CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Harvey County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Richland 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	5		0	
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c	6	235,420	151,724	14.537
Non-Budgeted Funds					
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxx	235,420	151,724	14,537
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Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					

Revenue Neutral Rate	13.881
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	**YES**

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	10,437,309
	Nov. 1, 2025 Valuation

Assisted by:
Rick Piepho, County Clerk
Carolyn Brock
Address:
612 SW Terrace Avenue
Topeka, KS 66611
Email:
brockck@sbcglobal.net

Attest: 10-1 2025

County Clerk

HARVEY COUNTY KANSAS

Governing Body

Special Road Election held _____ for ___Mills for ___ years.
First levy in _____.

CPA Legend

Richland 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	145,044	12,665	376	103	8	146
	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	145,044	12,665	376	103	8	146

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 12,665

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 376

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 103

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 8

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 146

MVT Factor 0.08732

RVT Factor 0.00259

16/20M Factor 0.00071

Comm Veh Factor 0.00006

Watercraft Factor 0.00101

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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
Road	Special Machinery	-			68-1441g
General	Road	-			Closing
	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										
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 1,2025	Payments Due 2025	Payments Due 2026
Grader	3/16/21	84		307,681	215,947	31,734	31,734
				Total	**215,947**	**31,734**	**31,734**

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

Richland 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	17,196	62,784	62,598
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	138,718	145,044	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	1,872		
Motor Vehicle Tax	10,990	11,319	12,665
Recreational Vehicle Tax	343	413	376
16/20M Vehicle Tax	142	117	103
Commercial Vehicle Tax	7		8
Watercraft Tax		161	146
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	8,083	7,500	7,800
Insurance Refund	711		
HV Co Planning & Zoning	2,000		
Contract Work	18,349		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**181,215**	**164,554**	**21,098**
Resources Available:	**198,411**	**227,338**	**83,696**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	2,400	2,400	2,400
Salaries & Wages	10,418	10,000	10,000
Employee Benefits	1,628	1,500	1,500
Road Maintenance		40,000	54,000
Road Materials	106,761	44,700	64,700
Equipment	376	21,650	48,650
Repairs		3,000	15,000
Fuel/Supplies	6,662	6,650	6,330
Insurance	6,428	6,500	4,500
Budget & Publications	153	340	340
Other Operating	732	22,500	22,500
Weed Control		5,500	5,500
Bank Service Fee	69		
Transfer to Special Machinery			
Does transfer exceed 25% of Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**135,627**	**164,740**	**235,420**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	62,784	62,598	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	167,590	181,740	235,420
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	235,420
		Tax Required	151,724
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	151,724

Special Machinery

K.S.A. 68-141g	**2024 Actual Year**
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	134,679
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	0
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	
Resources Available:	134,679
Total Expenditures	59,504
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	**75,175**

CPA Summary

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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BUDGET SUMMARY

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FEMA							
Special Machinery	59,504						
Totals	195,131	14.527	164,740	14.525	235,420	151,724	14.520
*Revenue Neutral Rate***							*13.881*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	195,131		164,740		235,420		
Total Tax Levied	140,155		145,044		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	9,648,251		9,985,970		10,449,370		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023	2024	2025
Other	0	0	0
Lease Purchase Principal	275,947	245,947	215,947
Total	275,947	245,947	215,947

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

Leland Entz
Trustee

Richland Township

2026

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Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF RICHLAND TOWNSHIP, HEREBY NOTIFIES THE HARVEY COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

X Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is 14.52. The date of our hearing is 9/8/2025 at 7:00 pm and will be held at Whitewater Tire Office, 9431 SE 84th St, Kansas.

* Copy of "Notice of Hearing" from budget must be attached to the form when submitted to the County Clerk(s)

_____ No, we do not plan to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit our budget to the County Clerk on or before October 1, 2025.

WITNESS my hand and official seal on June 20, 2025.

(Seal)

Allen K Patterson

Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

Column
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PUBLICATION DATES:
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STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF HARVEY

Signed or attested before me on this

1st day of Aug, A.D. 2025.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10-17-2027

Lindsey Young
Notary Public,
State of Kansas

My appointment expires 10/17/2027

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RICHLAND TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-1

A RESOLUTION OF THE RICHLAND TOWNSHIP, KANSAS TO LEVY A PROPERTY TAX RATE EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the Richland Township was calculated as 13.881 mills by the Harvey County Clerk; and

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

WHEREAS, the Governing Body held a hearing on 9/8/2025 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Richland 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 RICHLAND TOWNSHIP:

The Richland Township shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 13.881 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 ____ day of _____ (month), 2025 and SIGNED by the Governing Body.

Leland Entz _____, Trustee

_____, Treasurer

Allen Patterson _____, Clerk

Roll Call Vote

Governing Body Members (please print)	Yes	No	No Vote
	X		
	X		
	X		
Total			

Attested: _____