State of Kansas
Special District
2025

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Morris County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Diamond Creek Watershed No. 61
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 2025; and
(3) the Amount(s) of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2025 Budget.

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Fund	**K.S.A.**				
General	24-1219	5	187,706	13,310	1.749
Debt Service	10-113				
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Totals		xxxxxxx	187,706	13,310	1.749
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Neighborhood Revitalization					

Final County Assessed Valuation	County Clerk's Use Only
Morris County	5,212,281
Chase County	2,392,991
0	
0	
0	
Nov 1, 2024 Total Assessed Valuation	7,605,272

Revenue Neutral Rate	1.749

Assisted by:
Morris County Clerk
Chelsey Schmidt
Address:
501 West Main Street
Council Grove, KS 66846
Email:
cschmidt@morriscountyks.org

Date Attested: November 1st, 2024

Chelsey Schmidt
County Clerk

COUNTY CLERK ★ SEAL ★ MORRIS COUNTY, KANSAS

Governing Body

CPA Summary

Diamond Creek Watershed No. 61
Morris County

2025

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	13,310	844	29	128	0	3
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	13,310	844	29	128	0	3

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 844

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 29

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 128

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 3

MVT Factor 0.06341

RVT Factor 0.00218

16/20M Factor 0.00962

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00023

2025

Diamond Creek Watershed No. 61
Morris 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.

Diamond Creek Watershed No. 61
Morris County

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:										
NONE										
Total G.O.				0			0	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds:										
NONE										
Total Revenue				0			0	0	0	0
Other:										
NONE										
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
NONE							
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2023	Current Year Estimate for 2024	Proposed Budget Year for 2025
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	195,794	189,032	173,392
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	13,131	13,310	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	241		
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,060	854	844
Recreational Vehicle Tax	33	19	29
16/20M Vehicle Tax	157	174	128
Commercial Vehicle Tax		3	0
Watercraft Tax			3
LAVTR			0
In Lieu of Taxes (IRB)			
Interest on Idle Funds	4,342		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**18,964**	**14,360**	**1,004**
Resources Available:	**214,758**	**203,392**	**174,396**
Expenditures:			
Operations	726	30,000	187,706
Withdrawal into CD	25,000		
Cash Forward (2025 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditure			
Total Expenditures	**25,726**	**30,000**	**187,706**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	189,032	173,392	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2023/2024/2025 Budget Authority Amount	184,700	185,235	187,706
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	187,706
		Tax Required	13,310
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	13,310

CPA Summary

Diamond Creek Watershed No. 61 **NON-BUDGETED FUNDS** 2025

(Only the actual budget year for 2023 is reported)

Non-Budgeted Funds

(1) Fund Name:		(2) Fund Name:		(3) Fund Name:		(4) Fund Name:		(5) Fund Name:		
Structure Maintenance			**0**		**0**		**0**		**0**	
Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Total
Cash Balance Jan 1	124,439	Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		124,439
Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		
Interest	1,395									
Interest	537									
New CD	25,000									
Total Receipts	26,932	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	26,932
Resources Available:	151,371	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	151,371
Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		
Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	0
Cash Balance Dec 31	151,371	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	151,371 **
										151,371 **

** Note: These two block figures should agree.

CPA Summary

State of Kansas
Special District

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Diamond Creek Watershed No. 61
Morris County
will meet on August 15th, 2024 at 7:30 PM at Burdick Community Center, Burdick, Kansas 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 avaiable at Morris County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES
Morris County (home county) Chase County

BUDGET SUMMARY
Proposed Budget 2025 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2024 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2025 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

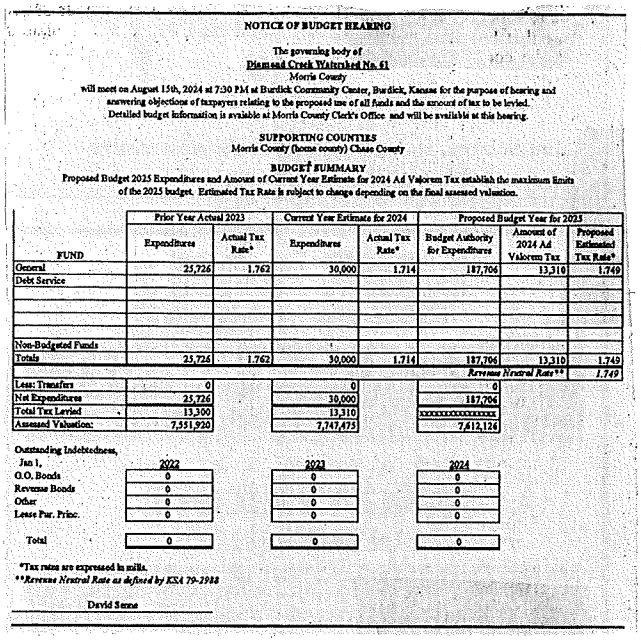
	Prior Year Actual 2023		Current Year Estimate for 2024		Proposed Budget Year for 2025		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	25,726	1.762	30,000	1.714	187,706	13,310	1.749
Debt Service							
Non-Budgeted Funds							
Totals	25,726	1.762	30,000	1.714	187,706	13,310	1.749
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*1.749*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	25,726		30,000		187,706		
Total Tax Levied	13,300		13,310		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:	7,551,920		7,747,475		7,612,126		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2022	2023	2024
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*

David Senne

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION



NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Pleasant Creek Watershed No. 61
Morris County
will meet on August 15th, 2024 at 7:30 PM at Burdick Community Center, Burdick, Kansas 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 Morris County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES
Morris County (home county) Chase County

BUDGET SUMMARY
Proposed Budget 2025 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2024 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2025 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2023		Current Year Estimate for 2024		Proposed Budget Year for 2025		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	25,726	1.762	30,000	1.714	187,706	13,310	1.749
Debt Service							
Non-Budgeted Funds							
Totals	25,726	1.762	30,000	1.714	187,706	13,310	1.749
						Revenue Neutral Rate**	1.749
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	25,726		30,000		187,706		
Total Tax Levied	13,300		13,310		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:	7,551,920		7,747,475		7,612,126		

Outstanding Indebtedness,

Jan 1,	2022	2023	2024
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

David Senne

State of Kansas, }
Morris County } ss.

JAN SCIACCA, being first duly sworn, Deposes and says: That she is an employee of the Council Grove Republican, a daily Newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Morris County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a daily basis in Morris County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a daily published at least weekly 50 times a year, has been so published continuously and uninterruptedly in said county and state for a period of more than five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at the post office of Council Grove in said County as second class matter.
That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for one time, the publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 1st day of August, 2024.

Jan Sciacca

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of August, 2024

Christy Jamerson

NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF KANSAS
CHRISTY JAMERSON
MY APPT. EXPIRES 9-3-25

Column
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Chase County Leader News
109 W. 6th Ave
(620) 342-4800

I, Bettina Shank, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that I am the Operations Manager of Chase County Leader News, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the city of Emporia, for the County of Chase, 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:
Aug. 3, 2024

Notice ID: YByKtVnfd2rkiBfhbSfX
Notice Name: Diamond Creek BH

PUBLICATION FEE: $30.83

Bettina Shank
Operations Manager

VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF CHASE

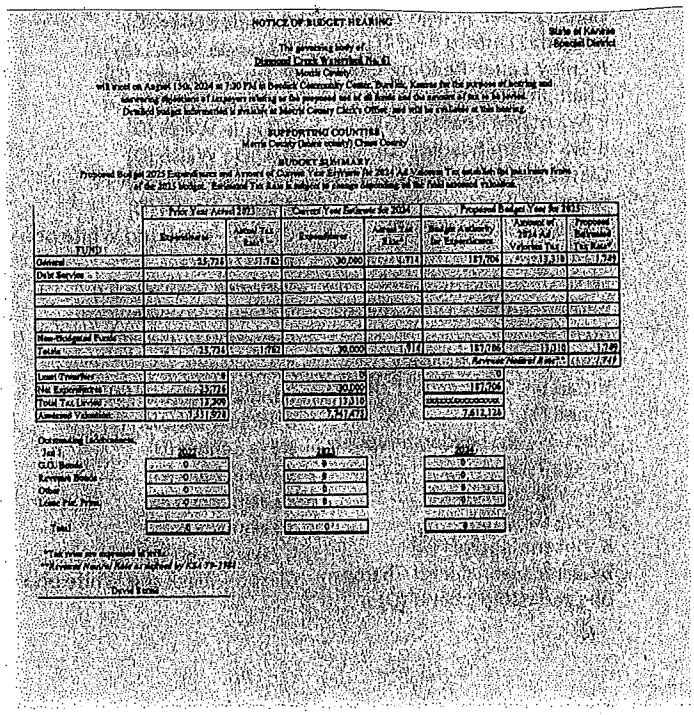
NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF KANSAS
LISA M. STUEVE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF KANSAS
My Appt. Exp. 04-10-2027

Signed or attested before me on this
1st day of August, A.D. 2024.

Lisa M. Stueve
Notary Public

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

State of Kansas
Special District

The governing body of

Diamond Creek Watershed No. 01

Morris County

will meet on August 13th, 2024 at 7:30 PM in Dunlap Community Center, Dunlap, Kansas 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 Morris County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES
Morris County (home county) Chase County

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2025 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2024 Ad Valorem Tax will be the same from the 2025 Budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2023		Current Year Estimate for 2024		Proposed Budget Year for 2025		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate *	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate *	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2024 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimate Tax Rate *
General	15,731	1.763	30,000	0.714	187,704	13,318	1.749
Debt Service							
Non-Budgeted Funds							
Totals	15,731	1.763	30,000	1.111	187,704	13,318	1.749
						Revenues Neutral Rate**	(1.111)
Less: Transfers					0		
Net Expenditure	15,731		30,000		187,704		
Total Tax Levied	17,209		13,318				
Assessed Valuation	11,311,971		7,747,471		7,613,123		

Outstanding Indebtedness

	2022	2023	2024
Jan 1			
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Princ.	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

* Tax rates are expressed in mills
** Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988

David Smith

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF DIAMOND CREEK WATERSHED NO. 61, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE MORRIS 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.

X 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, 2023.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on July 20, 2024.

(Seal)

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body
Morris County Clerk

RNR: 1.749

William A. Kassebaum