CERTIFICATE

2024

To the Clerk of Brown County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Hiawatha 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 2024; and (3) the Amount(s) of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2024 Budget.

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Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	39,631	24,223	.910
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	6	314,674	285,147	11.300
Fire Protection	19-2717	7	19,880	18,339	.727
		7			
		8			
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxx	374,185	327,709	12.993
Budget Hearing Notice		0			
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice		9			
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

County Clerk's Use Only
25,221,864
Nov 1, 2023 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate 12.368

Assisted by:
Carolyn Brock

Address:
612 SW Terrace Avenue
Topeka KS 66611
Email:
brockck@sbcgloabal.net

Attest: September 15 2023
Nicole McKee
County Clerk

Larry Wenst, Treasurer
Michael D. Patton Trustee
James Ward, Clerk

Governing Body

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

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

Budgeted Funds for 2023	Tax Levy Amount in 2023 Budget	Allocation for Year 2024				
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh	Comm Veh	Watercraft
General	24,223	1,388	40	164	440	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	269,647	15,449	451	1,834	4,906	0
Fire Protection	18,345	1,051	31	125	334	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	312,215	17,888	522	2,123	5,680	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 17,888

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 522

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 2,123

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 5,680

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

MVT Factor 0.05729

RVT Factor 0.00167

16/20M Factor 0.00680

Comm Veh Factor 0.01819

Watercraft Factor 0.00000

2024

Hiawatha Township

Schedule of Transfers

Expenditure Fund Transferred From:	Receipt Fund Transferred To:	Actual Amount for 2022	Current Amount for 2023	Proposed Amount for 2024	Transfers Authorized by Statute
General	Special Machinery	20,000			80-122
Road	Special Machinery	80,000			68-141g
	Total	100,000	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	100,000	0	0	

*Note: Adjustments are required only if the transfer is being made in 2023 and/or 2024 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, 2023	Date Due		Amount Due 2023		Amount Due 2024	
					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, 2023	Payments Due 2023	Payments Due 2024
Grader	1/1/23	84	5.00	301,000		43,000	43,000
				Total	**0**	**43,000**	**43,000**

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

Hiawatha Township 2024

FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **General**	Prior Year Actual for 2022	Current Year Estimate for 2023	Proposed Budget Year for 2024
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	716	9,131	8,598
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	49,713	24,223	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		1,224	1,388
Recreational Vehicle Tax		34	40
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		151	164
Commercial Vehicle Tax		360	440
Watercraft Tax		10	0
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax		2,465	4,778
Cash Adjustment	-31		
Insurance Audit Refund			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous	1,921		
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rece			
Total Receipts	**51,603**	**28,467**	**6,810**
Resources Available:	**52,319**	**37,598**	**15,408**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	3,620	3,700	3,700
Salaries & Wages			
Employee Benefits			
Contract Labor	560	2,000	2,000
Supplies	2,549	1,500	1,500
Buildings Maintenance		3,000	3,000
Utilities & Cell Phone	2,534	3,500	3,500
Insurance	13,247	13,500	15,000
Budget & Publication	178	300	300
Brown County Rescue	500	500	500
Equipment & Repairs			9,131
Accountant		1,000	1,000
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(No Levy)			
Does the General Fund have a tax levy			
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(Gen has Levy)	**20,000**		
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avail	Exceeds 25%		
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**43,188**	**29,000**	**39,631**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	9,131	8,598	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2022/2023/2024 Budget Authority Amount:	28,627	29,000	39,631
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab A		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	39,631
		Tax Required	24,223
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	24,223

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Road**	Prior Year Actual for 2022	Current Year Estimate for 2023	Proposed Budget Year for 2024
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	47,256	15,555	948
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	305,080	269,647	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		15,850	15,449
Recreational Vehicle Tax		441	451
16/20M Vehicle Tax		1,954	1,834
Commercial Vehicle Tax		4,666	4,906
Watercraft Tax		135	0
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax		5,500	5,739
Recycle Materials	281		
Ag Partners			
A & R Pipeline-Road repairs	4,000		
Interest on Idle Funds	359	200	200
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**309,720**	**298,393**	**28,579**
Resources Available:	**356,976**	**313,948**	**29,527**
Expenditures:			
Salaries & Wages			
Employee Benefits			
Contract Labor	58,110	75,000	75,000
Road Materials (gravel & tubes)	122,619	125,000	121,424
Equipment Repairs	13,923	20,000	20,000
Equipment	31,080	21,000	26,250
Insurance		5,000	5,000
Fuel & Oil	35,689	20,000	20,000
Accounting			
Building		5,000	5,000
Lease Purchase-Grader		42,000	42,000
Transfer to Special Machinery	80,000		
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**341,421**	**313,000**	**314,674**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	15,555	948	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2022/2023/2024 Budget Authority Amount:	342,455	356,250	314,674
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	314,674
		Tax Required	285,147
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	285,147

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	**2022 Actual Year**
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	42,135
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	80,000
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	20,000
Brown County Treasurer	
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	
Resources Available:	142,135
Total Expenditures	
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**142,135**

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FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY

Adopted Budget **Fire Protection**	Prior Year Actual for 2022	Current Year Estimate for 2023	Proposed Budget Year for 2024
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	0	0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	19,882	18,345	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		1,056	1,051
Recreational Vehicle Tax		29	31
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		130	125
Commercial Vehicle Tax		311	334
Watercraft Tax		9	0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**19,882**	**19,880**	**1,541**
Resources Available:	**19,882**	**19,880**	**1,541**
Expenditures:			
City of Hiawatha	19,882	19,880	19,880
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**19,882**	**19,880**	**19,880**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2022/2023/2024 Budget Authority Amount:	19,880	19,880	19,880
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
See Tab A		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	19,880
		Tax Required	18,339
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	18,339

Adopted Budget

0	Prior Year Actual for 2022	Current Year Estimate for 2023	Proposed Budget Year for 2024
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1		0	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20M Vehicle Tax			0
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**0**	**0**	**0**
Resources Available:	**0**	**0**	**0**
Expenditures:			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**0**	**0**	**0**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2022/2023/2024 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 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	0

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NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

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Brown County
will meet on September 13, 2023 at 5:00 PM at Hiawatha Township Barn, 1115 Pottawatomie, Hiawatha for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds, the amount of ad valorem tax and the revenue neutral rate. Detailed budget information is available at Brown County Clerk's office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

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	Prior Year Actual 2022		Current Year Estimate 2023		Proposed Budget 2024		
Fund	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	43,188	0.950	29,000	1.067	39,631	24,223	0.961
Road	341,421	12.046	313,000	11.875	314,674	285,147	11.310
Fire Protection	19,882	0.803	19,880	0.808	19,880	18,339	0.727
FEMA							
Special Machinery							
Totals	404,491	13.799	361,880	13.750	374,185	327,709	12.998
					*Revenue Neutral Rate***		*12.368*
Less: Transfers	100,000		0		0		
Net Expenditure	304,491		361,880		374,185		
Total Tax Levied	315,489		312,215		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	21,448,011		22,677,269		25,212,843		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2021		2022		2023		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	15,000		0		0		
Total	15,000		0		0		

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

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

Larry Weast
Treasurer

125/100

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LARRY WEAST
HIAWATHA TOWNSHIP
2561 HORNED OWL RS
HIAWATHA, KS 66434

STATE OF KANSAS, BROWN COUNTY,
ss:

Sandra Ridings first duly sworn, deposes and says:
That she is the Legal Ad Coordinator of the Hiawatha World, a weekly newspaper printed in the state of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Brown County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a yearly basis in Brown County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious, or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a weekly, published at least weekly 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 the post office of Hiawatha in said county as periodical matter.

Run Dates:	*06/30/23*	*to*	*06/30/23*
Appearances:	*1*		
AD SPACE:	*126*		
TOTAL COST:	*$58.50*		

(Signed) Sandra Ridings

Subscribed and sworn before me this
30 day of June 2023

JUDY B. MORENO
Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri
Commissioned for Buchanan County
My Commission Expires: June 23, 2024
Commission Number: 12544882

Judy B. Moreno Notary Public

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Special Machinery							
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						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	13.169
Less: Transfers	100,000		0		0		
Net Expenditure	304,491		361,880		374,185		
Total Tax Levied	315,489		313,715		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation: Township	21,448,011		23,677,369		29,212,843		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2021		2022		2023		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	15,000		0		0		
Total	15,000		0		0		

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

Larry Weast
Treasurer

6744476

Resolution No. 2023

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

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the Hiawatha Township was calculated as12.368 mills by the Brown County Clerk; and

WHEREAS, the budget proposed by the Governing Body of the Hiawatha 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 13, 2023 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Hiawatha 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 Hiawatha Township:

The Hiawatha Township shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 12.368 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 13th day of September (month and year) and SIGNED by the Governing Body.

L Weast
Michael D. Patton
James Ward

Attested:
* Michael D. Patton

Roll Call Vote

Governing Body Members (please Print)	Yes	No	No Vote
Mike Patton	Yes		
James Ward	Yes		
Larry Weast	Yes		
Total			

Attested:
L Weast

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF Hiawatha Township, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE Brown County CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

XXXX Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is 12.998. The date of our hearing is September 13, 2023 at 5:00 PM and will be held at Hiawatha Township Barn, 1115 Pottawatomie, Hiawatha , Kansas.

_____ No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our budget to the County Clerk on or before August 25, 2023.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on June 16, 2023.

(Seal)

Richard D. Patton

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body