CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Ford County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Ford 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			0	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	5	173,550	152,175	9.497
Special Machinery		5			
Totals		xxxxxx	173,550	152,175	9.497
Budget Hearing Notice		0			County Clerk's Use Only
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Rate Hearing Notice					11/23/09
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	7.624
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	YES

Carolyn Brock

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Attest: 9.3 2025

County Clerk

Chambre Riegel-Brewer

Governing Body

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

CPA Summary

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Ford Township
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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	122,291	3,036	48	783	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	122,291	3,036	48	783	0	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 3,036

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 48

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 783

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

MVT Factor 0.02483

RVT Factor 0.00039

16/20M Factor 0.00640

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
Special Machinery	Road	-			68-125g
	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										
				0			0	0	0	0
Total G.O. Bonds										
Other										
				0			0	0	0	0
Total Other										
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
Mower	6/15/20	60		19,610	1,961	4,381	
				Total	**1,961**	**4,381**	**0**

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

Ford 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	3,530	6,324	6,447
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	123,779	122,291	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		2,244	3,036
Recreational Vehicle Tax		55	48
16/20M Vehicle Tax		718	783
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax		10,000	9,500
Intangible Tax		246	1,061
Co-Op Patronage		500	500
City of Ford			
Maintenance Service			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**123,779**	**136,054**	**14,928**
Resources Available:	**127,309**	**142,378**	**21,375**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay			
Salaries & Wages	69,525	70,000	70,000
Employee Benefits	5,416	5,000	5,000
Road Maintenance	146		
Road Materials	14,177	20,000	30,000
Supplies			
Equipment			28,000
Equipment Repairs	3,876	7,000	10,000
Insurance	6,755	7,000	7,000
Fuel	14,690	16,000	17,000
Equipment Lease Payment	561	4,381	
Ford Cemetery	3,500	3,500	3,500
Budget & Publications	255	400	400
Professional Fees	2,000	2,400	2,400
Office Supplies	84	250	250
Bank Charges & Fees			
Ford County Treasurer			
Transfer to Special Machinery			
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Available			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**120,985**	**135,931**	**173,550**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	6,324	6,447	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	131,681	136,103	173,550
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	173,550
		Tax Required	152,175
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	152,175

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	2024 Actual Year
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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Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	120,985		135,931		173,550		
Total Tax Levied	108,491		122,291		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	13,391,681		13,707,533		16,039,775		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023		2024		2025		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	11,237		5,883		1,961		
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Resolution No. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE Ford Township, KANSAS TO LEVY A PROPERTY TAX RATE EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the Ford Township was calculated as7.624 mills by the Ford County Clerk; and

WHEREAS, the budget proposed by the Governing Body of the Ford Township will require the levy of a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body held a hearing on September 3, 2025 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Ford Township, having heard testimony, still finds it necessary to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE Ford Township:

The Ford Township shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 7.624 mills.

This resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and shall remain in effect until future action is taken by the Governing Body.

ADOPTED this 3rd day of September (month and year) and SIGNED by the Governing Body.

Chambre Riegel-Brewer

Attested:

_____

Roll Call Vote

Governing Body Members (please Print)	Yes	No	No Vote
Chambre Riegel-Brewer	X		
Jeff Brewer	X		
Colton Downey	X		
Total	3		

Attested: _____

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida, County of Orange, ss:

I, Ankit Sachdeva, 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 Dodge City Daily Globe, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the City of Dodge City, for the County of Ford, in the State of Kansas. This affidavit is page 1 of 2 with the full text of the sworn-to notice set forth on the pages that follow, and 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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Ankit Sachdeva

Agent

JESSICA GORDON-THOMPSON
Notary Public - State of Florida
Commission # HH361656
Expires on August 17, 2026

VERIFICATION

State of Florida
County of Orange

Signed or attested before me on this: 07/10/2025

Notary Public

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