

**Board of Trustees**  
**Barton County Community College**  
**August 24, 2021 Board Meeting**  
**Revenue Neutral Hearing**

Senate Bill 13 requires that the County be notified of our intent to exceed the revenue neutral date by July 20th. This notification was sent to Barton County. The notice of the intent to exceed the revenue neutral rate is provided below. Senate Bill 13 requires that the Board of Trustees publish this notice as well as provide a hearing for answering objections from taxpayers.

The law also requires that the Board of Trustees vote on a resolution to exceed the revenue neutral rate. The proposed published budget keeps the mill levy at approximately the same value (33.050), which in turn increases the tax request by approximately \$246,362. The county's estimated valuation increased this past year mainly due to the recovery of oil/gas increases. The mill levy request is based on the valuation number provided by the County on June 10, 2021.

The Board of Trustees have typically attempted to keep the mill levy the same from year to year which results in decreases/increases in revenue based on the final valuation which is certified in November of each year.

**Recommendation:** Approve the revenue neutral rate resolution as presented.

Budget Form CC-J						STATE OF KANSAS
<b>NOTICE OF REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING</b>						
<b>2021-2022 BUDGET</b>						
The governing body of Barton Community College, Barton County, will meet on August 24, 2021 at 4:00 p.m., at F30 Lower Level of the Fine Arts Building for the purpose of answering objections of taxpayers relating to the REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE and proposed tax rate as required by 2021 Kansas Senate Bill 13, and the proposed use of all funds, and the amount of tax to be levied, and to consider amendments. Detailed budget information is available at the Business Office and will be available at this hearing.						
Revenue Neutral Rate =	32.328	Proposed Tax Rate =	33.050			