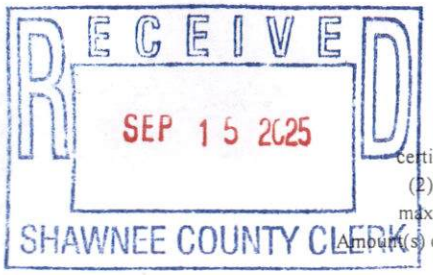
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2026

CERTIFICATE



To the Clerk of Shawnee County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Fire District #4

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held; (2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted 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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Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	**K.S.A.**				
General	29-2925b	5	550,950	512,910	15.006
Debt Service	10-113				
Non-Budgeted Funds		6			
Totals		xxxxxxxxxx	550,950	512,910	15.006
Budget Hearing Notice					County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate - Budget Hearing Notice		7		34,182,331 (	25 736761 SN B445570 WB
RNR Hearing Notice					Nov. 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Revenue Neutral Rate	10.933
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	**YES**

Assisted by:
Chief Rewerts

Address:
315 SW Valencia Rd
Topeka, KS 66615
Email:
nrewerts@shawneefire4.org

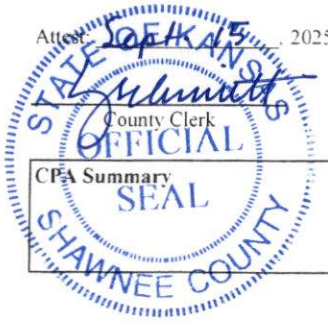
Alan McKenzie

Lori Durkes

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Governing Body

Attest: SEP 15, 2025



County Clerk

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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	417,560	35,708	724	664	449	495
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	417,560	35,708	724	664	449	495

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 35,708

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 724

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 664

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 449

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 495

MVT Factor 0.08552

RVT Factor 0.00173

16/20M Factor 0.00159

Comm Veh Factor 0.00108

Watercraft Factor 0.00119

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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
Genearl Fund	Fire Reserve	17,205	10,827	117,350	19-3612c
	Totals	17,205	10,827	117,350	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	17,205	10,827	117,350	

*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
General Obligation:										
Total G.O.				0			0	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds:										
Total Revenue				0			0	0	0	0
Other:										
USDA	08/01/2005	4.13	560,000	42,000	8/1	8/1	1,733	42,000	0	0
FRA	07/14/2024	5.00	85,000	85,000	8/20		4,250	0	4,200	
Total Other				127,000			5,983	42,000	4,200	0
Total				**127,000**			**5,983**	**42,000**	**4,200**	**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
Rescue 81	09/01/2024	120	6.75	200,515	200,515	27,402	27,402
			Total	**200,515**	**200,515**	**27,402**	**27,402**

***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	0	0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	251,143	417,560	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,189		
Motor Vehicle Tax	31,973		35,708
Recreational Vehicle Tax	637		724
16/20M Vehicle Tax	945		664
Commercial Vehicle Tax	383		449
Watercraft Tax			495
In Lieu of Taxes			
WBCO	89,934		
Misc. Income/Insurance Claim/Sale of Eqpt	15,145		
FRA Warrant	85,000		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	476,349	417,560	38,040
Resources Available:	476,349	417,560	38,040
Expenditures:			
Bond Payment	45,465	43,733	0
Communication	14,779	8,000	12,000
EMS Equipment	1,688	5,000	5,000
EMS Supplies	598	3,500	5,000
Fire Equipment	152,308	19,000	40,000
Fire Supplies	1,114	13,000	12,000
Fire Training	3,795	14,500	6,000
Food/Meal Reimbursement	546	1,000	2,000
Fuel	7,842	15,000	15,000
Insurance	23,032	23,500	23,500
Office Supplies & Software	1,049	7,500	7,500
Office/General Administration	11,607	24,000	17,800
Payroll	94,684	145,000	155,000
Building Repair	32,779	35,000	60,000
Appratus Repair	59,741	36,000	30,000
Utilities	8,006	12,000	13,700
Taxes/Licensing	111	1,000	1,100
Unexpected Expenses			
Misc.			
Transfer to Equipment Fund	17,205	10,827	117,350
R81 PMT			28,000
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	476,349	417,560	550,950
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	519,283	535,961	550,950
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	550,950
See Tab B **See Tab D**		Tax Required	512,910
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	512,910

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Fire District #4 | **NON-BUDGETED FUNDS** | 2026

(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:		
Fire Reserve			0		0		0		0	
Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Total
Cash Balance Jan 1	110,252	Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		110,252
Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		
transfer from gen	17,205									
sale of equipment	86,510									
Total Receipts	103,715	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	103,715
Resources Available:	213,967	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	213,967
Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		
supplies EMS	75,253									
(part pd from general)										
Total Expenditures	75,253	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	Total Expenditures	0	75,253
Cash Balance Dec 31	138,714	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	Cash Balance Dec 31	0	138,714 **
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** Note: These two block figures should agree.

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NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

2026

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General	430,884	10.442	373,827	12.500	550,950	512,910	15.000
Debt Service	45,465		43,733				
Non-Budgeted Funds	75,253						
Totals	551,602	10.442	417,560	12.500	550,950	512,910	15.000
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*10.933*
Less: Transfers	17,205		10,827		117,350		
Net Expenditures	534,397		406,733		433,600		
Total Tax Levied	334,565		417,560		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	36,492,350		38,267,910		34,194,943		

Outstanding Indebtedness,

Jan 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	124,000	84,000	127,000
Lease Pur. Princ.	215,578	0	200,515
Total	339,578	84,000	327,515

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

***Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-2988*

Nathan Rewerts

Chief

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Resolution 2025-007of the Board of SCFD #4 Shawnee County Kansas

Whereas, the governing body has received and reviewed the proposed budget for the fiscal year 2026; and

Whereas, the proposed budget requires a mill levy rate that exceeds the Revenue Rate (RNR) of 10.933; and

Whereas, the governing body recognizes the necessity of exceeding the RNR to support essential services, allow for the replacement of fire apparatus, updating or replacing current infrastructure, and fire department member safety;

Be it resolved by the governing body that:

1. The fiscal year budget as presented is hereby adopted.
2. The adopted budget requires a tax rate that exceeds the Revenue Rate (RNR) of 10.933.
3. Funds appropriated in this budget shall be used for the purposes set forth therein, including but not limited to public safety, infrastructure upgrades, aging fire apparatus replacement, and fire department training and safety equipment.
4. The governing body finds that exceeding the RNR is in the best interest of the community and necessary to maintain and improve essential services.
5. Notice of this hearing and the exceeding of the RNR was provided in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

Passed and adopted this 09/14/2025 by the governing body during the published RNR hearing with a quorum present.

Name	Title	Signature	Date
Alan McKenzie	Chairperson		09/14/2025
Lori Durkes	Secretary		09/14/2025

A Roll Call Vote of the Board of SCFD #4 To Levy a Property Tax Exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate
Hearing to Exceed Revenue Neutral Rate held on 09/14/2025
Resolution No. 2025-006

Governing Body Member	Yes	No	No Vote
Alan McKenzie	✓		
Lou Allen	✓		
Fred Guzek	✓		
Lori Durkes	✓		
Ryan George	✓		
TOTAL	5		

Certified:

Lori Durkes
Secretary