State of Kansas
Township

CERTIFICATE 2026

To the Clerk of Butler County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Milton 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.

RETURN BY
AUG 25 2025
Butler County Clerks Office

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Fund	K.S.A.					
General	79-1962	5	54,757	49,814	3.364	T+C
Debt Service	10-113					
Library	12-1220					
Road	68-518c	6	105,018	91,863	9.725	T
Special Road	80-1413					
Noxious Weed	2-1318					
Fire Protection	80-1503					
Special Machinery		6				
Totals		xxxxxx	159775	141,676	13.089	
Budget Hearing Notice		7		Final County Assessed	County Clerk's Use Only	
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice		7		Milton Township	9,446,244	
Rate Hearing Notice				City of Whitewater	5,363,213	
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate				0		
				Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	14,809,457	

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	9.750
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	3.368
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Attest: 11-24, 2025
County Clerk

COUNTY CLERK ★ SEAL ★ BUTLER COUNTY, KANSAS

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Special Road Election held _____ for ___Mills for ___ years.
First levy in _____.

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Milton 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	3.393	1,884	2,123	45	39	103	43	44	69	0	0
***	Debt Service	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***	Library	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Road	9.691	5,381		128		293		126		0	
	Special Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Noxious Weed	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Fire Protection	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	13.084	7,265		173		396		170		0	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***)	3.393		2,123		39		43		69		0

Milton 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	13,450	-	-	KSA 80-122
Road	Special Machinery	22,200	-	-	KSA 68-141g
	Total	35,650	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	35,650	0	0	

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

Milton Township
Butler 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										
None										
Total G.O. Bonds				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, 2025	Payments Due 2025	Payments Due 2026
None							
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

Milton 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	4,382	1,649	594
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	45,243	49,785	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	751		
Motor Vehicle Tax	5,082	4,023	4,007
Recreational Vehicle Tax	108	84	84
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	154	184	145
Commercial Vehicle Tax	150	114	113
Watercraft Tax			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Check not deposited for 2023	1,017		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**52,505**	**54,190**	**4,349**
Resources Available:	**56,887**	**55,839**	**4,943**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	4,156	1,000	1,000
Office Supplies		1,000	1,000
Payroll Expense	12,552	12,200	12,200
Signage/Culverts	3,514	100	100
Reports & Services	529	12,629	12,629
Insurance	4,988	5,000	5,000
Repairs/Maintenance	10,003	18,316	17,828
Fuel	3,946	5,000	5,000
Cemetery	2,100		
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)	13,450		
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**55,238**	**55,245**	**54,757**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,649	594	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	55,245	55,245	54,757
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	54,757
		Tax Required	49,814
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	49,814

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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	1,911	1,719	1,718
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	76,744	91,892	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,058		
Motor Vehicle Tax	5,485	4,976	5,381
Recreational Vehicle Tax	137	118	128
16/20M Vehicle Tax	317	335	293
Commercial Vehicle Tax	224	117	126
Watercraft Tax			0
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	5,799	5,433	5,509
Check not deposited for 2023	2,884		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**92,648**	**102,871**	**11,437**
Resources Available:	**94,559**	**104,590**	**13,155**
Expenditures:			
Road Materials/Hauling	45,456	91,219	91,179
Fuel/Supplies	2,421	8,923	8,923
Contract Labor		730	
Butler County Noxious Weed		2,000	
Equipment	22,651		4,916
ROW Maintenance	112		
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Transfer to Special Machinery	22,200		
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**92,840**	**102,872**	**105,018**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,719	1,718	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	92,872	102,872	105,018
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	105,018
		Tax Required	91,863
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	91,863

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2024 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	78,594
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	22,200
General Fund (No Levy)	0
General Fund (Gen has Levy)	13,450
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	
Resources Available:	**114,244**
Total Expenditures	12,950
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**101,294**

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Special Road							
Noxious Weed							
Fire Protection							
Special Machinery	12,950						
Totals	161,028	11.968	158,117	13.084	159,775	141,676	13.114
					*Funds Supported by Township Only - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*9.750*
					*Funds Supported by Township and 3rd Class City - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*3.368*
Less: Transfers	35,650		0		0		
Net Expenditure	125,378		158,117		159,775		
Total Tax Levied	124,680		141,677		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	14,002,199		14,676,263		14,788,701		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					9,425,789		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	0	11,375	0
Total	0	11,375	0

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

Jeff Zuercher
Clerk

Proof of Publication

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State of Kansas, Butler County, ss.

Michael Robinson of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath, states that (he) (~~she~~) is the publisher of The Rose Hill Reporter.

That said newspaper has been published at least fifty (50) times a year and has been so published for at least five years prior to the first publication of the attached notice;

That said newspaper is entered as second class mail matter at the post office of its publication. That said newspaper is published in Rose Hill, Butler County, Kansas.

That said newspaper has a general paid circulation on a yearly basis.

The ATTACHED was published on the following dates in a regular issue of said paper for a total of One (1) consecutive times.

1st publication was on the 24th day of July, 2025

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4th publication was on the _____ day of _____, 20____

Publication Fee $_____

Signed Michael Robinson

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

STATE OF KANSAS NOTARY PUBLIC

SHELBY FAWCETT
My Appointment Expires
February 14, 2027

My commission expires 2/14/27

Shelby Fawcett

Public Notice

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