LEGAL NOTICES

(First published in the Western Kansas World Thursday, Oct. 22, 2026)

ORDINANCE NO. 1475

AN ORDINANCE DEANNEXING LAND FROM THE CITY OF WAKEENEY, KANSAS

WHEREAS, the following described land is located in Trego County, Kansas.

WHEREAS, the following described land meets one or more of the conditions prescribed by K. S. A. 12-504 et seq.;

WHEREAS, the following described land was annexed into the City of WaKeeney, Kansas by passage and approval of Ordinance #1439 on the 2nd day of September, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the governing body of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas finds it advisable to deannex such land.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WAKEENEY, KANSAS:

Section 1. That the following described land, meeting the conditions for deannexation prescribed in K.S.A. 12-504 et seq., is hereby deannexed and removed from being a part of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas:

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

A tract of land in the West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W/2 SE/4) of Section Four (4), Township Twelve (12) South, Range Twenty-three (23) West of the 6th P.M., Trego County, Kansas, described as follows:

Commencing at a point where the centerline of Eighth Street intersects with the City Limit of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas, (such point being 1,648 feet north and 894.65 feet west of the Southeast corner of the W/2 SE/4 of Section 4-12S-23W); thence East and parallel with the North line of said SE/4 of Section 4-12S-23W a distance of 280.0 feet; thence North and parallel with the East line of the W/2 SE/4 of Section 4-12S-23W a distance of 250 feet; thence West parallel with the north line of the SE/4 of Section 4-12S-23W a distance of 280.0 feet; thence South and parallel with the east line of the W/2 SE/4 of Section 4-12S-23W to the point of beginning.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage, approval, and publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas this 6th day of October 2026.

F. Irene Dirks, Mayor

ATTEST:

Hardy D. Howard, City Administrator / Clerk.

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ORDINANCE NO. 1476

AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING LAND TO THE CITY OF WAKEENEY, KANSAS.

WHEREAS, the following described land adjoins the City of WaKeeney, Kansas, and is generally located North of Block Five (5), Ruskin Heights Addition, WaKeeney, Kansas; and

WHEREAS, a signed agreement for annexation of the following described land, signed by all of the owners thereof, has been filed with the City of WaKeeney, Kansas, pursuant to K.S.A. 12-520, as amended: and WHEREAS, the governing body of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas, finds it advisable to annex such land.

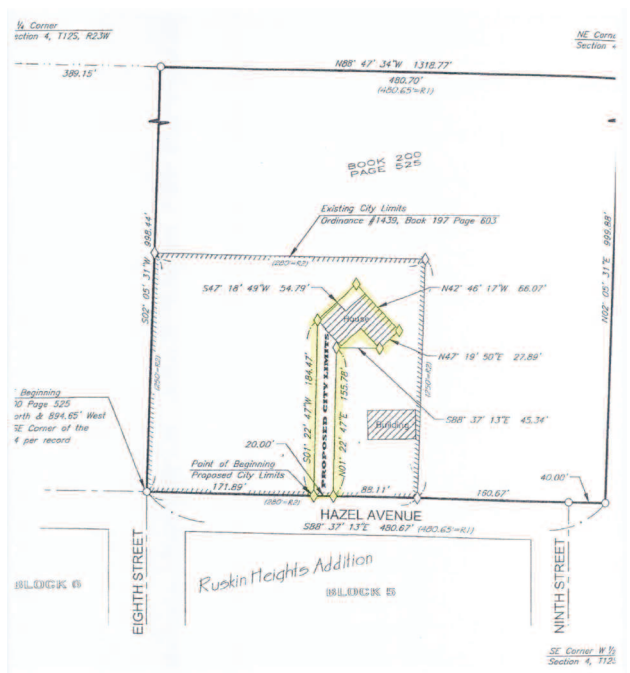
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WAKEENEY, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. That the following described land is hereby annexed and made a part of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas:

A tract of land in the West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W/2 SE/4) of Section Four (4), Township Twelve (12) South, Range Twenty-three (23) West of the 6th P.M., Trego County, Kansas, described as follows:

A Portion of the tract of land described in Book 200 at Page 525 of the Trego County Register of Deeds Office, being a portion of the West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W/2SE/4) of Section Four (4), Township Twelve (12) South, Range Twenty-three (23) West of the 6th Principal Meridian, Trego County, Kansas, more particularly described by Christopher R. Byer, PS-1574 on August 25, 2026, as follows:

COMMENCING at the point where the centerline of Eighth Street intersects with the centerline of Hazel Avenue, (such point being 1648 feet North and 894.65 feet West of the Southeast corner of said West Half of the Southeast Quarter (W/2SE/4); thence South 88 degrees 37 minutes 13 seconds East (this and all following bearings are based on the Kansas State Plane North Zone NAD83 (2011)) along the centerline of Hazel Avenue a distance of 171.89 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 88 degrees 37 minutes 13 seconds East along the centerline of Hazel Avenue a distance of 20.00 feet; thence North 01 degrees 22 minutes 47 seconds East a distance of 155.78 feet; thence South 88 degrees 37 minutes 13 seconds East a distance of 45.34 feet; thence North 47 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of 27.89 feet; thence North 42 degrees 46 minutes 17 seconds West a distance of 66.07 feet; thence South 47 degrees 18 minutes 49 seconds West a distance of 54.79 feet; thence South 01 degrees 22 minutes 47 seconds West a distance of 184.47 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.



SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of WaKeeney, Kansas, this 6th day of October 2026.

F. Irene Dirks, Mayor

ATTEST:

Hardy D. Howard

City Administrator/Clerk

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The following is a list of delinquent personal property tax warranst for 2025. In accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 79-2101, Kansas Annotated and any and all Supplements thereto, I Renee Neff, County Treasurer of Trego County, Kansas hereby certify that the Sheriff of Trego County, Kansas has returned the following personal property tax warrants for the year 2025 to me as being unpaid and the same are hereby transmitted in the office of the Clerk of the District Court, to be recorded as a judgement, unless otherwise prohibited by applicable Federal or State Law

TAXPAYER NAME

ARCADIAN RESOURCES, 313 E KANSAS ST, GLEN ELDER, KS 67446-0000, $789.60
DON BASGALL, C/O KERRI BAALMANN, 10350 S HOOVER RD, PECK, KS 67120-0000, $65.74
RICHARD & OR PENNY CORNETT, 6 HILLCREST AVE, EASTBOROUGH, KS 67208-0000, $82.36
RICHARD L CORNETT, 6 HILLCREST AVE, EASTBOROUGH, KS 67208-0000, $61.78
LLC CVR SUPPLY & TRADING, 2277 PLAZA DR, SUITE 500, SUGAR LAND, TX 77479-6602, $70.54
DART ROYALTIES LLC, PO BOX 2786, WICHITA, KS 67201-2786, $94.18
DEINES POLLAN SERVICES LLC, 810 S WASHINGTON ST, SCOTT CITY, KS 67871-0000, $1,105.42
VICTOR A ELLIS, 1245 LANIER BLVD NE, ATLANTA, GA 30306-0000, $203.16
FOUR WAY OPERATING INC, PO BOX 1232, GREAT BEND, KS 67530-0000, $852.68
ROBERT D FUSSELL, 3535 SW 6TH AVE, TOPEKA, KS 66606-1985, $68.46
ANNE HARRISON-CLARK, 116 COVE POINT LN, WILLIAMSBURG, VA 23185-0000, $83.80
ANNE HARRISON-CLARK, 116 COVE POINT LN, WILLIAMSBURG, VA 23185-0000, $77.12
MATTHEW D HUFFMAN, 3955 BECKET DR, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80906-0000, $68.18
WENDELL S JOHNS JR, C/O JEFFERSON JOHNS, 1205 N HICKORY CREEK ST., WICHITA, KS 67206-1003, $97.50
ARTHUR KING JR, 3755 RIVER OAKS DR, NORMAN, OK 73072-0000, $69.42
SALLY J KING, ESTATE, 3755 RIVER OAKS DR, NORMAN, OK 73072-4627, $58.44
LINDEN P MACAULEY, TRUST, 2378 SANTA FE DR UNIT C, LONGMONT, CO 80504-0000, $72.88
DONALD C MARCHANT, C/O GAIL MARCHANT, 9204 S 88TH EAST AVE, TULSA, OK 74133-0000, $63.56
MAUREEN T MOSHER, 1725 HAPP RD, NORTHBROOK, IL 60062-5699, $113.52
CHRIS MRAZ, 265 2ND ST, BELMONT, MS 38827-7729, $70.54
DEBRA MARCHANT MYERS, 343 S CENTER ST, ORANGE, CA 92866-0000, $61.78
CLAIRE K NASS, 5237 CLAUSEN AVE, WESTERN SPRINGS, IL 60558-2026, $113.52
JOHN W NORMAN, 10631 AUTUMN MEADOW, HOUSTON, TX 77064-0000, $60.38
PATTERSON ENERGY LLC, PO BOX 400, HAYS, KS 67601-0000, $2,557.34
DIANE R PENCE, 6903 N CONGRESS AVE, KANSAS CITY, MO 54152-0000, $172.96
ROBERTO ALFARO QUINONES, 1243 130TH AVE, COLLYER, KS 67631-9513, $59.26
PATRICIA ANN RYAN, 16437 S MARAIS, OLATHE, KS 66062-0000, $128.40
JUDITH A SCHREINER, 120 NE 66TH ST, TOPEKA, KS 66617-0000, $58.61
ROBERT D SCOTT, 13490 IVY ST, THORNTON, CO 80602-9223, $84.16
SECTION 37 LLC, 2617 N GARNETT, WICHITA, KS 67226-0000, $83.34
JUNE L SHAFFER, 15015 E TEQUESTA CT, FOUNTAIN HLS, AZ 85268-1606, $76.52
DOROTHY SHROYER, PO BOX 249, INMAN, KS 67546-0000, $58.75
DAVE SMITH, 714 SHERIDAN #128, FORT DODGE, KS 67843-0000, $265.54
TOM L STOVER, 1525 US HWY 380, STE 500 BOX 36, FRISCO, TX 75033-0000, $60.93
MARGARET TRAVIS, 1004 E TATE, BROWNFIELD, TX 79316-0000, $77.58
MICKEY TRAVIS, 1004 E TATE, BROWNFIELD, TX 79316-0000, $77.58
GEORGE G VAUGHT JR, PO BOX 13557, DENVER, CO 80201-3557, $103.52
LAWRENCE J WALDSCHMIDT JR, C/O GEORGE WALDSCHMIDT, 341 WISCONSIN ST, OGALLAH, KS 67656-0000, $62.60
RAY N WARREN, 2777 NORTH TOWNE LANE, APT E1021, RENO, NV 89506-0000, $68.88
PAT WEAKLY, C/O RONETTE LARSON, 9211 E HARRY ST APT 1809, WICHITA, KS 67207-5064, $204.38
ROBERT C WEIBEL, 2125 CLINTON PKWY APT 206, LAWRENCE, KS 66047-0000, $58.61
LENNA LEA WIEBE, 7200 SILVERHEEL ST UNIT 111, PO BOX 9, SHAWNEE, KS 66227-0000, $84.26
STEPHANIE WRIGHT, 1101 POST OAK TRL, ANNA, TX 75409-4459, $61.20

USD 208 SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

JUNE 8, 2026

Regular Meeting

CALL TO ORDER The meeting was called to order by Clayton Wilson at 5:29 p.m.

ROLL CALL On order of the President, the Clerk recorded attendance as follows: *Members:* Clayton Wilson, Seth Albers, Carey Fose, Eric Kinderknecht, Mike Kriegshauser, Becky Windholz; **Members Absent:** Ashley Conness (in at 6:52 p.m.); **Superintendent:** Matt Smith; **Administration:** Shea Rothchild-TCHS Principal, Tyler Flavin-TGS Principal; **Clerk:** Kasandra Bliss; **Guests:** Miki Smith, Erica Smith, Jeremy Samson-Assistant Athletic Director

All in attendance stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO THE CONSENT AGENDA *Additions:* Item 7 Communications and Petitions – Thank you note from David Schneider; Item 21A Personnel - Executive Session

APPROVAL OF THE CONSENT AGENDA It was moved by Becky Windholz, seconded by Mike Kriegshauser, to approve the consent agenda as amended, the minutes of the May 11, 2026 regular board meeting, the Clerk's Check Register, including Lyons Federal Bank checks 2397-2450 and automatic checks 10173-10178 totaling $169,987.35, the Treasurer's Report, and the activity account reports. Motion carried with six affirmative votes. (Action 26151)

COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS It was moved by Mike Kriegshauser, seconded by Seth Albers, to accept the following: $53.60 donation from Casey's Loyalty Program to TGS; Thank you note from Courtney Berning, Megan Ghumm, and Margaret Day for Teacher Appreciation Week treats; Thank you note from David Schneider for naming the annual Trego Community Schools track meet after him. Motion carried with

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 5004

A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 5 of the constitution of the state of Kansas to require individuals to be citizens of the United States, at least 18 years of age and a resident of the voting area in which such person seeks to vote in order to vote in this state.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Kansas, two-thirds of the members elected (or appointed) and qualified to the House of Representatives and two-thirds of the members elected (or appointed) and qualified to the Senate concurring therein:

Section 1. The following proposition to amend the constitution of the state of Kansas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the state for their approval or rejection: Section 1 of article 5 of the constitution of the state of Kansas is hereby amended to read as follows:

"§ 1. Qualifications of electors. ~~Every~~(a) *No person shall be deemed a qualified elector unless such person:*

(1) *Is* a citizen of the United States ~~who~~;

(2) has attained the age of eighteen years; and ~~who~~

(3) *except as provided in subsection (b) or (c),* resides in the voting area in which ~~he or she~~ *such person* seeks to vote ~~shall be deemed a qualified elector~~.

(b) Laws of this state relating to voting for presidential electors and candidates for the office of president and vice-president of the United States shall comply with the laws of the United States relating thereto. A citizen of the United States, who is otherwise qualified to vote in Kansas for presidential electors and candidates for the offices of president and vice-president of the United States may vote for such officers either in person or by absentee ballot notwithstanding the fact that such person may have become a nonresident of this state if ~~his or her~~ *such person's* removal from this state occurs during a period in accordance with federal law next preceding such election.

(c) A person who is otherwise a qualified elector may vote in the voting area of ~~his or her~~ *such person's* former residence either in person or by absentee ballot notwithstanding the fact that such person may have become a nonresident of such voting area during a period prescribed by law next preceding the election at which ~~he or she~~ *such person* seeks to vote, if ~~his~~ *such person's* new residence is in another voting area in the state of Kansas."

Sec. 2. The following statement shall be printed on the ballot with the amendment as a whole:

"*Explanatory statement*. This amendment would clarify that only a person who is a citizen of the United States is eligible to vote in this state.

"A vote for this proposition would clarify that only a person who is a citizen of the United States is eligible to vote in this state.

"A vote against this proposition would make no change to the constitution of the state of Kansas, and the language concerning voter qualifications would remain the same."

Sec. 3. This resolution, if approved by two-thirds of the members elected (or appointed) and qualified to the House of Representatives and two-thirds of the members elected (or appointed) and qualified to the Senate, shall be entered on the journals, together with the yeas and nays. The secretary of state shall cause this resolution to be published as provided by law and shall cause the proposed amendment to be submitted to the electors of the state at the general election in November in the year 2026, unless a special election is called at a sooner date by concurrent resolution of the legislature, in which case the proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state at the special election.

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Know your Elected Officials

The following officials are locally-elected representatives for WaKeeney City Council, Collyer City Council, USD #208 School Board, Trego County elected positions, and State & US officials

WaKeeney City Council

WaKeeney City Council meets the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of each month, 6:15 p.m. at WaKeeney City Hall - Council Chambers

Meetings are also live streamed on the City of WaKeeney Facebook page

- **Irene Dirks** — *Mayor* — Term to 2028
- **Brent Deines** — *Council Member* — Term to 2030
- **Curtis Flax** — *Council Member* — Term to 2028
- **Courtney Berning** — *Council Member* — Term to 2030
- **David Anderson** — *Council Member* — Term to 2030
- **Shane Pfeifer** — *Council Member* — Term to 2028

USD 208 Board of Education

USD 208 BOE meets the 2nd Monday of each month, 5:30 p.m. at Trego Grade School Conference Room

- **Clayton Wilson** — *President* — Term to 2028
- **Eric Kinderknecht** — *Board Member* — Term to 2028
- **Becky Windholz** — *Board Member* — Term to 2028
- **Seth Albers** — *Vice President* — Term to 2030
- **Carey Fose** — *Board Member* — Term to 2030
- **Unfilled** — *Unexpired 2-yr term* — Term to 2028
- **Ashley Conness** — *Board Member* — Term to 2030

Collyer City

Collyer City Council meets the 1st Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at the City Building

- **Larry Walt** — *Mayor* — Term to 2028
- **Robert Hardman** — *Council Member* — Term to 2028
- **Jennifer Ricker** — *Council Member* — Term to 2028
- **Jeff Knop** — *Council Member* — Term to 2030
- **Adam Schneider** — *Council Member* — Term to 2030
- **Lane Keith** — *Council Member* — Term to 2030

Trego County Commission

Trego County Commission meets every Tuesday and the last day of each month, 5:00 p.m. at the Trego Co. Courthouse - Commission Room, WaKeeney

- **Kurtis Brock** — *Chairman, Dist. 1* — Term to 2027
- **Jerry White** — *Commissioner, Dist. 2* — Term to 2029
- **Jared Hager** — *Commissioner, Dist. 3* — Term to 2029

Trego County Officials

- **Edward Pritchard** — *Sheriff* — Term to 2029
- **Lori Augustine** — *Clerk* — Term to 2029
- **Renee Neff** — *Treasurer* — Term to 2029
- **Abraham Pfannenstiel** — *Attorney* — Term to 2029
- **Brenda Brock** — *Register of Deeds* — Term to 2029
- **Richard Hanks** — *Dist. Magistrate Judge* — Term to 2027
- **Adam Wilson** — *Appraiser* — Apointed
- **Tiffany Gillespie** — *Clerk of Dist Court* — Appointed

Voters in Trego Co.

US House Kansas District 1
Senate District 40
House of Representatives District 118

US Senate

- **Jerry Moran** — *Senator* — Hays: 785-628-6401
- **Dr. Roger Marshall** — *Senator* — Salina: 785-829-9000

US House of Rep.

- **Tracey Mann** — *US House, KS-1* — Dodge City office: 620-682-7340

KS Senate

- **Rick Billinger** — *Dist. 40* — Email rick.billinger@senate.ks.gov

KS House of Rep.

- **Jim Minnix** — *Dist. 118 Represent.* — Email: Jim.Minnix@house.ks.gov

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