CERTIFICATE 2024

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Final County Assessed	County Clerk's Use Only
Strong Township	6642107
Strong City	2243387
0	
Nov 1, 2023 Total Assessed Valuation	

Township Only Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	0.000
Township/3rd Class City Funds Revenue Neutral Rate	1.046

Assisted by:
Carolyn Brock

Address:
612 SW Terrace Avneue
Topeka, KS 66611
Email:
brockck@sbcglobal.net

Attest: 08/29 .2023
Connie M. Pruitt
County Clerk

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Strong Township 2024

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

	Budgeted Funds for 2023	Tax Levies in the 2023 Budget	Allocation for Year 2024									
			MVT - Township	MVT - City	RVT - Township	RVT - City	16/20M - Township	16/20 - City	CommVeh - Twnshp	CommVeh - City	Wtrcraft - Township	Wtrcraft - City
***	General	1.106	554	0	14	0	30	0	41	0	5	0
***	Debt Service	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***	Library	0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Special Road	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Noxious Weed	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
	Fire Protection	0.000	0		0		0		0		0	
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
***		0.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1.106	554		14		30		41		5	
	Total - 3rd Class City Levies (***)	1.106		0		0		0		0		0

Strong 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
None					
	Total	0	0	0	
	Adjustments*				
	Adjusted Totals	0	0	0	

*Note: Adjustments are required only if the transfer is being made in 2023 and/or 2024 from a non-budgeted fund.

Strong Township
Chase County

2024

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				**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
None							
				Total	**0**	**0**	**0**

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

Strong 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	2,485	1,705	710
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	5,459	6,954	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax		189	554
Recreational Vehicle Tax		4	14
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		22	30
Commercial Vehicle Tax		29	41
Watercraft Tax		4	5
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Sale of Lots	400		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			0
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
Total Receipts	**5,859**	**7,202**	**644**
Resources Available:	**8,344**	**8,907**	**1,354**
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	298	297	297
Supplies		250	361
Cemetery Mowing	4,480	6,000	6,000
Cemetery Roads/ Flagpole	1,234	1,000	1,000
Insurance	500	500	500
Budget & Publications	127	150	150
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 Avai			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	**6,639**	**8,197**	**8,308**
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	1,705	710	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2022/2023/2024 Budget Authority Amount:	7,457	8,947	8,308
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	8,308
		Tax Required	6,954
	Delinquent Comp Rate:	0.0%	0
		Amount of 2023 Ad Valorem Tax	6,954

CPA Summary

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

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Totals	6,639	0.824	8,197	1.106	8,308	6,954	1.045
*Funds Supported by Township Only - Revenue Neutral Rate***							*0.000*
*Funds Supported by Township and 3rd Class City - Revenue Neutral Rate***							*1.046*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	6,639		8,197		8,308		
Total Tax Levied	4,954		6,954		xxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Total Assessed Valuation	6,014,751		6,290,893		6,652,745		
Township Assessed Valuation Only					4,403,182		

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

Catherine Jones
Treasurer

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

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

XXX Yes, we intend to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and our proposed mill levy rate is 1.045. The date of our hearing is August 28, 2023 at 7:00 PM and will be held at Paul Jones' residence, 2353 U Road, Strong City , 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 _____, 2023_.

(Seal)

_____
Clerk or Officer of Governing Body

Strong Township 2024

2024 Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate

Budgeted Funds for 2024	2023 Ad Valorem before Rebate**	2023 Mil Rate before Rebate	Estimate 2024 NR Rebate
General			0
Debt Service			0
Library			0
Road			0
Special Road			0
Noxious Weed			0
Fire Protection			0
			0
			0
			0
			0
			0
TOTAL	0	0.000	0

2023 July 1 Valuation: 6,652,745

Valuation Factor: 6,652.745

Neighborhood Revitalization Subj to Rebate: 0

Neighborhood Revitalization factor:

**This information comes from the 2024 Budget Summary page. See instructions tab #12 for completing the Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate table.

WORKSHEET FOR STATE GRANT-IN-AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEMS

Budgeted Year: 2024

Library found in: Strong Township
Chase County

As provided in KSA 79-2933 *et seq.,* two tests are used to determine eligibility for State Library Grant. If the grant is approved, then the municipality's library will be paid the grant on February 15 of each year.

First test:

	Current Year 2023	Proposed Year 2024
Ad Valorem Tax	$0	$0
Delinquent Tax	$0	$0
Motor Vehicle Tax	$0	$0
Recreational Vehicle Tax	$0	$0
16/20M Vehicle Tax	$0	$0
LAVTR	$0	$0
	$0	$0
TOTAL TAXES	$0	$0
Difference in Total Taxes:	$0	
Qualify for grant: Qualify		

Second test:

Assessed Valuation	$6,290,893	$6,652,745
Did Assessed Valuation Decrease?	No	
Levy Rate	#REF!	#REF!
Difference in Levy Rate:	#REF!	
Qualify for grant: #REF!		

Overall does the municipality qualify for a grant? **Qualify**

If the municipality would not have qualified for a grant, please see the below narrative for assistance from the State Library.

Strong Township

NON-BUDGETED FUNDS

(Only the actual budget year for 2022 is reported)

2024

Non-Budgeted Funds

(1) Fund Name:		(2) Fund Name:		(3) Fund Name:		(4) Fund Name:		(5) Fund Name:		
	0		**0**		**0**		**0**		**0**	
Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Unencumbered		Total
Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		Cash Balance Jan 1		0
Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		Receipts:		
Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	Total Receipts	0	0
Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	Resources Available:	0	0
Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		Expenditures:		
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** Note: These two block figures should agree.

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Resolution No. 2023-828

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

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the Strong Township was calculated as 1.046 mills by the Chase County Clerk; and

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

WHEREAS, the Governing Body held a hearing on August 28, 2023 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Strong 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 Strong Township:

The Strong Township shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 1.046 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 28th day of Aug. 2023 (month and year) and SIGNED by the Governing Body.

Catherine Jones

Angie D. Thompson

Thom S. Thom

Attested:

Roll Call Vote

Governing Body Members (please Print)	Yes	No	No Vote
Catherine Jones	✓		
Angie Thompson	✓		
Tom Thompson	✓		
Total			

Attested: _____

Column
AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

See Proof on Next Page

Chase County Leader News
109 W. 6th Ave
(620) 342-4800

I, Bettina Shank, of lawful age, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that I am the Operations Manager of Chase County Leader News, a publication that is a "legal newspaper" as that phrase is defined for the city of Emporia, for the County of Chase, in the state of Kansas, that this affidavit is Page 1 of 2 with the full text of the sworn-to notice set forth on the pages that follow, and that the attachment hereto contains the correct copy of what was published in said legal newspaper in consecutive issues on the following dates:

PUBLICATION DATES:
19 Aug 2023

Notice ID: xIzHRk6YJ9IvOswJ1rJ2
Notice Name: Strong Township

PUBLICATION FEE: $25.32

Bettina Shank
Operations Manager

VERIFICATION

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF KANSAS
LISA M. STUEVE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF KANSAS
My Appt. Exp. 04-10-2027

STATE OF KANSAS
COUNTY OF CHASE

Signed or attested before me on this
22nd day of August, A.D. 2023.

Lisa Stueve
Notary Public

2024

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