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CERTIFICATE

2026

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To the Clerk of Marion County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Cottonwood Valley Drainage District

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.

Not Exceeding

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Fund	**K.S.A.**				
General	0	5	133,424	16,266	2.781
Debt Service	10-113				
Totals		xxxxxxxxx	133,424	16,266	2.781
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County Clerk's Use Only

5,848,045
Nov. 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	2.788
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	NO

Assisted by:
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Marion County Clerk
Address:
200 S. Third St., Suite 104
Marion , KS 66861
Email:
coclerk@marioncoks.net

Alan Hett Secretary
Dani Markley Treasurer

Attest: 8-4-24, 2025
County Clerk

Governing Body

CPA Summary

Cottonwood Valley Drainage District
Marion County

2026

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	16,266	638	20	27	60	4
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	16,266	638	20	27	60	4

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 638

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 20

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 27

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 60

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 4

MVT Factor 0.03922

RVT Factor 0.00123

16/20M Factor 0.00166

Comm Veh Facto 0.00369

Watercraft Facto 0.00025

2026

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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
	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.

Cottonwood Valley Drainage District
Marion County

2026

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:										
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
			Total	**0**	**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 Jan 1	117,465	131,762	116,409
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	15,840	16,266	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	424		
Motor Vehicle Tax	763	772	638
Recreational Vehicle Tax	23	24	20
16/20M Vehicle Tax	9	8	27
Commercial Vehicle Tax	68	53	60
Watercraft Tax	4	3	4
Vehicle Rental Excise Tax	2		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**17,133**	**17,126**	**749**
Resources Available:	**134,598**	**148,888**	**117,158**
Expenditures:			
Publications	586	229	229
Officer Fees	2,250	2,250	2,250
Supplies - Rock/Rip Rap		5,000	5,000
Projects		25,000	25,000
Bond			100
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			100,845
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditure			
Total Expenditures	**2,836**	**32,479**	**133,424**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	131,762	116,409	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount	103,794	119,209	133,424
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	133,424
		Tax Required	16,266
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	16,266

CPA Summary

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

State of Kansas
2026 Special District

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Marion County

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Debt Service							
Totals	2,836	3.110	32,479	2.954	133,424	16,266	2.788
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*2.788*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	2,836		32,479		133,424		
Total Tax Levied	16,266		16,266		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	5,229,885		5,505,697		5,833,308		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2023	2024	2025
G.O. Bonds	0	0	0
Revenue Bonds	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Lease Pur. Princ.	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

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

Darvin Markley

Cottonwood Valley Drainage District 2026

2026 Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate

Budgeted Funds for 2026	2025 Ad Valorem before Rebate**	2025 Mil Rate before Rebate	Estimate 2026 NR Rebate
General	0		0
Debt Service			0
			0
			0
			0
			0
TOTAL	0	0.000	0

2025 July 1 Valuation: 5,833,308

Valuation Factor: 5,833.308

Neighborhood Revitalization Subj to Rebate: 0

Neighborhood Revitalization factor: _____

**This information comes from the 2026 Budget Summary page. See instructions tab #12 for completing the Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate table.

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Darvin Markley, Treasurer

M-43-2743

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF KANSAS, MARION COUNTY, ss:

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That he is the publisher of the Marion County Record, a weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas and published in and of general circulation in Marion County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a weekly basis in Marion County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

That said newspaper is a weekly newspaper published at least 50 times a year; has been so published continuously and uninterruptedly in said county and state for a period of more than five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at one or more post offices in said County as Periodical Class matter.

That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 9th day of July, 2025 .

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
9th day of July, 2025

Notary Public, Marion County, Kansas
My appointment expires

(Seal)

CHERI BENTZ
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires 10-17-29

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