Board of Trustees Barton County Community College August 22, 2023 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 sets a mill levy at 29.380 mills. This mill rate will increase the tax request by approximately \$506,365. The county's estimated valuation increased this past year mainly due to real estate and the recovery of oil/gas increases. The mill levy request is based on the valuation number provided by the County on June 20, 2023.

Prior to SB13, the Board of Trustees had 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.



Resolution No. 23-01

A RESOLUTION OF BARTON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE, TO LEVY A PROPERTY TAX RATE EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

WHEREAS, the budget proposed by the Board of Trustees of Barton County Community College will require the levy of a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees held a hearing on <u>August 22, 2023</u> allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Barton County Community College, having heard testimony, still finds it necessary to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BARTON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE:

Barton County Community College shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of <u>27.959</u> 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 Board of Trustees.

ADOPTED this 22nd day of August and **SIGNED** by the Board of Trustees Chairperson.

Board of Trustees Chairperson
Attested:
Board of Trustees Clerk

Recommendation: Approve the revenue neutral rate resolution as presented.

Budget Form CC-J

STATE OF KANSAS

NOTICE OF HEARING TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE AND BUDGET HEARING 2023-2024 BUDGET

The governing body of in Barton County will meet on
August 22, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. at F30 Lower Level of Fine Arts Bldg.
for the purpose of answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds, and the amount of ax to be levied, the revenue neutral rate, and to consider amendments. Detailed budget information is available at Business Offic and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

The Expenditures and the Amount of 2023 Tax to be Levied (as shown below) establish the maximum limits of the 2023-2024 budget. The "Est. Tax Rate" in the far right column, shown for comparative purposes, is subject to change depending on final assessed valuation.

Notice of Revenue Neutral Rate Intent

THE GOVERNING BODY OF Barton Community ColleGEREBY NOTIFIES THE Barton COUNTY CLERK OF INTENT TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;

х	Yes, we into	end to exceed the Revenue N	leutral Rate a	and our pr	oposed mill levy rat	te is
	29.380	The date of our hearing is 3	3-22-23	at 4:00	AM/Mand will be)
	held at Fi	ne Arts-F30 in Barton	, Kans	as.		