CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Logan County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Elkader Townshp
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		0	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	6	366,360	113,280	24.533
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxx	366,360	113,280	24.533
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice		7			4,611,746
Rate Hearing Notice					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Revenue Neutral Rate	24.533
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Carolyn Brock

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Attest: Sept. 15 2025
Crystal Rucker
County Clerk

Dallas H Treasurer
Tyne Stutz Trustee
Jeanne Colley Clerk

Governing Body

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

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Logan County

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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	113,280	756	0	8	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	0	0
Total	113,280	756	0	8	0	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 756

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 0

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 8

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

MVT Factor 0.00667

RVT Factor 0.00000

16/20M Factor 0.00007

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00000

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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
General	Road	4,588	20,788		Closing
	Total	4,588	20,788	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	4,588	20,788	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 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 January 1	14,182	20,788	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20 M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
DPPT Distribution			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			
Insurance Rebate			
Interest on Idle Funds	11,772		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**11,772**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**25,954**	**20,788**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay			
Insurance & Bond	4,845		
Supplies			
Budget & Publications	321		
Transfer to Road (Closing in 12/31/2023)		20,788	
Equipment			
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	**5,166**	**20,788**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	20,788	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
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

See Tab A **See Tab C**

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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	159,945	241,143	248,898	
Receipts:				
Ad Valorem Tax	105,061	113,280	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx	
Delinquent Tax	3			
Motor Vehicle Tax	689	677	756	
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0	
16/20M Vehicle Tax	10	7	8	
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0	
Watercraft Tax			0	
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	2,703	2,683	3,398	
Intangible Tax		0	0	
Adjustment from Treasurer	-2,281			
General Distribution (Closing)	0	20,788		or
General (from Co Treasuer)	174			
Interest on Idle Funds		20	20	
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0	
Miscellaneous				
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec				
Total Receipts	**106,359**	**137,455**	**4,182**	
Resources Available:	**266,304**	**378,598**	**253,080**	
Expenditures:				
Officers Pay		500	500	
Contract Labor	4,265	30,000	30,000	
Supplies	2,175	1,000	1,000	
Road Maintenance		20,000	20,000	
Road Materials		50,000	50,000	
Logan CountyNoxious Weed Dept	4,000	6,000	6,000	
Equipment	8,000		229,460	
Equipment Repairs	1,694	10,000	10,000	
Fuel	5,027	10,000	10,000	
Insurance		800	8,000	
Budget & Publications		400	400	
Prairie Dog		1,000	1,000	
Capital Outlay				
Transfer to Special Machinery				
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail				
Miscellaneous				
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures				
Total Expenditures	**25,161**	**129,700**	**366,360**	
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	241,143	248,898	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx	
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	398,226	266,418	366,360	
		Non-Appropriated Balance		
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	366,360	
		Tax Required	113,280	
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0	
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	113,280	

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	**2024 Actual Year**
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	3,164
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	0
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	
Resources Available:	3,164
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**3,164**

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Logan County
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General	5,166		20,788				
Road	25,161	17.206	129,700	22.404	366,360	113,280	24.533
Special Machinery							
Totals	30,327	17.206	150,488	22.404	366,360	113,280	24.533
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*24.533*
Less: Transfers	4,588		20,788		0		
Net Expenditure	25,739		129,700		366,360		
Total Tax Levied	113,780		113,280		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	6,583,653		5,056,186		4,617,390		

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

Layne Stoll
Trustee

Proof of Publication

State of Kansas,
County of Logan, ss:

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of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath states that he/she is the editor of **THE OAKLEY GRAPHIC.**

THAT said newspaper has been published at least weekly 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 was entered as second class matter at the post office of its publication;

THAT said newspaper has a general paid circulation on a daily, weekly, monthly, or yearly basis in LOGAN County, Kansas and is NOT a trade, religious or fraternal publication and has been printed and published in LOGAN County, Kansas.

THE ATTACHED was published on the following dates in a regular issue of said newspaper:

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Lin Reisch
(Signed)

Witness my hand this 31st day of July, 2025

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 31st day of July, 2025.

Anita Gabel
(Notary Public)

My commission expires January 16, 2028

ANITA GABEL
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires 01/16/2028

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