CERTIFICATE 2026

To the Clerk of Crawford County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Sherman 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		11,425	7,220	.747
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Cemetery			12,000	8,105	.838
Fire			49,155	43,547	4.502
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	72,580	58,872	6.087
Budget Hearing Notice					
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

County Clerk's Use Only
9,672,137
Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	6.096
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Attest: 8/5 2025

County Clerk

Township Trustee

Township Clerk

Township Treas.

8/4/25

Governing Body

Sherman Township
Crawford County

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	9,927	935	15	154	0	11
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cemetery	8,693	819	13	134	0	10
Fire	40,230	3,789	60	622	0	45
	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	58,850	5,543	88	910	0	66

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 5,543

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 88

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 910

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 66

MVT Factor 0.09419

RVT Factor 0.00150

16/20M Factor 0.01546

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00112

2026

Sherman 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	-	-	-	
	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.

Sherman Township
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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										
Total G.O. Bonds				0			0	0	0	0
Other										
Total Other				0			0	0	0	0
Total Indebtedness				**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
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

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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	299	2,710	3,150
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	11,341	9,927	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	143	177	150
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,185	1,143	935
Recreational Vehicle Tax	20	16	15
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	174	177	154
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			11
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**12,863**	**11,440**	**1,265**
Resources Available:	**13,162**	**14,150**	**4,415**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	5,700	5,800	5,800
Mowing	1,925	2,000	2,000
Donations	650	650	650
Office Supplies	479	1,000	1,000
Utilities	888	800	1,000
Sewer	240	240	250
Publication	210	210	225
Tax	281	300	500
Transfer to Fire	79		
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 Avai			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**10,452**	**11,000**	**11,425**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	2,710	3,150	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	12,500	11,425	11,425
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	11,425
		Tax Required	7,010
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	3.0%	210
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	7,220

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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	3,929	5,231	3,055
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	9,045	8,693	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	113	63	100
Motor Vehicle Tax	944	915	819
Recreational Vehicle Tax	16	10	13
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	134	143	134
Commercial Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
Watercraft Tax			10
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**10,252**	**9,824**	**1,076**
Resources Available:	**14,181**	**15,055**	**4,131**
Expenditures:			
Supplies	50	50	50
Mowing	7,900	10,000	10,000
Expenses	1,000	1,950	1,950
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**8,950**	**12,000**	**12,000**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	5,231	3,055	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	12,000	12,000	12,000
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	12,000
		Tax Required	7,869
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	3.0%	236
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	8,105

Adopted Budget

Fire	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	6	10	2,239
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	37,711	40,230	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	525	297	200
Motor Vehicle Tax	4,395	3,985	3,789
Recreational Vehicle Tax	76	60	60
16/20M Vehicle Tax	640	657	622
Commercial Vehicle Tax	0	0	0
Watercraft Tax			45
Transfer from General	79		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**43,426**	**45,229**	**4,716**
Resources Available:	**43,432**	**45,239**	**6,955**
Expenditures:			
wages	650		
Equipment	5,500	6,000	7,000
Supplies	4,453	4,500	8,155
Insurance	9,533	9,500	10,000
Fuel	1,655	1,700	1,700
Utilities	3,251	3,250	3,250
Loan	13,774	14,000	15,000
Mileage	4,325	4,050	4,050
Tax	281		
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**43,422**	**43,000**	**49,155**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	10	2,239	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	43,000	43,000	49,155
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab A		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	49,155
		Tax Required	42,200
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	3.0%	1,266
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	43,466

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

County of Crawford, State of Kansas

See attachment for sample copy.

Hometown Girard
PO Box 298
Girard, Kansas 66743
620-704-5882

Sherman Township,
Notice of Budget Hearing –
Proposed Budget for 2026

I, **Philip Stevens**, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that I am the Publisher of Hometown Girard, a weekly newspaper that is printed in the State of Kansas, and published in the County of Crawford, Kansas, with a general paid circulation. The said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication. Said newspaper is a weekly publication published 52 times per year.

The attachment hereto contains a true and correct copy of what was published in the regular edition of said newspaper, and not in a supplement, in consecutive issues on the following dates:

PUBLICATION DATES:

July 24, 2025

Philip Stevens, Publisher

Signed and sworn to before me
on this 29 day of July, 2025.

Notary Public

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ANDREA L SIEBERT
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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Sherman Township
Crawford County
will meet on 08/04/2025 at 4:30pm at Farlington Town Hall 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 Crawford County Clerk Office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2024		Current Year Estimate 2025		Proposed Budget 2026		
Fund	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	10,452	1.291	11,000	1.078	11,425	7,220	0.748
Cemetery	8,950	1.030	12,000	0.944	12,000	8,105	0.839
Fire	43,422	4.293	43,000	4.367	49,155	43,466	4.500
Totals	62,824	6.614	66,000	6.389	72,580	58,791	6.087
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*6.096*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	62,824		66,000		72,580		
Total Tax Levied	58,850		58,850		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	8,898,426		9,212,357		9,658,532		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023		2024		2025		
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 KSA 79-2988*

Marilyn VonSoosten
Treasurer