State of Kansas
2026
Special District

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Pottawatomie, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Cross Creek Watershed #42
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 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	24-1219	5	157,000	125,246	
Debt Service	10-113				
Non-Budgeted Funds		6			0.851
Totals		xxxxxxx	157,000	125,246	
Budget Hearing Notice		7			
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					
RNR Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization					

	Final County Assessed Valuation	County Clerk's Use Only
	Pottawatomie	123,465,666
	Jackson	9,557,085
	Shawnee	14,058,774
	0	
	0	
	Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	147,081,525

Revenue Neutral Rate: 0.851

Assisted by:
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Date Attested: August 14, 2025

County Clerk

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Governing Body

CPA Summary

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

2025 Budgeted Funds	Tax Levy Amount in 2025 Budget	Allocation for Year 2026				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	125,300	0	0	0	0	28
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	125,300	0	0	0	0	28

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 0

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 28

MVT Factor 0.00000

RVT Factor 0.00000

16/20M Factor 0.00000

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00023

Cross Creek Watershed #42
Pottawatomie

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	Structured Maintenance	64,247	42,834	106,500	24-136
	Totals	64247	42834	106500	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	64247	42834	106500	

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

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
General Obligation:										
Total G.O.				0			0	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds:										
Total Revenue				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
				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 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	1,000	1,000	32,966
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	128,925	125,300	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			28
LAVTR			0
In Lieu of Taxes (IRB)			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**128,925**	**125,300**	**28**
Resources Available:	**129,925**	**126,300**	**32,994**
Expenditures:			
Professional Fees	4,969	10,000	10,000
Engineering & Other Capital Outlay	47,598	25,000	25,000
Maintenance	9,925	13,000	13,000
Board Member Pay	1,534	2,000	2,000
Other (mileage, etc)	652	500	500
Transfer to Structered Maint Fund	64,247	42,834	106,500
Cash Forward (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**128,925**	**93,334**	**157,000**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,000	32,966	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount	158,500	158,500	157,000
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	157,000
		Tax Required	124,006
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.0%	1,240
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	125,246

CPA Summary

NON-BUDGETED FUNDS

(Only the actual budget year for 2024 is reported)

Non-Budgeted Funds

(1) Fund Name:		(2) Fund Name:		(3) Fund Name:		(4) Fund Name:		(5) Fund Name:		
Structured Maintenance			0		0		0		0	
Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Total
Cash Balance Jan 1	1,583,730	Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		1,583,730
Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		
Transfer from gen	64,247									
Interest	98,576									
Total Receipts	162,823	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	162,823
Resources Available:	1,746,553	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	1,746,553
Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		
Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	0
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										1,746,553 **

** Note: These two block figures should agree.

CPA Summary

2026

State of Kansas
Special District

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Cross Creek Watershed #42
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will meet on 8/13/25 at 8:00 PM at 815 5th Street, Wamego, KS 66547 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 815 5th Street, Wamego, KS 66547 and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES
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Debt Service							
Non-Budgeted Funds							
Totals	128,925	1.048	93,334	1.076	157,000	125,246	0.851
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*0.851*
Less: Transfers	64,247		42,834		106,500		
Net Expenditures	64,678		50,500		50,500		
Total Tax Levied	125,505		125,300		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:	119,681,098		116,464,153		147,102,674		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2023	2024	2025
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*

John Watt
Attorney

The Topeka Metro News

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WAMEGO KS 66547-0056

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STATE OF KANSAS, SHAWNEE COUNTY, SS;
Maureen Gillespie, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is Legal Notices Clerk for The Topeka Metro News which is a newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, published in and of general paid circulation on a weekly, monthly or yearly basis in Shawnee County, Kansas, is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication, is published at least weekly fifty (50) times a year, has been so published continuously and uninterrupted in said County and State for a period of more than one year prior to the first publication of the notice attached, and has been entered at the post office as Periodicals Class mail matter. That a notice was published in all editions of the regular and entire issue for the following subject matter (also identified by the following case number, if any) for 1 consecutive week(s), as follows:

BUDGET HEARING
7/28/25

Maureen Gillespie, Legal Notices Billing Clerk
Subscribed and sworn to before me on this date:
July 28, 2025

Notary Public

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Notary Public-State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires Aug. 21, 2027

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2026 State of Kansas Special District

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General	128,925	1.048	93,334	1.076	176,800	145,244	0.851
Debt Service							
Non-Budgeted Funds							
Totals	128,925	1.048	93,334	1.076	176,800	145,244	0.851
						*Revenue Neutral Rate**	0.851
Less: Transfers	64,247		42,834		126,300		
Net Expenditures	64,678		50,500		50,500		
Total Tax Levied	135,505		135,300		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	119,681,093		116,864,151		170,721,589		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2023	2024	2025
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

John Watt
Attorney

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF KANSAS }
JACKSON COUNTY } ss.

DAVID POWLS, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is The Publisher of

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That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for ~~one consecutive weeks~~ one time, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the day of July 23, 2025, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

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David M. Powls
Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of July, 2025

Kendra Moppin
Notary Public

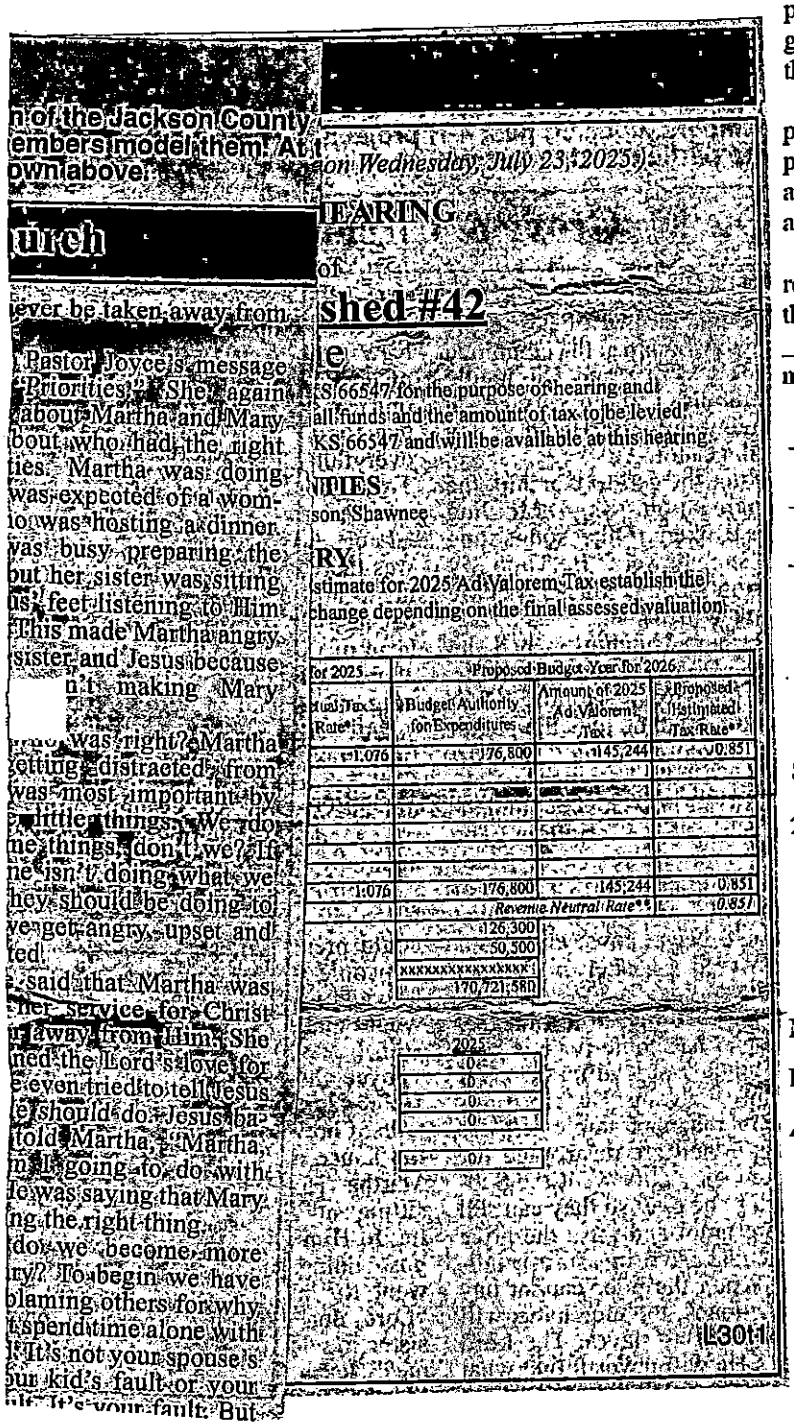
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The Times, Pottawatomie County
427 Lincoln Ave
(785) 776-2200

I, Anjana Bhadoriya, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath depose and say that I am an agent of Column Software, PBC, duly appointed and authorized agent of the Publisher of The Times, Pottawatomie County, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the city of Wamego, for the County of Pottawatomie, 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:

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Jul. 24, 2025

Notice ID: p2PbhxaRAujlTcAwv513
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Notice Name: Cross Creek Notice of Budget Hearing

PUBLICATION FEE: $125.75

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kansas that the foregoing is true and correct.

Anjana Bhadoriya

Agent

JESSICA GORDON-THOMPSON
Notary Public - State of Florida
Commission # HH361458
Expires on August 17, 2026

VERIFICATION

State of Florida
County of Orange

Signed or attested before me on this: 07/25/2025

Notary Public
Notarized remotely online using communication technology via Proof.

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