CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Harvey County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Garden 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			0	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	5	96,057	81,692	101425
Special Machinery		5			
Totals		xxxxxx	96,057	81,692	
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Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Revenue Neutral Rate: 6.939

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

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	11,796,895
	Nov. 1, 2025 Valuation

Assisted by:
Rick Piepho, County Clerk
Carolyn Brock
Address:
612 SW Terrace Avenue
Topeka, KS 66611
Email:
brockck@sbcglobal.net

Attest: 10-1 2025
County Clerk

HARVEY COUNTY KANSAS

Corey Lohrenz
Paul Strausz
Philip Lohrenz

Governing Body

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

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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	81,692	4,820	96	146	1,187	44
	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	81,692	4,820	96	146	1,187	44

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 4,820

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 96

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 146

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 1,187

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 44

MVT Factor 0.05900

RVT Factor 0.00118

16/20M Factor 0.00179

Comm Veh Factor 0.01453

Watercraft Factor 0.00054

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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
Road	Special Machinery	-			68-141g
	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										
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
None							
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

***If you are merely 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 **Road**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	1,993	793	772
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	80,354	81,692	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	637		
Motor Vehicle Tax	4,048	3,891	4,820
Recreational Vehicle Tax	81	87	96
16/20M Vehicle Tax	139	147	146
Commercial Vehicle Tax	663	1,014	1,187
Watercraft Tax		48	44
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	7,480	7,000	7,300
Cash Adjustment (annual report)	50		
Sale of Materials-Culvert			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**93,452**	**93,879**	**13,593**
Resources Available:	**95,445**	**94,672**	**14,365**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	3,600	3,000	3,000
Salaries & Wages	5,239	6,700	6,700
Employee Benefits		1,000	1,000
Road Maintenance	10,220	11,000	10,000
Road Materials	32,126	33,075	34,000
Culverts			
Equipment/Machine Hire (Mowing)	2,090	10,125	10,125
Equipment & Repairs	281		
Noxious Weeds		3,500	3,500
Insurance	6,270	6,500	6,500
Oil & Fuel	9,515	8,500	9,382
Budget & Publications	161		200
Accountant	124		150
J Deere Lease	5,976	6,000	6,000
MKCU Machine Fund	19,000	4,000	5,500
Transfer to Special Machinery			
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous	50	500	
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**94,652**	**93,900**	**96,057**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	793	772	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	95,025	100,900	96,057
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	96,057
		Tax Required	81,692
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	81,692

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	**2024 Actual Year**
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	100,668
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	0
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
MKCU	969
Interest on Idle Funds	406
Cash Adjustment (annual report)	-50
Resources Available:	101,993
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**101,993**

CPA Summary

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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*Revenue Neutral Rate***							*6.939*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	94,652		93,900		96,057		
Total Tax Levied	81,174		81,692		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	11,375,563		11,449,534		11,773,886		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023		2024		2025		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	0		0		0		
Total	0		0		0		

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Philip Lohrenz
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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

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THE GOVERNING BODY OF Garden Township, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE Harvey 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 6.938. The date of our hearing is 08/21/2025 at 7:00 PM and will be held at Philip Lohrenz's residence, 5325 N Golden Prairie Rd, Burrton , Kansas.

* Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to the 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 Occtober 1, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on _____, 2025.

(Seal)

Corey Lohrenz
Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

Paul Stevens

Philip Lohrenz

The Newton Kansan

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