assessed value
709,116
Rate used 65.282

State of Kansas
City
2026

No RNR Hearing

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of BARBER COUNTY, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

CITY OF HARDTNER

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the maximum expenditure for the various funds for the year 2026; and
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			2026 Adopted Budget		
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Gas		10	169,760		
Trash		11	45,876		
Meter Deosits		11			
Equipment Reserve		12			
Totals		xxxxxx	483,522	46,293	
Budget Hearing Notice		13			County Clerk's Use Only
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RNR Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

65.283

Revenue Neutral Rate	65.409
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Date Attested: 8-15 2025

County Clerk

Governing Body

2026

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Date Attested: _____ 2025

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County Clerk

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Governing Body

State of Kansas
City

2026

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

assessed value
709,116

The governing body of

CITY OF HARDTNER

will meet on August 13, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at Hardtner City Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.

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BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget.

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	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget for 2026		
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General	93,732	60.590	113,495	59.437	123,843	41,432	58.427
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Gas	63,901		169,760		169,760		
Trash	31,248		45,876		45,876		
Meter Deosits	150						
Equipment Reserve	7,128						
Totals	264,590	67.024	470,600	66.444	483,522	46,293	65.282
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*65.409*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	264,590		470,600		483,522		
Total Tax Levied	46,384		46,382		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	692,009		698,062		709,116		

65.282

Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue 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*

Stacy Black

City Official Title: City Clerk

Stacy Black

PROOF OF PUBLICATION
STATE OF KANSAS, BARBER COUNTY

Kevin Noland of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath states that he is the Publisher of:
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Medicine Lodge, KS 67104

THAT said newspaper has been published weekly, fifty (50) Times a year and HAS BEEN PUBLISHED for at least one year Prior to the first publication of the attached notice:

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July 14, 2025

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(SIGN) Kevin Noland

SUBSCRIBED and sworn before me this 15 day of July, 2025.

Ronda M. Noland
(Notary Public)

My commission expires: _August 28, 2025

RONDA M. NOLAND
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF KANSAS
My Appt. Exp.

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Published in The Gyp Hill Premiere Monday, July 14, 2025

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Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2023	2024	2025
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Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

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

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CITY OF HARDTNER

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Allocation of MV, RV, 16/20M, Commercial Vehicle, and Watercraft Tax Estimates

Budgeted Funds for 2025	Ad Valorem Levy Tax Year 2024	Allocation for Proposed Year 2026				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	41,491	5,841	264	139	0	17
Library	4,891	689	31	16	0	2
TOTAL	46,382	6,530	295	155	0	19

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 6,530

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 295

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 155

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 19

Motor Vehicle Factor 0.14079

Recreational Vehicle Factor 0.00637

16/20 Vehicle Factor 0.00335

Commercial Vehicle Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00040

CITY OF HARDTNER 2026

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	Equipment				KSA 12-1,117
	Totals	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.

State of Kansas
City

CITY OF HARDTNER

2026

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Type of Debt	Date of Issue	Date of Retirement	Interest Rate %	Amount Issued	Beginning Amt Outstanding Jan 1, 2025	Date Due		Amount Due 2025		Amount Due 2026	
						Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal
General Obligation:											
					None						
Total G.O. Bonds					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Revenue Bonds:											
					None						
Total Revenue Bonds					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Other:											
					None						
Total Other					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Total Indebtedness					**0**			**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

CITY OF HARDTNER

2026

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 As Beginning of 2025	Payments Due 2025	Payments Due 2026
				None			
				Totals	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

WORKSHEET FOR STATE GRANT-IN-AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEMS

Budgeted Year: 2026

Library found in: CITY OF HARDTNER
BARBER COUNTY

As provided in KSA 75-2553 *et seq.*, two tests are used to determine eligibility for State Library Grant. If the grant is approved, then the municipality's library will be paid the grant on February 15 of each year.

First test:

	Current Year 2025	Proposed Year 2026
Ad Valorem Tax		$0
Delinquent Tax	$0	$0
Motor Vehicle Tax	$0	
Recreational Vehicle Tax	$0	
16/20M Vehicle Tax	$0	
	$0	$0
TOTAL TAXES	$0	$0
Difference in Total Taxes:	$0	
Qualify for grant: Qualify		

Second test:

Assessed Valuation	$698,062	$709,116
Did Assessed Valuation Decrease?	No	
Levy Rate		
Difference in Levy Rate:	#VALUE!	
Qualify for grant: #VALUE!		

Overall does the municipality qualify for a grant? **Qualify**

If the municipality would not have qualified for a grant, please seek assistance from the State Library

CITY OF HARDTNER 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 Jan 1	47,957	50,364	30,540
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	38,493	41,491	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	921		
Motor Vehicle Tax	6,326	6,241	5,841
Recreational Vehicle Tax	243	127	264
16/20M Vehicle Tax	181	185	139
Commercial Vehicle Tax		0	0
Watercraft Tax		17	17
Gross Earning (Intangible) Tax		0	0
Oil and Gas Royalty	9,517	9,500	9,500
Utility SalesTax	1,070	1,070	1,070
Compensating Use Tax			
Local Sales Tax			
Franchise Tax - Southern Pioneer	9,987	9,900	9,900
Licenses	1,740	1,740	1,740
Building Permits			
State of Kansas - Sales Tax	20,496	20,500	20,500
Refund Insur.	2,744	2,700	2,700
Reimbursement FD	568		
In Lieu of Tax (IRB)			
Interest on Idle Funds	3,854	200	200
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Receipts	**96,139**	**93,671**	**51,871**
Resources Available:	**144,096**	**144,035**	**82,411**
Expenditures:			
Salaries & Wages		20,735	20,735
Employee Benefits		2,600	2,600
Personal Services	35,351		
Commodities	5,744	3,666	3,666
Contractual	52,637		10,348
Capital Outlay		30,127	30,127
Utilities		4,648	4,648
General Administration		6,311	6,311
Operations		7,059	7,059
Firemen		2,882	2,882
Licenses, Fees. Legal		2,000	2,000
Taxes - Fed & St W/H		16,500	16,500
Insurance		3,333	3,333
Supplies		4,500	4,500
Repairs		1,612	1,612
Reimbursed Expense		618	618
Firemen		2,612	2,612
Operating		4,292	4,292
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Expenditures	**93,732**	**113,495**	**123,843**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	50,364	30,540	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	97,477	113,495	123,843
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	123,843
		Tax Required	41,432
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	**41,432**

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CITY OF HARDTNER 2026

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget Library	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	0	1	1
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	4,087	4,891	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	99		
Motor Vehicle Tax	678	663	689
Recreational Vehicle Tax	26	24	31
16/20M Vehicle Tax	19	20	16
Commercial Vehicle Tax		0	0
Watercraft Tax		2	2
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**4,910**	**5,600**	**738**
Resources Available:	**4,910**	**5,601**	**739**
Expenditures:			
Appropriation to Library	4,909	5,600	5,600
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellanous exceed 10% of Total Ex			
Total Expenditures	**4,909**	**5,600**	**5,600**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1	1	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount	5,200	5,600	5,600
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	5,600
		Tax Required	4,861
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	4,861

Adopted Budget

0	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			
Recreational Vehicle Tax			
16/20M Vehicle Tax			
Commercial Vehicle Tax			
Watercraft Tax			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total E			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
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

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CITY OF HARDTNER 2026

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH NO TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Special Highway**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	1,323	5,201	3,888
Receipts:			
State of Kansas Gas Tax	4,415	4,290	4,290
County Transfers Gas		0	0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**4,415**	**4,290**	**4,290**
Resources Available:	**5,738**	**9,491**	**8,178**
Expenditures:			
Street Repair and Maint	538	5,603	8,177
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total E			
Total Expenditures	**538**	**5,603**	**8,177**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	5,201	3,888	1
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	4,280	5,603	8,177

Adopted Budget **Water**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	73,684	75,863	34,836
Receipts:			
Charges to Customers	40,196	58,771	64,962
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total R			
Total Receipts	**40,196**	**58,771**	**64,962**
Resources Available:	**113,880**	**134,634**	**99,798**
Expenditures:			
Operations	38,017	99,798	99,798
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total E			
Total Expenditures	**38,017**	**99,798**	**99,798**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	75,863	34,836	0
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	91,353	99,798	99,798

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH NO TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget Sewer	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	23,852	16,256	4,899
Receipts:			
Charges to Customers	17,371	19,111	25,569
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Receipts	**17,371**	**19,111**	**25,569**
Resources Available:	**41,223**	**35,367**	**30,468**
Expenditures:			
Salaries and Wages	24,967	30,468	30,468
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Expenditures	**24,967**	**30,468**	**30,468**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	16,256	4,899	0
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	30,468	30,468	30,468

Adopted Budget Gas	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	97,250	109,868	89,979
Receipts:			
Charges to Customers	76,519	149,871	79,781
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Receipts	**76,519**	**149,871**	**79,781**
Resources Available:	**173,769**	**259,739**	**169,760**
Expenditures:			
Salaries and Wages			
Repairs and maintenance			
Gas Purchases	63,901	169,760	169,760
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Expenditures	**63,901**	**169,760**	**169,760**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	109,868	89,979	0
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	169,760	169,760	169,760

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH NO TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Trash**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	24,982	26,200	13,514
Receipts:			
Charge to Customers	32,466	33,190	32,362
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Receipts	**32,466**	**33,190**	**32,362**
Resources Available:	**57,448**	**59,390**	**45,876**
Expenditures:			
Salaries & Wages	31,248	45,876	45,876
Employee Benefits			
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Expenditures	**31,248**	**45,876**	**45,876**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	26,200	13,514	0
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	45,439	45,876	45,876

Adopted Budget **Meter Deosits**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	10,797	11,172	11,172
Receipts:			
Meter deposits	525		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Receipts	**525**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**11,322**	**11,172**	**11,172**
Expenditures:			
Salaries & Wages	150		
Employee Beneifts			
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total I			
Total Expenditures	**150**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	11,172	11,172	11,172
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amoun	150	0	0

CITY OF HARDTNER 2026

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH NO TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Equipment Reserve**	Prior Year Actual for 2024	Current Year Estimate for 2025	Proposed Budget Year for 2026
Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1	346	6,992	6,992
Receipts:			
Grants	7,039		
Comp use tax	6,735		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**13,774**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**14,120**	**6,992**	**6,992**
Expenditures:			
Equipment Expense	7,128		
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% Total Exp			
Total Expenditures	**7,128**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	6,992	6,992	6,992
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount	0	0	0

See Tab A

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