CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Edwards County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Wayne 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	6	87,406	73,067	10.102 *
Debt Service	10-113	7			
Library	12-1220	7	21,050	20,991	2.902 *
Road	68-518c	8	80,444	66,330	13.004
Special Road	80-1413				
Noxious Weed	2-1318				
Fire Protection	80-1503	9	10,182	7,319	1.435
		9			
Special Machinery		8			
Totals		xxxxxx	199081.8	167707.58	27.443
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Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Final County Assessed	County Clerk's Use Only
Wayne Township	5,100,555
Lewis	2,132,160
0	
Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	7,232,715 *

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	14.467
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	13.022
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

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Attest: Nov. 1 2025
Gina L. Schwelt
County Clerk

EDWARDS COUNTY CLERK SEAL KANSAS

Governing Body

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

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Wayne Township

2026

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

	Budgeted Funds for 2025	Tax Levies in the 2025 Budget	Allocation for Year 2026									
			MVT - Township	MVT - City	RVT - Township	RVT - City	16/20M - Township	16/20 - City	CommVeh - Twnshp	CommVeh - City	Wtrcraft - Township	Wtrcraft - City
***	General	10.392	4,019	0	30	0	743	0	458	0	15	0
***	Debt Service	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***	Library	2.548	985	0	7	0	182	0	112	0	4	0
	Road	12.593	4,871		36		901		554		18	
	Special Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Noxious Weed	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Fire Protection	1.610	623		5		115		71		2	
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	27.143	10,498		78		1,941		1,195		38	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***)	12.940		0		0		0		0		0

Wayne 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
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.

Wayne Township
Edwards County

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				**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
J D Grader	8/2020	84	3.30	170,000	62,345	24,286	24,286
				Total	**62,345**	**24,286**	**24,286**

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

WORKSHEET FOR STATE GRANT-IN-AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEMS

Budgeted Year: 2026

Library found in: Wayne Township
Edwards County

As provided in KSA 79-2933 *et seq.*, two tests are used to determine eligibility for State Library Grant. If the grant is approved, then the municipality's library will be paid the grant on February 15 of each year.

First test:

	Current Year 2025	Proposed Year 2026
Ad Valorem Tax	$18,522	$20,991
Delinquent Tax	$0	$0
Motor Vehicle Tax	$949	$985
Recreational Vehicle Tax	$7	$7
16/20M Vehicle Tax	$160	$182
LAVTR	$0	$0
	$0	$0
TOTAL TAXES	$19,638	$22,166
Difference in Total Taxes:	$2,528	
Qualify for grant: Qualify		

Second test:

Assessed Valuation	$7,269,001	$7,223,061
Did Assessed Valuation Decrease?	Yes	
Levy Rate	2.548	2.906
Difference in Levy Rate:	0.358	
Qualify for grant: Qualify		

Overall does the municipality qualify for a grant? **Qualify**

If the municipality would not have qualified for a grant, please see the below narrative for assistance from the State Library.

Wayne Township 2026

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	25,779	11,125	6,475
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	54,464	75,536	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	160		
Motor Vehicle Tax	2,306	3,824	4,019
Recreational Vehicle Tax	10	29	30
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	753	646	743
Commercial Vehicle Tax	175	508	458
Watercraft Tax	13	15	15
LAVTR			0
			0
City of Lewis Distribution	24,639	XXXXX	XXXXX
Cemetery	800		
Hall Rent	2,450	2,000	2,000
Donations	200		
US Tax Refund			
Nettleton Overpayment	1,313		
Reimbursement	835		
AG Refund	127		
Sale of Equipment			
Interest on Idle Funds	1,210	600	600
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**89,455**	**83,158**	**7,864**
Resources Available:	**115,234**	**94,283**	**14,339**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay		4,600	4,600
Salaries & Wages	7,584	12,000	12,000
Employee Benefits	2,558	5,000	5,000
Supplies	532	6,500	6,500
Equipment Repairs	24,342	15,000	15,000
Insurance	7,215	9,000	9,000
Cemetery	4,098	13,000	13,000
Hall Maintenance/ Utilities	2,702	7,000	7,000
Other Operations	2,622	13,858	13,406
Lease Purchase Payments	52,000		
Budget & Publications	302	350	400
Accounting Service (Intuit)	154	1,500	1,500
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	**104,109**	**87,808**	**87,406**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	11,125	6,475	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	85,627	104,808	87,406
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab A		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	87,406
		Tax Required	73,067
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	73,067

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expendit			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	0	0	0
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	0
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	0

Adopted Budget **Library**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	328	0	-1,232
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	13,510	18,522	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	38		
Motor Vehicle Tax	504	949	985
Recreational Vehicle Tax	2	7	7
16/20M Vehicle Tax	143	160	182
Commercial Vehicle Tax	38	126	112
Watercraft Tax	3	4	4
City of Lewis Distribution	5,970	XXXX	XXXX
Cash Adjustment (annual report)			
Midwest Energy=Grant			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**20,208**	**19,768**	**1,291**
Resources Available:	**20,536**	**19,768**	**59**
Expenditures:			
Meadowlark Library	20,536	21,000	21,050
Repairs			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expendit			
Total Expenditures	**20,536**	**21,000**	**21,050**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	-1,232	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	19,000	21,000	21,050
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab A		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	21,050
See Tab D		Tax Required	20,991
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	20,991

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Wayne Township 2026
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	17,847	15,771	5,854
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	62,790	65,302	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	182		
Motor Vehicle Tax	2,626	4,409	4,871
Recreational Vehicle Tax	11	34	36
16/20M Vehicle Tax	591	745	901
Commercial Vehicle Tax		586	554
Watercraft Tax		17	18
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	2,139	1,873	1,880
FEMA			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**68,339**	**72,966**	**8,259**
Resources Available:	**86,186**	**88,737**	**14,114**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay			
Salaries & Wages	24,796	25,000	25,000
Employee Benefits	8,869	9,000	9,000
KPERS	5,151	5,200	5,200
Road Materials	4,442	5,397	2,958
Equipment			
Insurance	11,049		
Fuel	10,861	12,000	12,000
Repairs	1,095	2,000	2,000
Supplies	1,121		
Utilities	2,065		
Other Operations			
Lease Payment-Grader		24,286	24,286
Lease Payment Tractor		0	
Accounting Service (Intuit)	602		
Transfer to Special Machinery			
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous	364		
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**70,415**	**82,883**	**80,444**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	15,771	5,854	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	75,070	86,883	80,444
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	80,444
		Tax Required	66,330
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	66,330

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2024 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	0
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	0
General Fund (No Levy)	0
General Fund (Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	
Resources Available:	**0**
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**0**

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Wayne Township 2026
FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Fire Protection**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	2,485	3,078	2,047
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	10,701	8,346	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	31		
Motor Vehicle Tax	457	751	623
Recreational Vehicle Tax	2	6	5
16/20M Vehicle Tax	110	127	115
Commercial Vehicle Tax	35	100	71
Watercraft Tax	3	3	2
Cash Adjustment (annual report)			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**11,339**	**9,333**	**816**
Resources Available:	**13,824**	**12,411**	**2,863**
Expenditures:			
City of Lewis Fire Department (2 mills)	10,746	10,364	10,182
Cash Forward (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**10,746**	**10,364**	**10,182**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	3,078	2,047	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	13,274	10,364	10,182
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	10,182
		Tax Required	7,319
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	7,319

Adopted Budget

0	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	0	0	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	0	0	0
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	0
		Tax Required	0
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	0

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Edwards County
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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.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2024 Expenditures	Prior Year Actual 2024 Actual Tax Rate*	Current Year Estimate 2025 Expenditures	Current Year Estimate 2025 Actual Tax Rate*	Proposed Budget 2026 Budget Authority for Expenditures	Proposed Budget 2026 Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Budget 2026 Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	104,109	10.159	87,808	10.392	87,406	73,067	10.116
Library	20,536	2.520	21,000	2.548	21,050	20,991	2.906
Road	70,415	11.712	82,883	12.593	80,444	66,330	13.029
Fire Protection	10,746	1.996	10,364	1.610	10,182	7,319	1.438
Special Machinery							
Totals	205,806	26.387	202,055	27.143	199,082	167,708	27.489
*Funds Supported by Township Only - Revenue Neutral Rate***							*14.467*
*Funds Supported by Township and 3rd Class City - Revenue Neutral Rate***							*13.022*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	205,806		202,055		199,082		
Total Tax Levied	167,707		167,706		xxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	7,418,552		7,269,001		7,223,061		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					5,090,901		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1

	2023	2024	2025
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	114,143	89,857	62,345
Total	114,143	89,857	62,345

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

***Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988*

Ron Gruber
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	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	104,109	10.159	87,808	10.392	87,406	73,067	10.116
Library	20,536	2.520	21,000	2.548	21,050	20,991	2.906
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					*Funds Supported by Township Only - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*14.467*
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Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	205,806		202,055		199,082		
Total Tax Levied	167,707		167,706		xxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	7,418,552		7,269,001		7,223,061		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					5,090,901		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023	2024	2025
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	114,143	89,857	62,345
Total	114,143	89,857	62,345

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Ron Gruber
Treasurer

July 7, 2025
Please publish one time in the 07-10-25 issue. Please send the billing to either the county, city, township or cemetery.
Thanks - Edwards Co Clerk's Office

Legals

(First published in the Edwards County Sentinel on July 10, 2025)

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	Prior Year Actual CY24		Current Year Estimate CY25		Proposed Budget CY26		
Fund	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	104,100	11.139	87,500	13.222	87,000	73,067	10.116
Library	20,116	2.150	19,000	2.870	21,000	20,291	2.906
Road	70,613	11.717	62,943	12.054	80,488	66,720	11.076
Fire Protection	10,136	1.084	10,363	1.566	10,192	9,515	1.414
Special Highway							
Totals	204,966	26.140	203,944	29.711	198,680	169,593	25.512
			Tax Rate Supported by Assessed Valuation		Revenue Neutral Rate**		24.47
			Tax Rate Supported by Temporary and Self Sustaining		Revenue Neutral Rate**		11.072
Temp. Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	204,966		203,944		198,680		
Total Tax Levied	169,593		169,706		xxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	7,418,732		6,569,003		7,727,763		
Estimated Assessed Valuation Only					5,581,369		

Outstanding Indebtedness,	2023	2024	2025
Jan 1	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	111,443	80,943	62,943
Total	111,443	80,943	62,943

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

Kim Gruber
Treasurer