

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of Norton County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

Norton County

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
 (2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted as the
 maximum expenditure for the various funds for the year 2010; and (3) the Amount(s)
 of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations.

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			Expenditures	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	County Clerk's Use Only
Gettis Cemetery	12-1405	26	1,856	1,800	2,754
Clayton Cemetery	12-1405	27	2,784	2,500	2,468
Oronoque Cemetery	12-1405	28	1,225	1,112	1,261
Edmond Cemetery	12-1405	29	1,925	1,846	,4279
Almena Cemetery	12-1405	30	31,708	28,292	5,805
Almena Fire Dist. No. 1	19-3610	31	18,507	16,504	3,203
Norton Fire Dist. No. 2	19-3610	32	43,285	38,789	3,507
Solomon Fire Dist. No. 3	19-3610	33	11,491	10,437	3,175
Almena Township	79-1962	34	462	402	,094
Harrison Township	79-1962	35	803	786	
SPECIAL DIST. TOTAL			114,046	102,468	
Publication			36		

CONSOLIDATED METHOD FUND PAGE

Special District Name

Gettis Cemetery

FUND PAGE

Adopted Budget

General

	Prior Year Actual 2008	Current Year Estimate 2009	Proposed Budget Year 2010
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1	0	0	0
Ad Valorem Tax	1,500	1,500	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax	20	41	50
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	1	0
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	14	14	13
LAVTR	0	0	0
In Lieu of Taxes	0	0	0
Donations	0	0	0
Canc of Prior Yr Encumbrances			
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	1,534	1,556	63
Resources Available:	1,534	1,556	63
Expenditures:			
Contractual Services	1,534	1,556	1,856
Capital Outlay	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	1,534	1,556	1,856
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	0	0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2008/2009 Budget Authority Amount:	1,534	1,556	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Violation of Budget Law for 2008/2009:	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Possible Cash Violation for 2008:	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
			XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Non-Appropriated Balance			7
Total Expenditures and Non-Appropriated Balance			1,863
Tax Required			1,800
Delinquency Computation		%	0
Amount of Tax to be Levied			1,800

ALLOCATION OF MVT AND RVT

Budgeted Fund Names	Actual Amt of LY Levy	MVT Alloc	RVT Alloc	16/20M Alloc	Slider
General	1,500	50	0	13	
Total	1,500	50	0	13	0

MVT Factor

50

RVT Factor

0

16/20M Factor

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SPECIAL DISTRICT RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO. 2009-01

A resolution expressing the property taxation policy of the Board of Gettis Cemetery
with respect to financing the 2010 annual budget for Gettis Cemetery,
Norton County, Kansas.

Whereas, K.S.A. 79-2925b, provides that a resolution be adopted if property taxes levied to finance the 2010 Gettis Cemetery budget exceed the amount levied to finance the 2009 Gettis Cemetery budget, except with regard to revenue produced and attributable to the taxation of 1) new improvements to real property; 2) increased personal property valuation, other than increased valuation of oil and gas leaseholds and mobile homes; and 3) property which has changed in use during the past year, or with regard to revenue produced for the purpose of repaying the principal of and interest upon bonded indebtedness, temporary notes, or no-fund warrants; and

Whereas, budgeting, taxing and service level decisions for all District services are the responsibility of the district board; and

Whereas, the Gettis Cemetery provides the essential services to district residents; and

Whereas, the cost of provision of these services continues to increase.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Gettis Cemetery
is our desire to increase property taxes to finance the 2010 District budget due to the above mentioned constraints.

ADOPTED THIS _____ day of _____, 2009 by the Board of Gettis Cemetery,
Norton County, Kansas.

Board of Gettis Cemetery
NORTON County

(Chairman)

(Member)

(Member)

CONSOLIDATED METHOD FUND PAGE

Special District Name Clayton Cemetery

FUND PAGE

Adopted Budget

General

	Prior Year Actual 2008	Current Year Estimate 2009	Proposed Budget Year 2010
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1	0	0	0
Ad Valorem Tax	2,500	2,500	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax	91	193	209
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	5	5
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	34	47	70
LAVTR	0	0	0
In Lieu of Taxes	0	0	0
Donations	0	0	0
Canc of Prior Yr Encumbrances	0	0	0
Interest on Idle Funds	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	2,625	2,745	284
Resources Available:	2,625	2,745	284
Expenditures:			
Contractual Services	2,625	2,745	2,784
Capital Outlay	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	2,625	2,745	2,784
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	0	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2008/2009 Budget Authority Amount:	2,625	2,745	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Violation of Budget Law for 2008/2009:	No	No	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Possible Cash Violation for 2008:	No	No	xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
			xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Non-Appropriated Balance			0
Total Expenditures and Non-Appropriated Balance			2,784
Tax Required			2,500
Delinquency Computation			0
Amount of Tax to be Levied			2,500

ALLOCATION OF MVT AND RVT

Budgeted Fund Names	Actual Amt of LY Levy	MVT Alloc	RVT Alloc	16/20M Alloc	Slider
General	2,500	209	5	70	
Total	2,500	209	5	70	0

MVT Factor 209

RVT Factor 5

16/20M Factor 70

CONSOLIDATED METHOD FUND PAGE

Special District Name Oronoque Cemetery

FUND PAGE

Adopted Budget

General

	Prior Year Actual 2008	Current Year Estimate 2009	Proposed Budget Year 2010
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1	0	0	0
Ad Valorem Tax	1,112	1,112	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	46	69	69
Recreational Vehicle Tax	0	3	3
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	39	41	41
LAVTR	0	0	0
In Lieu of Taxes	0	0	0
Donations	0	0	0
Canc of Prior Yr Encumbrances	0	0	0
Interest on Idle Funds	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	1,197	1,225	113
Resources Available:	1,197	1,225	113
Expenditures:			
Contractual Services	1,197	1,225	1,225
Capital Outlay	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	1,197	1,225	1,225
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	0	0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2008/2009 Budget Authority Amount:	1,197	1,225	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Violation of Budget Law for 2008/2009:	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Possible Cash Violation for 2008:	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
			XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Non-Appropriated Balance			0
Total Expenditures and Non-Appropriated Balance			1,225
Tax Required			1,112
Delinquency Computation		%	0
Amount of Tax to be Levied			1,112

ALLOCATION OF MVT AND RVT

Budgeted Fund Names	Actual Amt of LY Levy	MVT Alloc	RVT Alloc	16/20M Alloc	Slider
General	1,112	69	3	41	
Total	1,112	69	3	41	0

MVT Factor 69

RVT Factor 3

16/20M Factor 41

CONSOLIDATED METHOD FUND PAGE

Special District Name Edmond Cemetery

FUND PAGE

Adopted Budget General		Prior Year Actual 2008	Current Year Estimate 2009	Proposed Budget Year 2010
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1		0	0	0
Ad Valorem Tax		1,846	1,846	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax		0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax		47	66	62
Recreational Vehicle Tax		1	2	2
16/20 M Vehicle Tax		16	17	15
LAVTR		0	0	0
In Lieu of Taxes		0	0	0
Donations		0	0	0
Canc of Prior Yr Encumbrances		0	0	0
Interest on Idle Funds		0	0	0
Miscellaneous				
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Receipts				
Total Receipts		1,910	1,931	79
Resources Available:		1,910	1,931	79
Expenditures:				
Contractual Services		1,910	1,931	1,925
Capital Outlay		0	0	0
Miscellaneous				
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Expenditures				
Total Expenditures		1,910	1,931	1,925
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31		0	0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2008/2009 Budget Authority Amount:		1,910	1,931	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Violation of Budget Law for 2008/2009:	No	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Possible Cash Violation for 2008:	No	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
				XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	Non-Appropriated Balance			0
	Total Expenditures and Non-Appropriated Balance			1,925
	Tax Required			1,846
Delinquency Computation	%			0
	Amount of Tax to be Levied			1,846

ALLOCATION OF MVT AND RVT

Budgeted Fund Names	Actual Amt of LY Levy	MVT Alloc	RVT Alloc	16/20M Alloc	Slider
General	1,846	62	2	15	
Total	1,846	62	2	15	0

MVT Factor 62

RVT Factor 2

16/20M Factor 15

CONSOLIDATED METHOD FUND PAGE

Special District Name Almena Cemetery

FUND PAGE

Adopted Budget

General

	Prior Year Actual 2008	Current Year Estimate 2009	Proposed Budget Year 2010
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan. 1	0	0	0
Ad Valorem Tax	28,292	28,292	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax	0	0	0
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,575	2,729	2,952
Recreational Vehicle Tax	31	53	53
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	237	249	411
LAVTR	0	0	0
In Lieu of Taxes	0	0	0
Donations	0	0	0
Canc of Prior Yr Encumbrances	0	0	0
Interest on Idle Funds	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	30,135	31,323	3,416
Resources Available:	30,135	31,323	3,416
Expenditures:			
Contractual Services	30,135	31,323	31,708
Capital Outlay	0	0	0
Miscellaneous			
Does misc exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	30,135	31,323	31,708
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	0	0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2008/2009 Budget Authority Amount:	30,135	31,323	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Violation of Budget Law for 2008/2009:	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Possible Cash Violation for 2008:	No	No	XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
			XXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Non-Appropriated Balance			0
Total Expenditures and Non-Appropriated Balance			31,708
Tax Required			28,292
Delinquency Computation		%	0
Amount of Tax to be Levied			28,292

ALLOCATION OF MVT AND RVT

Budgeted Fund Names	Actual Amt of LY Levy	MVT Alloc	RVT Alloc	16/20M Alloc	Slider
General	28,292	2,952	53	411	
Total	28,292	2,952	53	411	0

MVT Factor 2,952

RV Factor 53

16/20M Factor 411

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Brookville, First District GOP Chairman, held an abbreviated First District Meeting.

Present from the Phillips County Republican Central Committee were: Janene Schneider, Logan, the master of ceremonies; Linda McDowell, Agra, treasurer; and Karl Moore, Phillipsburg, secretary. Denis Miller, Phillipsburg, chairman, was unable to be present. Lynn Clements, Logan, the immediate past chairman, was present.

Other dignitaries present were: Bob Quanz, Glade, Phillips County commissioner and wife, Shirley; John Miller, Norton, Norton County commissioner; Deena Horst, Salina, a State Representative; and Steve Berry, Lenora, Chairman of the Norton County Republican Central Committee.

Melvin Schooler, military veteran from Logan, led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and Karl Moore gave the invocation.

Judy Schneider and Staci Hartman, both of Logan, entertained with a patriotic song, "In God We Trust."

Jim Barnett

The evening program concluded with the same duet leading the crowd in the singing of the Kansas song, "Home on the Range."

Jim Barnett

State Senator Barnett is a graduate of Emporia State University and received his Doctor of Medicine degree from the University of Kansas School of Medicine. He and his wife, Yvonne, reside in Emporia and have two children, Chelsea and Blake.

Sue Boldra

"We're spending too much at the federal level and need conservative leadership," said Barnett. "I think America is waking up. We need help in meeting energy needs without depending on foreign countries. The current health care bill will hurt seniors; it is irresponsible."

wife, Audrey. "I was Congressman Moran's first intern in Washington and I learned that fiscal responsibility is most important," said Mann. "I will focus on two major issues: economic growth and farm policy."

Monte Shadwick

Monte Shadwick was born in Great Bend but has lived in Salina most of his life. His father, Gerald Shadwick, was chief of staff for U.S. Senator Frank Carlson. Monte served on the Salina City Commission for eight years including two terms as mayor.

During one three and one-half year period, he was on Congressman Moran's district constituent staff in Salina. He has taught middle-school, coached high school basketball, been a securities broker and financial advisor and has been a small business owner and operated a restaurant.

"I really learned the important issues when I was working with Congressman Moran," said Shadwick. "I saw how out of touch Congress is with Western Kansas. Congress is getting more and more urban. We have too much government."

Rob Wassinger

Rob Wassinger is a fourth generation Kansan. He believes Kansas has the best farmers and ranchers anywhere and is proud of our heritage as a farm state. He worked for Senator Brownback for the past 12 years and recently moved back to Kansas. He has also been a staffer for Governor Bill Graves and Kansas Senate Majority Leader Jerry Moran.

"I have covered all 69 counties in the Big First District since announcing my candidacy," said Wassinger.

"It concerns me that President Obama plans to tax and spend and the strength of our national defense is a major issue."

Chris Kobach

Chris Kobach is troubled by the increase in voter fraud. To fight it, he believes we need the following requirements for voters: a photo identification, proof of citizenship and prosecution of voter fraud. "I want to make these changes," Kobach said. "Everyone will be affected by it."

and our grain prices are hurting," said Ostmeyer. "But, we'll get through it. "Goodland Vo Tech could be hurt by budget cuts and that would be bad."

"We finally got the coal-fired power plant that we need but, unfortunately, we'll have to go through 18 months of hearings before final approval. It should have been built the first time around. "I'm hoping that the economy will turn around in the near future. "Thanks to everyone for your support."

Bob Tomlinson

Tomlinson told the crowd that Sandy Praeger has two major concerns. He said she opposes the health care plan being proposed because the public option would cut reimbursement rates to the point hospitals would close and doctors would leave.

Second, she says the Democratic controlled Congress wants to nationalize insurance companies.

Jerry Moran

Doyle Rahjes, Agra, former president of the Kansas Farm Bureau, introduced Congressman Moran.

"Jerry doesn't seek notoriety; he just does his job," said Rahjes. "He is consistent in the way he presents the case for the people of Kansas. He doesn't preach to you; he carries the message for Kansas to Washington. He is totally committed to the people of Kansas and thoroughly understands the challenges to our core values."

"Things developing in Washington, D.C. are not good for Kansas or the nation," Moran told the large crowd.

"People in America desired a change and change we've had. The change moves us in the wrong direction. We are spending and borrowing so much money that it has consequences for future generations. "I'm one of 17 Republicans who have voted against every bailout. "Such things as cash for clunkers and cap and trade are the worst I've seen. Increasing energy costs is not the answer."

Budget for Norton County

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of Norton County

will meet on the 31st day of August, 2009 at 9:00 A.M. at the Norton County Courthouse Commissioners' Room for the purpose of hearing and considering objections to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures and the Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2010 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on final approved valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Current Year Est. of Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate	Amount of 2009 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Budget 2010 Expenditures	Estimated Tax Rate
General	1,453,078	10.672	1,985,993	13.083	1,503,813	1,503,813	10.672
Road & Bridge	1,021,419	11.963	995,009	11.524	897,025	897,025	11.524
Special Bridge	96,393	3.369	186,146	1.194	118,246	118,246	1.194
Solid Waste	281,788	1.855	284,413	1.855	176,835	176,835	1.855
EMS-Ambulance	354,443	1.855	391,359	1.855	233,779	233,779	1.855
Cemetery	408,395	0.873	413,324	1.084	408,009	408,009	1.084
Northern Wind	176,008	1.509	222,252	1.508	225,504	225,504	1.508
Electric	57,623	1.264	58,358	0.726	66,462	66,462	0.726
Economic Development	164,770	2.395	124,525	2.166	111,000	111,000	2.166
Apprentice's Cost	148,547	0.179	142,784	0.320	124,525	124,525	0.320
4-H Maintenance	15,165	0.179	12,509	0.320	11,000	11,000	0.320
Fire	15,165	0.179	12,509	0.320	11,000	11,000	0.320
Salt Conservation	17,608	0.342	17,608	0.320	16,000	16,000	0.320
Airport	37,508	0.817	37,508	0.817	37,508	37,508	0.817
Animal Resources	96,358	1.854	94,008	1.197	52,008	52,008	1.197
Hospital	27,008	0.567	27,008	0.567	27,008	27,008	0.567
Health	92,425	2.000	94,071	2.000	77,894	77,894	2.000
Animal Home Maintenance	15,444	0.400	15,444	0.400	15,444	15,444	0.400
Extension Council	75,008	1.605	75,008	1.605	31,324	31,324	1.605
Historical Society	4,665	0.100	4,665	0.100	4,665	4,665	0.100
St. Charles Service	46,355	1.000	48,007	1.000	45,308	45,308	1.000
Employee Benefits	298,717	31.800	317,608	31.800	317,608	317,608	31.800
Budget Funds	289,062	6.171	115,509	2.611	157,108	157,108	2.611
2009 Building Bonds	0	0	0	0	25,877	25,877	0.71
2005 Building GDP Debt	0	0	0	0	44,773	44,773	1.157
Northern Wind Indemnity	0	0	0	0	83	83	0.000
911 Emergency	24,210	0.508	24,210	0.508	24,210	24,210	0.508
Warden E-911	5,908	0.125	5,908	0.125	5,908	5,908	0.125
Special Alcohol Programs	18,308	1.578	18,308	1.578	18,308	18,308	1.578
Special Parks & Recreation	5,908	0.125	5,908	0.125	5,908	5,908	0.125
Northern Wind Cap Outlay	17,008	0.356	17,008	0.356	17,008	17,008	0.356
Non-Budgeted Funds	451,032	71.384	451,032	71.384	451,032	451,032	71.384
Land Transfer	465,275	86.665	465,275	86.665	465,275	465,275	86.665
Net Expenditures	6,211,566	62.107	6,211,566	62.107	6,211,566	6,211,566	62.107
Total Tax Levied	3,812,132	3.812	3,812,132	3.812	3,812,132	3,812,132	3.812
Amount Valuation	40,855,509	40.855	40,855,509	40.855	40,855,509	40,855,509	40.855

Outstanding Indebtedness

January 1, 2009

G.O. Bonds

Lease Per Price

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