CERTIFICATE

2026

To the Clerk of Morris County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers of
Township Eight
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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Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase		4			
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	27,006	8,695	2.398
Debt Service	10-113				
Library	12-1220				
Road	68-518c				
Special Machinery					
Totals		xxxxxx	27,006	8,695	2.398
Budget Hearing Notice		6			County Clerk's Use Only
Combined Rate and Budget Hearing Notice					3,627,279
Rate Hearing Notice					
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate					Nov 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate: 2.401

Assisted by:
Morris County Clerk
Chelsey Schmidt
Address:
501 West Main Street
Council Grove, KS 66846
Email:
cschmidt@morriscountyks.org

Morgan Barlow
8-25-25

Attest: October 23, 2025
Chelsey Schmidt
County Clerk

COUNTY CLERK SEAL MORRIS COUNTY, KANSAS

Governing Body

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

CPA Summary

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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	8,695	677	12	146	0	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0	0	0
Road	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	8,695	677	12	146	0	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 677

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 12

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 146

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 0

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

MVT Factor 0.07786

RVT Factor 0.00138

16/20M Factor 0.01679

Comm Veh Factor 0.00000

Watercraft Factor 0.00000

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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
General	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
General	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
Road	Special Machinery	-	-	-	
NONE					
	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										
NONE										
Total G.O. Bonds				0			0	0	0	0
Other										
NONE										
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
NONE							
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

Township Eight 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 January 1	17,948	17,787	17,476
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	8,595	8,695	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	97		
Motor Vehicle Tax	684	722	677
Recreational Vehicle Tax	17	17	12
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	213	170	146
Commercial Vehicle Tax			0
Watercraft Tax			0
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds	75		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**9,681**	**9,604**	**835**
Resources Available:	**27,629**	**27,391**	**18,311**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	200	200	300
Utilities	2,697	2,800	3,000
Insurance	3,135	3,150	3,300
Supplies/Building Maintenance	500	500	500
Mowing	3,250	3,200	3,400
RNR & Budget Publications	60	65	65
Cash Forward (2026 column)			16,441
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(No Levy)			
Does the General Fund have a tax levy			
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(Gen has Levy)			
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avail			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**9,842**	**9,915**	**27,006**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	17,787	17,476	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount:	26,112	27,900	27,006
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	27,006
		Tax Required	8,695
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	8,695

CPA Summary

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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Morris County
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Detailed budget information is available at Morris County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

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Fund	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	9,842	2.382	9,915	2.442	27,006	8,695	2.400
Debt Service							
Library							
Road							
Special Machinery							
Totals	9,842	2.382	9,915	2.442	27,006	8,695	2.400
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*2.401*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	9,842		9,915		27,006		
Total Tax Levied	8,695		8,695		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	3,648,662		3,561,840		3,623,387		
Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1	2023		2024		2025		
G.O. 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*

Marvin Barlow
Township Eight Treasurer

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

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

_____ Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is _____. The date of our hearing is _____ at _____ AM/PM and will be held at _____ address in _____, Kansas.

__X__ 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 7-17-, 2025.

(Seal)

Marvin R Barlow
Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

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State of Kansas, }
Morris County } ss.

JAN SCIACCA, being first duly sworn, Depose
of the Council Grove Republican, a daily News
and published in and of general circulation in M
paid circulation on a daily basis in Morris Cour
is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a daily published at least w
published continuously and uninterruptedly in
more than five years prior to the first publicatio
ted at the post office of Council Grove in said
That the attached notice is a true copy thereof a
entire issue of said newspaper for one time, th
aforesaid on the 21st day of July, 2025.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st

NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF KANSAS
CHRISTY JIMERSON
MY APPT. EXPIRES 9-3-25

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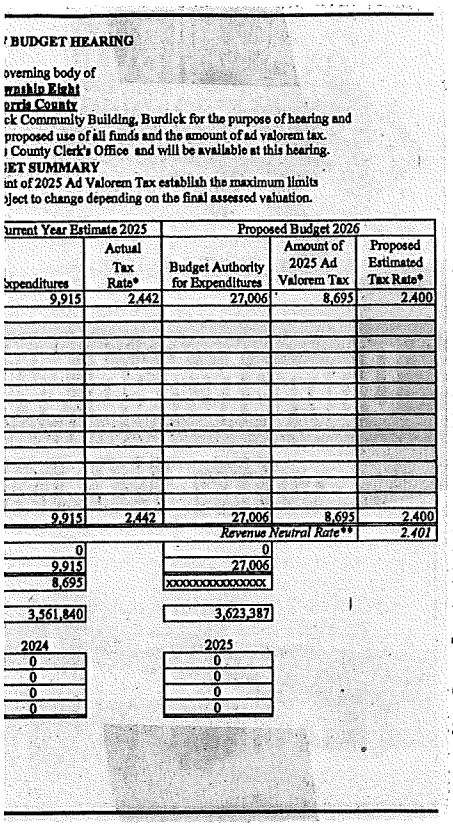
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Council Grove, KS 66846

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2024		2025		
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JAN SCIACCA, being first duly sworn, Deposes and says: That she is an employee of the Council Grove Republican, a daily Newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation in Morris County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation on a daily basis in Morris County, Kansas, and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is a daily 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 Council Grove in said County as second class matter. That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for one time, the publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 21st day of July, 2025.

Jan Sciacca

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of July, 2025

Christy Jimerson

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