CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Saline County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Elm Creek 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.				
Cemetery	80-932	5	5,864		
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	5,864	0	0
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Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

County Clerk's Use Only
18,911,933
Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	0.221
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:
Saline County Clerk's Office

Address:
300 W Ash St, Room 215
Salina, KS 67401
Email:
sc.clerk@salinecountyks.gov

Attest: October 28 2025
Tami Boss
County Clerk

SALINE COUNTY COUNTY CLERK STATE OF KANSAS

7-22-2025
7-22-2025
7-22-25

Governing Body

Special Road Election held
First levy in

for Mills for years.

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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	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cemetery	4,174	300	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	4,174	300	0	0	0	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 300

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 0.07187

RVT Factor 0.00000

16/20M Factor 0.00000

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00000

Elm Creek Township 2026

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	-	-	-	
NONE					
	Total	0	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	0	0	0	

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

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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										
NONE										
Total G.O. Bonds										
Other				0			0	0	0	0
Total Other										
Total Indebtedness				0			0	0	0	0
				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.

Elm Creek Township

2026

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget

Cemetery	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	3,675	8,107	6,731
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	4,189	4,174	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	32		
Motor Vehicle Tax	421	250	300
Recreational Vehicle Tax	13	0	0
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	3	0	0
Commercial Vehicle Tax	28	0	0
Watercraft Tax		0	0
Sale Of Lots	800		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**5,486**	**4,424**	**300**
Resources Available:	**9,161**	**12,531**	**7,031**
Expenditures:			
Budget Publication	54		64
Maintenance	1,000	4,000	4,000
General Expense		1,500	1,500
RNR Mailing		300	300
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**1,054**	**5,800**	**5,864**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	8,107	6,731	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	6,800	5,800	5,864
		Non-Appropriated Balance	293
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	6,157
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	0

Saline County Clerk/Election Office

Jamie R Doss – County Clerk/Election Officer

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

PURSUANT TO K.S.A 79-1460, 79-1801, 79-2024, 79-2925c

THE GOVERNING BODY OF Elm Creek **, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE SALINE COUNTY CLERK THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE INTENT;**

_____ 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.

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 7-14, 2025

(Seal)

Myrna A Stilling
Clerk or Officer of 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.

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Salina311
P.O. Box 3257
Salina, KS 67402
(785) 256-0841

I, Joshua Barnhart, of lawful age. being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that I am the Operations Director of Salina311, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the for the County of Saline, in the state of Kansas, that this affidavit is Page 1 of 2 with the full text of the sworn-to notice set forth on the pages that follow, and that the attachment hereto contains the correct copy of what was published in said legal newspaper in consecutive issues on the following dates:

PUBLICATION DATES:

7/20/25

Publication Fee: $72

Joshua Barnhart

Signature

Verification

STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF SALINE

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas
STEPHANIE TINAY
My Appt. Exp. 5-27-28

7/21/25

SEE PROOF NEXT PAGE

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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ELM CREEK TOWNSHIP SALINE COUNTY

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Net Expenditure	1,054		5,800		5,864		
Total Tax Levied	4,198		4,174		xxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation							
Township	17,662,742		18,047,180		18,905,420		

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