MINUTES for AUGUST 28, 2023 BOARD of CHEROKEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE HEARING 2024 BUDGET HEARING CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS

CONVENE

Chairman Cory Moates opened the hearing to exceed the revenue neutral rate on August 28, 2023, at 6:00p.m., in the district courtroom of the Cherokee County Courthouse located at 110 W Maple St., Columbus, Kansas. Gary Krokroskia gave the prayer and then lead the group in attendance with the Pledge of Allegiance.

REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE HEARING

Discussion surrounded the hearing to exceed the RNR. Many taxpayers posed questions to the Board who replied with answers which satisfied the taxpayers.

Commissioner Moates made a motion to exceed the revenue neutral rate of 29.069. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Moates made a motion to pass resolution 07-2023, a resolution of the County of Cherokee, KS to levy a property tax rate exceeding the revenue neutral rate. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Moates closed the hearing to exceed the revenue neutral rate.

2024 SEWER DISTRICT BUDGET HEARING

Chairman Cory Moates opened the budget hearing for the 2024 Cherokee County sewer district #1.

Commissioner Moates made a motion to pass the 2024 budget for the Cherokee County sewer district #1 as presented. Commissioner Frazier seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Moates closed the hearing of the 2024 Sewer District #1 budget.

2024 CHEROKEE COUNTY BUDGET HEARING

Chairman Cory Moates opened the hearing for the 2024 budget of Cherokee County.

Commissioner Moates noted that in 2023 the county set the budget at 33.204 mills and the proposed budget presented for 2024 is 34.305 mills.

Commissioner Moates made a motion to pass the 2024 budget for Cherokee County as presented. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Moates closed the hearing of the 2024 Cherokee County budget.

ATTEST: Resolved and ordered this <u>31st</u> day of <u>August</u> 2023

County Clerk - Rebecca S Brassart

Commissioner Chair – Cory Moates

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Commissioner – Myra Carlisle Frazier