REMINISCING

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1976

Susan Zimmerman and Tammy Dalquest are CGHS students attending Journalism Camp at Bethany College…Mr. and Mrs. Steve Blythe, Bonnie and Becky, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hoobler and Tammy attend the 2nd District Farm Bureau picnic in Olathe…Brigadier General Floyd Baker, Commander of Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, TX, promotes Richard J. Bowers, an OB-GYN resident, to the rank of Major.

1986

Shannon Meyers, member of Dwight Sunflowers 4-H Club, is first runner-up in the Tri-County Fair 4-H queen competition…Shanda Kasten, White City, receives sixth place in the intermediate division javelin at the TAC National Junior Olympics at the University of Nebraska…A son, Clayton Douglas, born to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Buchman.

1996

Tara Zuege receives her licensed practical nurse pin from Flint Hills Technical School, Emporia… Heather Picolet, Dwight, accepts a $500 Hays City Silver academic award to attend Fort Hays State University… Larry and Deanna Zeilmann, IL, parents of Noah Arthur, born July 26.

2006

Emily Frese attends a three-week Duke University Talent Identification Program on the University of Kansas campus…Allie Blythe shows the grand champion steer at the Morris County Fair…Travis Goodell and Carrie Blanton parents of a son, Cade Matthew Goodell, born July 24.

2016

Council Grove resumes its stature as Ball Capital of the Midwest when it hosts teams from six states in the Midwest Plains Regional Cal Ripken Baseball Tournament for11 year olds…Ginger Gensler shares improvements, changes and activities at the marina and store at Council Grove Reservoir when she speaks at a meeting of the Council Grove Rotary Club.

State reports jump in cyclosporiasis cases

TOPEKA (WIBW) - The number of cyclosporiasis cases in Kansas continues to rise.

Wednesday's report from the Kansas Department of Health and Environment stated that 461 cases have been reported in the Sunflower State so far this year.

That number was up 172 over the 289 cases that were reported a week ago.

Wednesday's numbers also were up 406 over the 55 cases reported two weeks ago.

In Wednesday's KDHE report, Shawnee County was listed as having 85 cyclosporiasis cases.

Osage County was reporting 10 cases, while Douglas County reported nine cases.

Meanwhile, one to five cases were reported in Geary, Jackson, Jefferson, Riley and Wabaunsee counties.

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Adam Hamilton visits

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of those three things to the United States Senate," Hamilton said, "to bring some courage, to remind people of their heart of compassion and empathy, and finally to really engage our critical thinking skills to solve big problems."

Hamilton asked those attending to support him in the Democratic primary.

"I'd be honored to be your next United States senator," he said.

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NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

2027

The governing body of

Dunlap Cemetery District

Morris County

will meet on September 3rd, 2026 at 5:00 P.M. at Dunlap Learning Academy, Dunlap, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds, the amount of tax to levied and the revenue neutral rate. Detailed budget information is available at Morris County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2027 Expenditures and Amount of 2026 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2027 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual 2025		Current Year Estimate for 2026		Proposed Budget Year for 2027		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2026 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	8,193	0.793	5,281	0.770	10,771	10,520	1.871
Debt Service							
Totals	8,193	0.793	5,281	0.770	10,771	10,520	1.871
						*Revenue Neutral Rate***	*0.715*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	8,193		5,281		10,771		
Total Tax Levied	4,014		4,020		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	5,060,640		5,218,403		5,621,230		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2024	2025	2026
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*

Helen Olsen

NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of

North Central Kansas Library System

Riley County

will meet on August 27, 2026 at 10:30 A.M. at NCKLS Conference Room - 2316 Sky Vue Lane; Manhattan, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds, the amount of tax to be levied and the revenue neutral rate. Detailed budget information is available at www.lib.nckls.org and will be available at this hearing.

SUPPORTING COUNTIES

Riley County (home county) Chase County, Clay County, Dickinson County, Marion County, Marshall County Morris County, Washington County

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2027 Expenditures and Amount of Current Year Estimate for 2026 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2027 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

	Prior Year Actual for 2025		Current Year Estimate for 2026		Proposed Budget Year for 2027		
FUND	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2026 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	1,154,886	1.036	1,445,000	1.217	1,349,000	1,151,267	1.115
Debt Service							
Employee Benefits	287,822	0.201	312,000	0.213	354,000	348,344	0.337
Special Revenue - State Aid	50,500		55,000		85,000		
Trust & Agency			150,000		150,000		
Non-Budgeted Funds	37,922						
Totals	1,531,130	1.237	1,962,000	1.430	1,938,000	1,499,611	1.452
						*Revenue Neutral Rate **	*1.396*
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditures	1,531,130		1,962,000		1,938,000		
Total Tax Levied	1,440,654		1,404,669		xxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation	996,179,200		1,008,102,841		1,032,318,252		

Outstanding Indebtedness, Jan 1,	2024	2025	2026
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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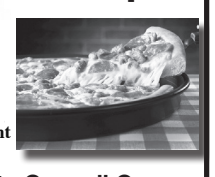
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