

Woodson County Resolution 06-02

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE PROPERTY TAXATION POLICY OF THE BOARD OF WOODSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WITH RESPECT TO FINANCING THE 2006 ANNUAL BUDGET FOR WOODSON COUNTY RURAL FIRE #1, WOODSON COUNTY, KANSAS.

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


WHEREAS, it is the policy of Woodson County Rural Fire #1 to minimize the property taxes used to finance the County at the lowest possible level, while exercising our stewardship responsibility to maintain basic services for our citizens; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of Woodson County Rural Fire #1 that, to the extent possible within the context of the needs of county residents, as 2006 budget for Woodson County Rural Fire #1 will be adopted that does not require property taxes to be levied for district purposes in an amount exceeding an amount levied to finance the 2005 Woodson County Rural Fire #1 budget, except with regard to revenue produced and attributable to the taxation of; 1) new improvement 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

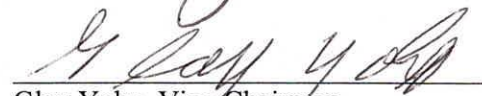
WHEREAS, despite the desire of the Woodson County Board of Commissioners to adopt a 2006 budget while adhering to a maximum level of property taxation described in the forgoing paragraph, the residents of Woodson County are to be aware that the 2006 budget will require property taxes to be levied in an amount greater than the level defined in the desired maximum level defined in the preceding paragraph, due to operating expenses.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Woodson County Commissioners that it is our desire to notify the public of the increased property taxes to finance the 2006 Woodson County Rural Fire #1 Budget as defined above and in 1999 Senate Bill 45.

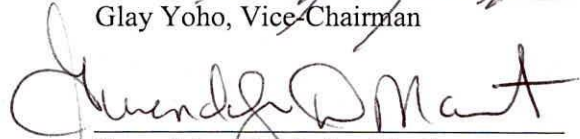
Adopted this 16 day of February, 2006 by the Woodson County Board of Commissioners and Woodson County Rural Fire #1, Woodson County, Kansas.

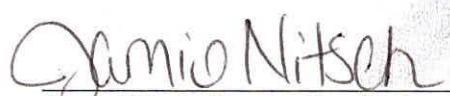

Trent Forsyth, Chairman


Robert Jackson, Rural Fire Chief


Glay Yoho, Vice-Chairman

Attest:


Gwendolyn D. Martin, Member


Jamie Nitsch, Deputy Co. Clerk

