CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Cowley County, State of Kansas
We, the undersigned, officers
of Vernon 5

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 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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General	15-1015	5	14,346	5,493	7.029
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Totals		XXXXXXXXX	14,346	5,493	7.029
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County Clerk's Use Only

781,507

Nov. 1, 2025 Total Assessed Valuation

Revenue Neutral Rate	7.029
Does budget require a resolution to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate?	No

Attested by:

Carol Druschka Treasurer 7/9/25

Address:

Susan L. Crouch Secretary 7/9/25

Email:

Richard Crumley President 7/9/25

Attest: Oct 28 2025

Karen Madison Deputy

County Clerk

CPA Summary

Cemetery 5
Cowley 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	5,494	540	8	50	13	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	5,494	540	8	50	13	0

County Treas Motor Vehicle Estimate 540

County Treas Recreational Vehicle Estimate 8

County Treas 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 50

County Treas Commercial Vehicle Tax Estimate 13

County Treas Watercraft Tax Estimate 0

MVT Factor 0.09829

RVT Factor 0.00146

16/20M Factor 0.00910

Comm Veh Facto 0.00237

Watercraft Facto 0.00000

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.

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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	4,615	7,113	8,217
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	5,499	5,494	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	18	25	25
Motor Vehicle Tax	592	492	540
Recreational Vehicle Tax	9	12	8
16/20M Vehicle Tax	71	66	50
Commercial Vehicle Tax	14	15	13
Watercraft Tax			0
In Lieu of Taxes			
Sale of Lots	800		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	**7,003**	**6,104**	**636**
Resources Available:	**11,618**	**13,217**	**8,853**
Expenditures:			
Operations	4,400	5,000	5,000
Publication	90		100
Other	15		9,246
Cash Reserve (2026 column)			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% Total Expenditure			
Total Expenditures	**4,505**	**5,000**	**14,346**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	7,113	8,217	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2024/2025/2026 Budget Authority Amount	13,000	10,939	14,346
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	14,346
		Tax Required	5,493
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	5,493

CPA Summary

State of Kansas
2026 Special District

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of
Cemetery 5
Cowley County
will meet on at at for the purpose of hearing and
answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to levied.
Detailed budget information is available at County Clerk's Office, 321 E 10th, Winfield and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2024		Current Year Estimate for 202		Proposed Budget Year for 2026		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	4,505	7.509	5,000	7.327	14,346	5,493	7.029
Debt Service							
Totals	4,505	7.509	5,000	7.327	14,346	5,493	7.029
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*7.029*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	4,505		5,000		14,346		
Total Tax Levied	5,494		5,494		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	731,678		749,804		781,507		

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*

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2026

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Cemetery 5

Cowley County

will meet on July 9, 2025 at 9:00 am at Cornerstone Christian Church, Arkansas for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied.
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	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget Year for 2026		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	4,505	7.000	3,000	7.977	12,346	5,193	7.039
Debt Service							
Totals	4,505	7.000	3,000	7.977	12,346	5,193	7.039
					Rev. Neutral Rate**		7.039
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	4,505		3,000		12,346		
Total Tax Levied	5,193		7,191		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	741,673		749,881		781,927		

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

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Carol Drescher

Column
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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Notice Name: Cemetery 5 budget hearing

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF COWLEY COUNTY

Signed or attested before me on this

28 day of June, A.D. 2025.

Notary Public

KATHRYN M SLANE
Notary Public
State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires 07/06/2029