State of Kansas
Township

CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Ness County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Ohio 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	5	81,296	28,068	2.556
Totals		xxxxxxxx	81296	28068	2.556
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	County Clerk's Use Only
Final County Assessed	
Ohio Township	9,957,284
Utica	1,020,423
0	
Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation	10,977,707

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	0.000
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	2.545

Assisted by:
ADAMS BROWN, LLC

Address:
818 Broadway St * PO Box 127
Larned, KS 67550
Email:
akoehn@adamsbrowncpa.com

Attest: Aug. 28, 2025

County Clerk

Mark Bauer Trustee
Mary Schwindt Treasurer
Trustee

Governing Body

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

CPA Summary: No assurance is provided. Substantially all disclosures omitted.

COUNTY CLERK OF SEAL NESS COUNTY, KANSAS

Ohio 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	2.184	612	0	16	0	149	0	99	0	3	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	0.000	0		0		0		0		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	
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***		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	2.184	612		16		149		99		3	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***)	2.184		0		0		0		0		0

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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
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.

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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										
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.

Ohio Township
FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

2026

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	33,087	51,322	50,560
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	24,922	28,068	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	504	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	521	491	612
Recreational Vehicle Tax	13	15	16
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	297	203	149
Commercial Vehicle Tax	61	39	99
Watercraft Tax	0	2	3
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	1,022	2,425	1,790
Interest on Idle Funds	167	0	0
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate	-11	-5	-1
Miscellaneous	0	0	0
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receip			
Total Receipts	**27,496**	**31,238**	**2,668**
Resources Available:	**60,583**	**82,560**	**53,228**
Expenditures:			
Operating Expenses	513	1,000	5,000
Cemetery	2,800	20,000	26,000
Contractual	5,948	6,000	10,000
Capital Outlay	0	5,000	40,296
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(No Levy)			
Does the General Fund have a tax levy			
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(Gen has Levy)	0	0	0
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Availabl			
Miscellaneous	0	0	0
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**9,261**	**32,000**	**81,296**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	51,322	50,560	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	51,572	56,332	81,296
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	81,296
		Tax Required	28,068
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	28,068

CPA Summary

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					*Funds Supported by Township and 3rd Class City - Revenue Neutral Rate***		*2.545*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	9,261		32,000		81,296		
Total Tax Levied	28,068		28,068		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	14,071,873		12,854,105		11,033,568		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					10,016,414		

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*

Mary Schwindt
Treasurer

Ad Ag Mechanics $35/class
Small Gas Engines $25/class
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