

2014

CERTIFICATE

To the Clerk of McPherson County, State of Kansas

We, the undersigned, officers of

Meridian Township

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was approved and adopted as the
maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2014; and (3) the
Amount(s) of 2013 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2014 Budget.

			2014 Adopted Budget		
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Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase					
Fund	K.S.A.				
General	79-1962	5	1,283	0	
Debt Service	10-113				
Road	68-518c	6	83,325	68,308	
Non-Budgeted Funds					
Special Machinery		6			
Totals		xxxxxx	84,608	68,308	
Budget Summary		7			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			Is a Resolution required?	Yes	
Resolution		8			
Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only				
Township					

November 1st Valuation

Assisted by:

Rick Witte, County Administrator

McPherson County

Address:

PO Box 646

McPherson, KS 67460

[Handwritten signatures]

Attest: _____ 2013

County Clerk

Governing Body

Special Road Election held _____ for ___ Mills for ___ years.
First levy in _____.

Salaries and Wages: Please report here the total amount of salaries and wages paid in 2012 by the township to all employees, full and part-time. This figure may be taken from the 2012 W-3 form that your township filed with the IRS.
\$ _____

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Computation to Determine Limit for 2014

	Amount of Levy
1. Total Tax Levy Amount in 2013	+ \$ <u>65,252</u>
2. Debt Service Levy in 2013	- \$ <u>0</u>
3. Tax Levy Excluding Debt Service	\$ <u>65,252</u>
 2013 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments:	
4. New Improvements for 2013:	+ <u>37,714</u>
5. Increase in Personal Property for 2013:	
5a. Personal Property 2013	+ <u>88,042</u>
5b. Personal Property 2012	- <u>81,592</u>
5c. Increase in Personal Property (5a minus 5b)	+ <u>6,450</u>
	(Use Only if > 0)
6. Valuation of Property that Changed in Use during 2013:	+ <u>0</u>
7. Total Valuation Adjustment (Sum of 4, 5c, 6)	<u>44,164</u>
8. Total Estimated Valuation July 1, 2013	<u>4,265,541</u>
9. Total Valuation less Valuation Adjustment (8 minus 7)	<u>4,221,377</u>
10. Factor for Increase (7 divided by 9)	<u>0.01046</u>
11. Amount of Increase (10 times 3)	+ \$ <u>683</u>
12. Maximum Tax Levy, excluding debt service, without Resolution (3 plus 11)	\$ <u><u>65,935</u></u>
13. Debt Service Levy in this 2014	<u>0</u>
14. Maximum levy, including debt service, without a Resolution (12 plus 13)	<u><u>65,935</u></u>

If the 2014 budget includes tax levies exceeding the total on line 14, you must adopt a resolution to exceed this limit and attach a copy to this budget.

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Allocation of Motor, Recreational, and 16/20M Vehicle Tax and Slider

2013 Budgeted Funds	Budget Tax Levy Amount for 2012	Allocation for Year 2014		
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh Slider
General	0	0	0	0
Debt Service	0	0	0	0
Road	65,252	7,242	79	602
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
Total	65,252	7,242	79	602

County Treasurer's Motor Vehicle Estimate 7,242

County Treasurer's Recreational Vehicle Estimate 79

County Treasurer's 16/20M Vehicle Estimate 602

County Treasurer's Slider Estimate 0

Motor Vehicle Factor 0.11099

Recreational Vehicle Factor 0.00121

16/20M Vehicle Factor 0.00923

Slider Factor 0.00000

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FUND PAGE - GENERAL

2014

Adopted Budget General	Prior Year Actual 2012	Current Year Estimate 2013	Proposed Budget Year 2014
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	1,372	574	290
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax		0	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
Delinquent Tax			
Motor Vehicle Tax			0
Recreational Vehicle Tax			0
16/20 M Vehicle Tax			0
LAVTR			0
Slider			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax	1,140	1,086	993
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	1,140	1,086	993
Resources Available:	2,512	1,660	1,283
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	1,100	1,200	1,200
Salaries & Wages			
Employee Benefits	84	70	83
Supplies	194	100	
Equipment			
Maintenance	560	0	0
Insurance	0	0	0
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(No Levy)			
Does the General Fund have a tax levy			
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(Gen has Levy)			
The transfer can not exceed 25% of Resouces Availab			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	1,938	1,370	1,283
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	574	290	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
2012/2013 Budget Authority Amount:	2,099	1,370	
		Non-Appr Bal	
		Tot Exp/Non-Appr Bal	1,283
		Tax Required	0
		Del Comp Rate: 2.000%	0
		Amount of 2013 Ad Valorem Tax	0

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FUND PAGE - ROAD AND SPECIAL MACHINERY
Adopted Budget

2014

Road	Prior Year Actual 2012	Current Year Estimate 2013	Proposed Budget Year 2014
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	3,232	5,086	4,763
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	61,394	63,973	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	243	280	
Motor Vehicle Tax	7,507	6,618	7,242
Recreational Vehicle Tax	119	151	79
16/20M Vehicle Tax	571	534	602
Slider			0
Special Highway/Gasoline Tax	2,733	4,561	3,640
Reimb	1,150		
Interest on Idle Funds	101	85	30
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipts			
Total Receipts	73,818	76,202	11,593
Resources Available:	77,050	81,288	16,356
Expenditures:			
Officers Pay	3,326	4,000	4,000
Salaries & Wages	6,656	11,500	11,500
Employee Benefits	811	1,325	1,325
Road Maintenance	11,682	28,000	28,000
Road Materials	26,510	25,500	25,500
Equipment		3,200	10,000
Insurance	4,524	3,000	3,000
Transfer to Special Machinery	18,455		
Does the transfer exceed 25% of Resources Available			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
Total Expenditures	71,964	76,525	83,325
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	5,086	4,763	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2012/2013 Budget Authority Amount:	73,325	76,525	
		Non-Appr Bal	
		Tot Exp/Non-Appr Bal	83,325
		Tax Required	66,969
		Del Comp Rate: 2.000%	1,339
		Amount of 2013 Ad Valorem Tax	68,308

Special Machinery K.S.A. 68-141g	2012 Actual
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Jan 1	9,693
Transfers from:	
Road Fund	18,455
General Fund(No Levy)	0
General Fund(Gen has Levy)	0
Interest on Idle Funds	
Other	0
Resources Available:	28,148
Total Expenditures	25
Unencumbered Cash Balance, Dec 31	28,123

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

2014

The governing body of
Meridian Township
McPherson County

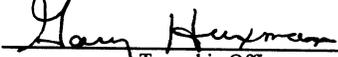
will meet on August 26, 2013 at 8:30 p.m. at 271 30th Ave, Newton, KS for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed budget information is available at 271 30th Ave, Newton, KS and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2014 Expenditures and Amount of 2013 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2014 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

Fund	Prior Year Actual 2012		Current Year Estimate 2013		Proposed Budget 2014		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Amount of 2013 Ad Valorem Tax	Est. Tax Rate*
General	1,938		1,370		1,283		
Debt Service							
Road	71,964	15.754	76,525	16.027	83,325	68,308	16.014
Non-Budgeted Funds							
Special Machinery	25						
Totals	73,927	15.754	77,895	16.027	84,608	68,308	16.014
Less: Transfers	18,455		0		0		
Net Expenditure	55,472		77,895		84,608		
Total Tax Levied	61,616		65,252		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	3,911,347		4,071,522		4,265,541		
Outstanding Indebtedness,							
Jan 1	2011		2012		2013		
G.O. Bonds	0		0		0		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Pur Princ	0		0		0		
Total	0		0		0		

*Tax rates are expressed in mills.


Township Officer

TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 1

A resolution expressing the property taxation policy of the Board of Meridian Township with respect to financing the 2014 annual budget for Meridian Township, McPherson County, Kansas.

Whereas, K.S.A. 79-2925b provides that a resolution be adopted if property taxes levied to finance the 2014 Meridian Township budget exceed the amount levied to finance the 2013 Meridian Township Township budget, except with regard to revenue produced and attributable to the taxation of 1) new improvements to real property; 2) increased personal property valuation, 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 township services are the responsibility of the township board; and

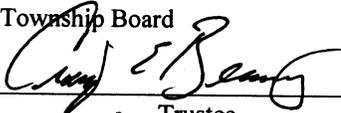
Whereas, Meridian Township provides essential services to protect the safety and well being of the citizens of the township; and

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

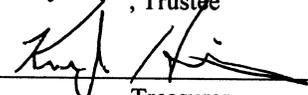
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Meridian Township of McPherson County, Kansas that it is our desire to notify the public of increased property taxes to finance the 2014 Meridian Township budget as defined above.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, 2013 by the Meridian Township Board, McPherson County, Kansas.

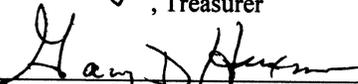
Meridian Township Board



, Trustee



, Treasurer



, Clerk

(Attach a signed copy to the budget)

