

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND HEARING TO EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE

The Board of County Commissioners of Cherokee County Kansas will meet on Monday, August 24, 2026, at 9:30 a.m., at the Cherokee County Courthouse located at 110 W. Maple Columbus, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of the proposed ad valorem tax.

The Board of County Commissioners is proposing to levy a property tax rate of 42.156 mills for the 2027 budget, which exceeds the prior year's levy of 37.939 mills. The proposed tax rate exceeds the Revenue Neutral Rate.

Detailed budget information is available at Cherokee County Clerk's Office located at 110 W. Maple St. Columbus, KS and will be available at the hearing.

All taxpayers are invited to attend the hearing and present oral or written comments. Following the hearing, the Board may adopt the proposed budget and establish the final property tax levy.