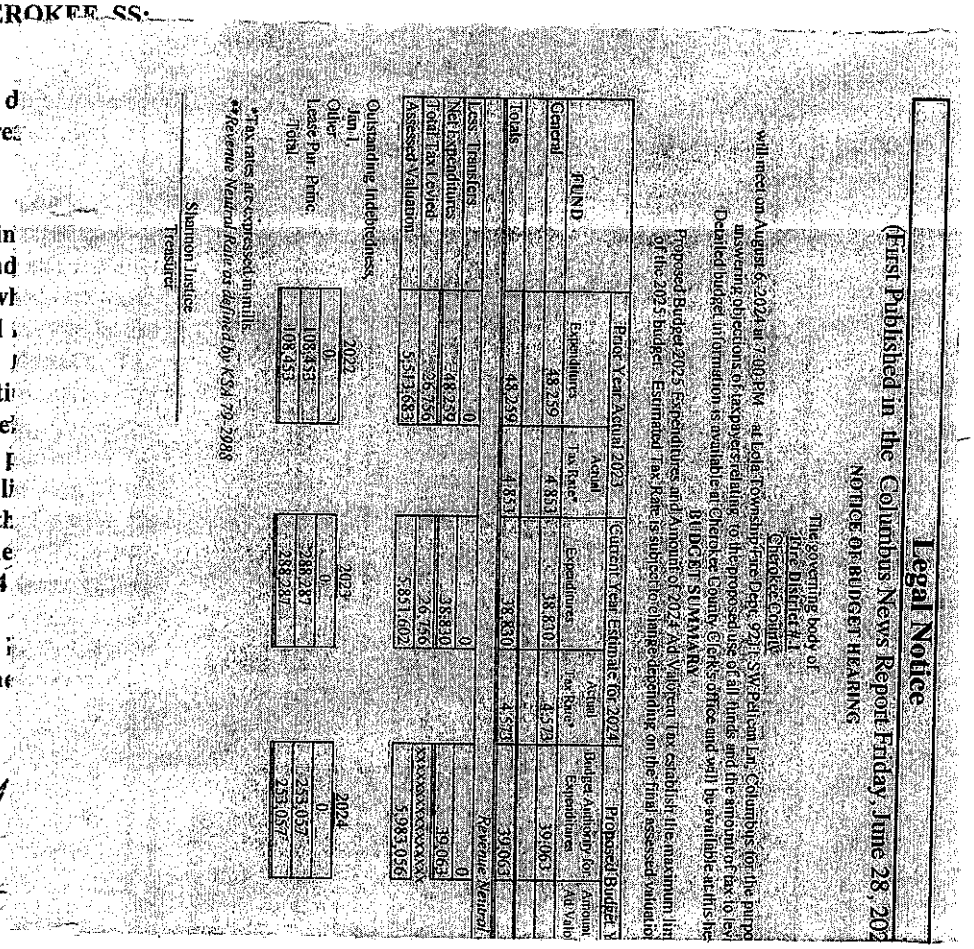
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June 28, 2024

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: December 29, 2024

Printer's Fee: $45.00 paid

SHERRY L. WASHBURN
Notary Public, State of Kansas
My Appointment Expires

STATEMENT OF BONDED & FLOATING INDEBTEDNESS

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of indebtedness of Cherokee County Fire Dist. No 1, County of Cherokee, Kansas,
(Township, City, or School Dist.)

In conformity with K.S.A. 10-1007a, as of June 30, 20 24.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Indicate "General Obligation" "Revenue" or "Industrial Revenue" Bond	Date of Issue			Date of Maturity			Amount of Bonded Indebtedness	Statutory Authority For Issue
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		

TEMPORARY NOTES

Purpose	Date of Issue			Date of Maturity			Amount Outstanding	Statutory Authority For Issue
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		
1999 E-ONE Pumper	1	13	20	1	13	25	44936	
50'x60' Pre Engineered BLD	12	31	13	12	31	33	54421 60	
2020 Ford	2	14	20	2	13	27	17242 21	
Building Improvement	4	7	22	12	31	42	176898 22	

NO-FUND WARRANTS

Purpose	Date of Maturity			Amount Outstanding	Statutory Authority For Issue
	Month	Day	Year		

STATE OF KANSAS, Cherokee, COUNTY, ss.

I, Shannon Justice, (Recording Officer) Of Said Cherokee County Fire Dist. (Township, City or School Dist.) Fire Dist.

Do hereby certify the above to be a full and correct statement of the indebtedness of the said _____ as of June 30, 20 24.

_____ 20____

NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASE AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

2024 Cherokee County Revenue Neutral Rate Notice

This is NOT a bill. Do not remit payment.

Owner ID #: OSWE00006
Owner Name: OSWEGO CITY OF

Of:
ier Address: 703 5TH ST
OSWEGO, KS 67356-2003

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION	
Parcel #:	15613000000010100000
Property:	0 SW HALLOWELL RD COLUMBUS, KS 66725
Legal:	S13, T33, R21, ACRES 78.51, N/2 NE4 LE
Tax Unit:	60 LOLA

This notice contains estimates of the tax on your property and proposed property tax increases.
THE ACTUAL TAX ON YOUR PROPERTY MAY INCREASE OR DECREASE FROM THESE ESTIMATES.

Governing bodies of taxing subdivisions must vote in order to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate to increase the total property taxes collected. Governing bodies will vote at public hearings at the dates, times, and locations listed. Taxpayers may attend and comment at the hearings. Property tax statements will be issued after mill rates are finalized and taxes are calculated in November.

Property Values

Class	Prior Year Appraised	Prior Year Assessed	Current Year Appraised	Current Year Assessed
AR - AGRICULTURAL RURAL	6,540	1,962	6,540	1,962
	6,540	**1,962**	**6,540**	**1,962**

Taxing Subdivision	2023 Tax	2024 Tax at Revenue Neutral Rate	2024 Maximum Tax	2024 Maximum Tax Exceeding 2023 Tax	
				Amount	Percent
State	$ 2.94	$ 2.76	$ 2.94	$ 0.00	0.000
County	$ 67.30	$ 63.09	$ 64.88	-$ 2.42	-3.596
LOLA FIRE DIST #1	$ 8.97	$ 8.78	$ 8.76	-$ 0.19	-2.118
SEK LIBRARY	$ 2.92	$ 2.69	$ 2.84	-$ 0.08	-2.740
USD 493 - GENERAL	$ 39.24	$ 40.87	$ 40.87	$ 1.63	4.154
USD 493 - CAPITAL OU	$ 15.69	$ 15.01	$ 15.70	$ 0.01	0.064
USD 493	$ 50.51	$ 48.33	$ 50.49	-$ 0.02	-0.040
LOLA TWSP	$ 5.01	$ 4.90	$ 4.90	-$ 0.11	-2.196

Taxing Subdivision	Date, Time and Location of Public Hearing	2024 Maximum Tax Exceeding Tax at Revenue Neutral Rate
State	No Hearing Required per KSA 79-2988	$ 0.18
County	Hearing Date 8-26-2024, County Courthouse, 110 W Maple St Columbus, KS at 11:00AM Hearing Date 8-26-2024, County Courthouse, 110 W Maple St Columbus, KS. at 11:00AM Hearing Date 8-26-2024, County Courthouse, 110 W Maple St Columbus, KS.at 11:00AM	$ 1.79
LOLA FIRE DIST #1	No Hearing Required per KSA 79-2988	$ 0.00
SEK LIBRARY	Hearing Date 9-06-2024, SEK Impact Conference Center, Chanute, KS at 1:00pm	$ 0.15
USD 493 - GENERAL	Hearing Date 9-09-2024, 802 High School Ave. Columbus, KS at 5:45pm	$ 0.00
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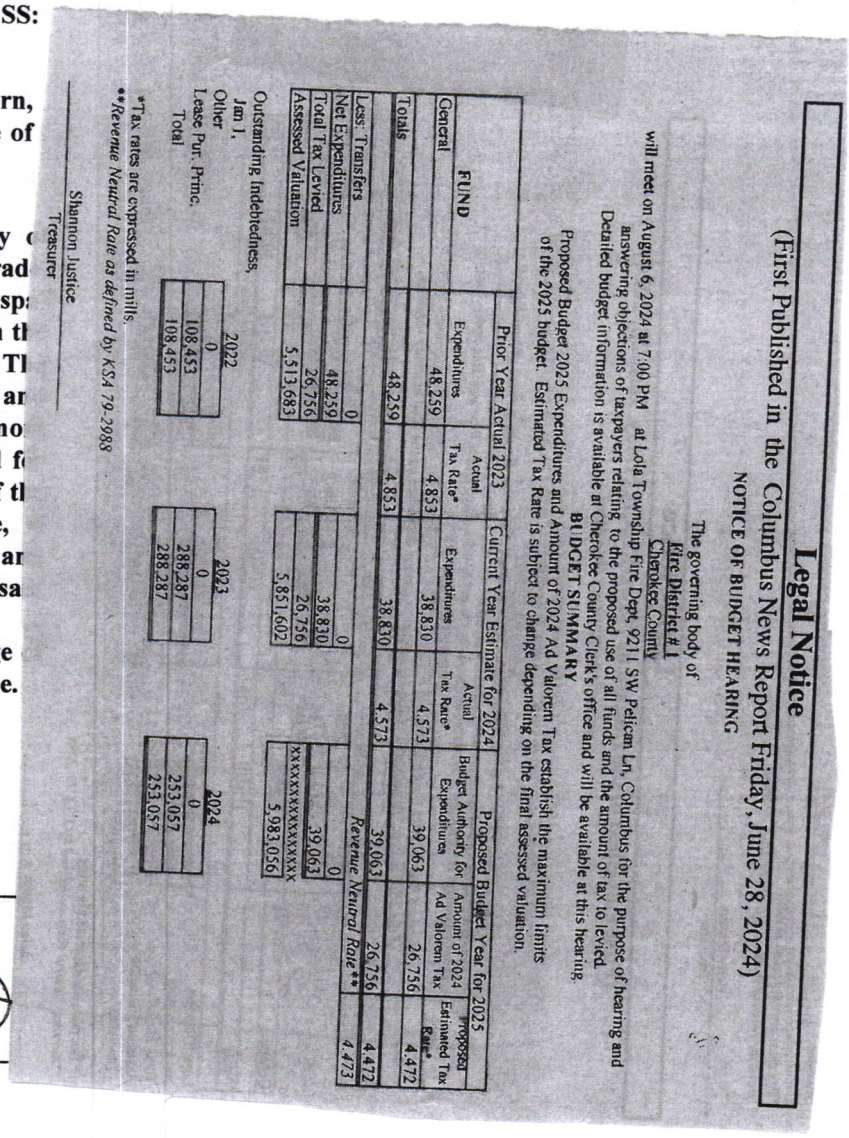
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