NEBRASKA AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Mike Foley
State Auditor

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December 9, 2024

Oconee Township Platte County
30883 235th St.
Columbus, NE 68601

Dear Board:

We have received and reviewed the audit waiver request for Oconee Township in Platte County (Township) for the fiscal year ending in 2024. Despite the noncompliance explained below, **the 2024 audit waiver request has been approved.**

During our review of the 2024-2025 Township budget submitted to our office, we noted that noted that the Township did not budget to receive any Nameplate Capacity Tax (page 2, column 3, line 12). Based on receipts in prior years, it appears that the Township receives approximately $15 per year in Nameplate Capacity Tax that should be budgeted for each year. Additionally, the Township is budgeting to receive $85.28 in Motor Vehicle Pro-Rate.

As both of these revenue sources are included within the legal definition of "restricted funds" in Neb. Rev. Stat. § 13-518, the Township should be including them on the Lid Supporting Schedule (page 4). After these items have been properly accounted for, the Township exceeded its Restricted Funds Authority by $100. I have included a copy of the corrected pages of the budget for your reference.

Because levies have been set and can no longer be amended at this time, the Township's Unused Restricted Funds Authority (Page 5, Line 10) on the 2025-2026 Township budget must be at least $100 to make up for the amount you over-taxed this year.

If you have any questions, my contact information is below.

Sincerely,

Jeff Schreier, CPA
Audit Manager
Nebraska Auditor of Public Accounts
Suite 2303, State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509
Phone: (402) 416-8612
Email: jeff.schreier@nebraska.gov

2024-2025
STATE OF NEBRASKA

GENERAL BUDGET FORM

AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
RECEIVED
SEP 30 2024
STATE OF NEBRASKA

Doane Township
(Name of Subdivision)

TO THE COUNTY BOARD AND COUNTY CLERK OF
Platte County
(Name of County)

This budget is for the Period July 1st 2024 **through** June 30 - 2025

Upon Filing, The Entity Certifies the Information Submitted on this Form to be Correct:

The following **PERSONAL AND REAL PROPERTY TAX** is requested for the ensuing year:

33638.67	Property Taxes for Non-Bond Purposes
0	Principal and Interest on Bonds
33638.67	**Total Personal and Real Property Tax Required**

Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness as of the beginning of the budget year

0	Principal
0	Interest
0	**Total Bonded Indebtedness**

204,746,211	**Total General Fund Certified Valuation (All Counties)**

*(Certification of Valuation(s) from County Assessor **MUST** be attached)*

County Clerk's Use ONLY

Budget Document To Be Used As Audit Waiver?

My Subdivision has elected to use this Budget Document as the Audit Waiver.
(If YES, Board Minutes MUST be Attached)

☒ YES ☐ NO

If **YES**, Column 2 **MUST** contain **ACTUAL** Numbers.

If YES, DO NOT COMPLETE/SUBMIT SEPARATE AUDIT WAIVER REQUEST.

Report of Joint Public Agency & Interlocal Agreements

Was this Subdivision involved in any Interlocal Agreements or Joint Public Agencies for the reporting period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024?

☒ YES ☐ NO

*If **YES**, Please attach Interlocal Agreement Report.*

Report of Trade Names, Corporate Names & Business Names

Did the Subdivision operate under a separate Trade Name, Corporate Name, or other Business Name during the period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024?

☐ YES ☒ NO

*If **YES**, Please attach Trade Name Report.*

APA Contact Information

Auditor of Public Accounts
PO Box 98917
Lincoln, NE 68509

Telephone: (402) 471-2111 **FAX:** (402) 471-3301

Website: auditors.nebraska.gov

Questions - E-Mail: Jeff.Schreier@nebraska.gov

Submission Information

Budget Due by 9-30-2024

Submit budget to:

1. Auditor of Public Accounts -Electronically on Website or Mail
2. County Board (SEC. 13-508), C/O County Clerk

Line No.	TOTAL ALL FUNDS	Actual 2022 - 2023 (Column 1)	Actual/Estimated 2023 - 2024 (Column 2)	Adopted Budget 2024 - 2025 (Column 3)
1	**Beginning Balances, Receipts, & Transfers:**			
2	Beginning Net Cash Balance	48955.63	49425.01	49,638.71
3	Investments			
4	County Treasurer's Balance	256.24	249.24	181.21
5	**Subtotal of Beginning Balances** (Lines 2 thru 4)	49,211.27	49674.25	49819.92
6	Personal and Real Property Taxes (Columns 1 and 2 - See Preparation Guidelines)	34,469.40	25395.13	32979.09
7	Federal Receipts	0	0	0
8	State Receipts: Motor Vehicle Pro-Rate (To Lid Supporting Schedule, page 4)	85.17	85.28	85.28
9	State Receipts: State Aid	329.44	326.32	
10	State Receipts: Other			
11	State Receipts: Property Tax Credit	259.20	285.79	
12	Local Receipts: Nameplate Capacity Tax	16.91	14.81	15.00
13	Local Receipts: In Lieu of Tax (To Lid Supporting Schedule, page 4)	855.04	784.11	
14	Local Receipts: Other			
15	Transfers In Of Surplus Fees (To Lid Supporting Schedule, page 4)			
16	Transfer In Other Than Surplus Fees (Should agree to Transfers Out on Line 28)			
17	**Total Resources Available** (Lines 5 thru 16)	77558.39	29181.79	82,899.29
18	**Disbursements & Transfers:**	27,834.14	29,361.87	
19	Operating Expenses			
20	Capital Improvements (Real Property/Improvements)			60,250.00
21	Other Capital Outlay (Equipment, Vehicles, Etc.)			
22	Debt Service: Bond Principal & Interest Payments			
23	Debt Service: Payments to Retire Interest-Free Loans (Public Airports)			
24	Debt Service: Payments to Bank Loans & Other Instruments (Fire Districts)			
25	Debt Service: Other			
26	Judgments			
27	Transfers Out of Surplus Fees			
28	Transfers Out Other Than Surplus Fees (Should agree to Transfers In on Line 16)			
29	**Total Disbursements & Transfers** (Lines 19 thru 28)	27834.14	29,361.87	60250.00
30	**Balance Forward/Cash Reserve** (Line 17 - Line 29)	49724.25	49819.92	22,649.29
31	Cash Reserve Percentage			37.57%

PROPERTY TAX RECAP

Tax from Line 6	32,979.09
County Treasurer's Commission at 2% of Line 6)	659.58
Total Property Tax Requirement	33,638.67

CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION

ENTITY OFFICIAL ADDRESS

If no official address, please provide address where correspondence should be sent

NAME	Ocnee Township
ADDRESS	30883 - 235th St
CITY & ZIP CODE	Columbus, NE 68601
TELEPHONE	402-276-0865
WEBSITE	

	BOARD CHAIRPERSON	CLERK/TREASURER/SUPERINTENDENT/OTHER	PREPARER
NAME	Fred Fricke	Gayle M Mueller	Gayle M Mueller
TITLE /FIRM NAME	Chairperson	Clerk	
TELEPHONE	402-276-0486	402-276-0865	
~~EMAIL~~ ADDRESS	37225 - State Hwy 22 Monroe NE 68647	gmmuell@hotmail.com	

For Questions on this form, who should we contact (please √ one): Contact will be via email if supplied.

- [ ] Board Chairperson
- [x] Clerk / Treasurer / Superintendent / Other
- [ ] Preparer

NOTE: If Budget Document is used as an Audit Waiver, approval of the Audit Waiver will be sent to the Board Chairperson via email. If no email address is supplied for the Board Chairperson, notification will be mailed via post office to address listed above.

2024-2025 LID SUPPORTING SCHEDULE

Calculation of Restricted Funds

Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirements	$33,638.67	(1)	~~33553.42~~
Motor Vehicle Pro-Rate		(2)	85.25
In-Lieu of Tax Payments		(3)	0
Transfers of Surplus Fees		(4)	0
Prior Year Budgeted Capital Improvements that were excluded from Restricted Funds.			
Prior Year Capital Improvements Excluded from Restricted Funds (From 2023-2024 Lid Exceptions, Line (10))		(5)	
LESS: Amount Spent During 2023-2024		(6)	
LESS: Amount Expected to be Spent in Future Budget Years		(7)	
Amount to be included as Restricted Funds (**Cannot** be a Negative Number)		(8)	
Nameplate Capacity Tax		(8a)	15.00
TOTAL RESTRICTED FUNDS (A)	33,738.92	(9)	~~33638.37~~

Lid Exceptions

Capital Improvements Budgeted (Purchase of Real Property and Improvements on Real Property)		(10)	
LESS: Amount of prior year capital improvements that were excluded from previous lid calculations but were not spent and now budgeted this fiscal year *(cannot exclude same capital improvements from more than one lid calculation.)* Agrees to Line (7).		(11)	
Allowable Capital Improvements		(12)	
Bonded Indebtedness		(13)	
Public Facilities Construction Projects (Statute 72-2301 to 72-2308) **(Fire Districts & Hospital Districts Only)**		(14)	
Interlocal Agreements/Joint Public Agency Agreements		(15)	
Public Safety Communication Project - Statute 86-416 **(Fire Districts Only)**		(16)	
Benefits Paid Under the Firefighter Cancer Benefits Act **(Fire Districts & Airport Authorities Only)**		(16a)	
Payments to Retire Interest-Free Loans from the Department of Aeronautics **(Public Airports Only)**		(17)	
Judgments		(18)	
Refund of Property Taxes to Taxpayers		(19)	
Repairs to Infrastructure Damaged by a Natural Disaster		(20)	
TOTAL LID EXCEPTIONS (B)		(21)	0

TOTAL RESTRICTED FUNDS **For Lid Computation (To Line 9 of the Lid Computation Form)** *To Calculate: Total Restricted Funds (A)-Line 9 MINUS Total Lid Exceptions (B)-Line 21*	33638.37

Total Restricted Funds for Lid Computation ***cannot*** *be less than zero. See Instruction Manual on completing the Lid Supporting Schedule.*

LID COMPUTATION FORM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025

PRIOR YEAR RESTRICTED FUNDS AUTHORITY OPTION 1 OR OPTION 2

OPTION 1

Prior Year Restricted Funds Authority = Line (8) from last year's Lid Computation Form: 32501.13 — Option 1 - (1)

OPTION 2

Only use if a vote was taken at a townhall meeting last year to exceed Lid for one year

Line (1) of Prior Year Lid Computation Form: _____ — Option 2 - (A)

Allowable Percent Increase **Less** Vote Taken (Prior Year Lid Computation Form Line (6) - Line (5)): _____ % — Option 2 - (B)

Dollar Amount of Allowable Increase Excluding the vote taken (Line (A) times Line (B)): _____ — Option 2 - (C)

Calculated Prior Year Restricted Funds Authority (Line (A) Plus Line (C)) = _____ — Option 2 - (1)

CURRENT YEAR ALLOWABLE INCREASES

1 **BASE LIMITATION PERCENT INCREASE (2.5%)**: 2.50 % — (2)

2 **ALLOWABLE GROWTH PER THE ASSESSOR MINUS 2.5%**: 0 % — (3)

421253 (2024 Growth per Assessor) / 170922563 (2023 Valuation) = 2.46 % (Multiply times 100 To get %)

3 **ADDITIONAL ONE PERCENT BOARD APPROVED INCREASE**: 1.0 % — (4)

3 (# of Board Members voting "Yes" for Increase) / 3 (Total # of Members in Governing Body at Meeting) = 100 % (Must be at least .75 (75%) of the Governing Body)

ATTACH A COPY OF THE BOARD MINUTES APPROVING THE INCREASE.

4 **SPECIAL ELECTION/TOWNHALL MEETING - VOTER APPROVED % INCREASE**: 0 % — (5)

Please Attach Ballot Sample and Election Results OR Record of Action From Townhall Meeting

TOTAL ALLOWABLE PERCENT INCREASE = Line (2) + Line (3) + Line (4) + Line (5): 3.5 % — (6)

Allowable Dollar Amount of Increase to Restricted Funds = Line (1) x Line (6): 1137.54 — (7)

Total Restricted Funds Authority = Line (1) + Line (7): 33638.67 — (8)

Less: Restricted Funds from Lid Supporting Schedule: 33,738.92 ~~33638.67~~ — (9)

Total Unused Restricted Funds Authority = Line (8) - Line (9): -$100.28 ~~0~~ — (10)

LINE (10) MUST BE GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO ZERO OR YOU ARE IN VIOLATION OF THE LID LAW.

The amount of Unused Restricted Funds Authority on Line (10) must be published in the Notice of Budget Hearing.

Posted Ziegler oil - M-Mart - Post office in Monroe

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

Oconee Township Platte County NE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 27 day of Sept. 2024, at 7:00 o'clock pm at Monroe Fire station for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

Meeting @ Monroe Fire station 9/27/2024 @ 7:00pm

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2023-2024 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	29361.87
2024-2025 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	60250.00
2024-2025 Necessary Cash Reserve	12634.29
2024-2025 Total Resources Available	82,884.29
Total 2024-2025 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	33,638.67
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	0

Breakdown of Property Tax:

Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Non-Bond Purposes	33,638.67
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	0

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Gayle M. Mueller
Secretary
Oconee Township Board
09:08:23 ZNEZ

*** Proof of Publication ***

Newspaper: COLUMBUS TELEGRAM

STATE OF INDIANA)
County of Lake) SS.

OCONEE TOWNSHIP

30883 235 ST.
COLUMBUS NE 68601

ORDER NUMBER 1233255

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Gayle M. Mueller
Secretary
Oconee Township Board
Sept. 20, 2024 ZNEZ

The undersigned, being duly sworn, deposes and says she/he is a Clerk of the Columbus Telegram, a legal newspaper printed and published daily Tuesday-Saturday in Platte County, State of Nebraska and of general circulation in Platte County; that said newspaper has a bona fide circulation published within said county for more than 52 successive weeks immediately prior to the first date of the published notice, and is produced in an office maintained at the place of publication.

This affidavit is a true and correct copy of the notice which appeared in said newspaper on the dates listed below.

9/20/24

Section: Class Legals
Category: 0099 LEGALS
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TOTAL AD COST: 9.87
FILED ON: 9/20/2024

Clerk of the Columbus Telegram,

Printed name Robin Nelson

Signature _____ Date 9/20/24

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 20 day of September, 2024

Sallie Gucwa Notary Public

SALLIE GUCWA
Notary Public, State of Indiana
Lake County
Commission Number NP0757174
My Commission Expires
June 23, 2032

*** Proof of Publication ***

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Oconee Township
IN
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Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	$	-

Section: Class Legals
Category: 0099 LEGALS
PUBLISHED ON: 09/20/2024

TOTAL AD COST: 37.22
FILED ON: 9/20/2024

Clerk of the Columbus Telegram,

Printed name Robin Nelson

Signature _____ Date 9/20/24

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 20 day of September, 2024

Sallie Gucwa Notary Public

SALLIE GUCWA
Notary Public, State of Indiana
Lake County
Commission Number NP0757174
My Commission Expires
June 23, 2032

To Assist the County For Levy Setting Purposes

The Cover Page identifies the Property Tax Request between Principal & Interest on Bonds and All Other Purposes. If your political subdivision needs more of a breakdown for levy setting purposes, complete the section below.

Property Tax Request by Fund:	Property Tax Request
General Fund	33,638.67
Sinking Fund	0
Bond Fund	0
_____ Fund	
Total Tax Request **	33639.67

** This Amount should agree to the Total Personal and Real Property Tax Required on the Cover Page (Page 1).

Oconee Township
IN
Platte County, Nebraska

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REPORT OF JOINT PUBLIC AGENCY AND INTERLOCAL AGREEMENTS

REPORTING PERIOD JULY 1, 2023 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2024

Oconee Township — SUBDIVISION NAME

Platte — COUNTY

Parties to Agreement (Column 1)	Agreement Period (Column 2)	Description (Column 3)	Amount Used as Lid Exemption (Column 4)
Platte County Weed	7-1-2023 6-30-2024	Spraying weeds	0
Platte Count Hwy	12-1-2013 6-30-2024	graveling of mail routes maintenance by agreement	0

Total Amount used as Lid Exemption

REPORT OF TRADE NAMES, CORPORATE NAMES, BUSINESS NAMES

REPORTING PERIOD JULY 1, 2023 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2024

Oconee Township — SUBDIVISION NAME

Platte — COUNTY

List all Trade Names, Corporate Names and Business Names under which the political subdivision conducted business.

None

CERTIFICATION OF TAXABLE VALUE AND VALUE ATTRIBUTABLE TO GROWTH

{format for all political subdivisions other than (a) sanitary improvement districts in existence five years or less, (b) counties, (c) cities, (d) school districts, and (e) community colleges.}

TAX YEAR 2024

{certification required on or before August 20th, of each year}

TO: OCONEE TOWNSHIP
GAYLE M MUELLER, CLERK
30883 235TH STREET
COLUMBUS NE 68601

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF: PLATTE

Name of Political Subdivision	Subdivision Type (e.g. fire, NRD, ESU)	Value Attributable to Growth	Total Taxable Value
OCONEE TWP	Township	4,212,253	204,746,211

**Value attributable to growth is determined pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 13-518 which includes real and personal property and annexation, if applicable.*

I KARI URKOSKI, PLATTE County Assessor hereby certify that the valuation listed herein is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the true and accurate taxable valuation for the current year, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 13-509 and 13-518.

Kari S. Urkoski
(signature of county assessor)

8-14-24
(date)

CC: County Clerk, PLATTE County
CC: County Clerk where district is headquarter, if different county, _____ County

Note to political subdivision: A copy of the Certification of Value must be attached to the budget document.

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GAYLE M MUELLER, CLERK
30883 235TH STREET
COLUMBUS NE 68601

TAXABLE VALUE LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF: PLATTE

Name of Political Subdivision	Subdivision Type (e.g. fire, NRD, ESU)	Value Attributable to Growth	Total Taxable Value
OCONEE TWP	Township	6,629,454	170,928,563

**Value attributable to growth is determined pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 13-518 which includes real and personal property and annexation, if applicable.*

I KARI URKOSKI, PLATTE County Assessor hereby certify that the valuation listed herein is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the true and accurate taxable valuation for the current year, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 13-509 and 13-518.

Kari S. Urkoski
(signature of county assessor)

8-16-2023
(date)

CC: County Clerk, PLATTE County
CC: County Clerk where district is headquarter, if different county, _____ County

Note to political subdivision: A copy of the Certification of Value must be attached to the budget document.

Guideline form provided by Nebraska Dept. of Revenue Property Assessment Division (August 2021)

BUDGET HEARING MINUTES

The Budget Hearing of Oconee Township was held the 27th day of September, 2024, at Monroe Fire Hall. Notice of the budget hearing was published in Columbus Telegram newspaper on the 10th day of September 2024.
Also posted at Ziegler oil Monroe Mart, & Post office in Monroe

Board Members:

Present	Absent
Ebner	None
Fricke	
Mueller	

Others Present:

Chase Ebner

The budget hearing was opened at 7:00 p.m. Three copies of the proposed budget statement were available to the public.

Clerk Mueller made a presentation outlining the key provisions of the proposed budget statement, including, but not limited to, a comparison with the prior year's budget.

The floor was then opened for public comment on the proposed budget statement. Public comment ensued. All members of the public wishing to address the governing body were provided a reasonable amount of time to do so.

Motion by Mueller and seconded by Fricke to close the budget hearing.

3 Ayes 0 Nays Motion: Passed X Failed ____

The budget hearing was closed at 7:10 p.m.

There being no further business, a motion was made by Mueller and seconded by Ebner to adjourn the budget hearing.

3 Ayes 0 Nays Motion: Passed X Failed ____

Mayla M Mueller
Township Clerk 6/16/23

9/27/2021

the annual mtg. of Oconee Township was called to order by Chairman Fricke @ 7:30 pm. Agenda for mtg. attached.

Present Fricke. Mueller. Ebner + Chase Ebner

Previous Meetings minutes were read and approved as read Motion by Fricke Seconded by Ebner Mueller yes Fricke yes Ebner yes

Mueller moved to Approve the 2021 Budget seconded Fricke Ebner yes Fricke yes Mueller yes. Motion passed. See attached sheet

Road conditions were discussed —

Ebner moved to pay the bills. Fricke seconded. Bills on page with the agenda. Ebner yes Mueller yes Fricke yes

There being no futher Business Chairmen Fricke declared mtg. adjourned at 8:05 pm.

Guy L. Mueller
Clerk

Agenda for Annual mtg

Reading of previous Minutes

Approval of 2024-25 budg

Discussion of Road Condit

Presentation of Bills

3035	Columbus Telegram	47.09	
3036	Monroe Township	1920.00	
37	Mueller	70.00	Mtg
38	Fricke	70.00	"
39	Ebner	70.00	"
40	Mueller	100.00	Mtg
41	Fricke	100.00	"
42	Ebner	100.00	"
43	Mueller	325.00	Post
44	Ebner	75.00	Postage

Annual **BUDGET MEETING MINUTES**

The Meeting of Oconee Township was held the 17th day of September, 2024, at Monroe Fire Hall. The Budget Hearing was held previously on the ~~27th~~ day of ~~September~~ 2024, at Monroe Fire Hall @ 7:00 p.m.

Notice of this meeting was published in Columbus Telegram newspaper on the 20th day of ~~September~~ 2024.

Board Members:

Present	Absent
Fricke	
Mueller	
Ebner	

1% Increase in Restricted Funds Authority

A motion was made by Mueller and seconded by Fricke to increase the total restricted funds authority by an additional 1%.

3 Ayes 0 Nays Motion: Passed X Failed

Request for Audit Waiver

A motion was made by Ebner and seconded by Mueller to request an audit waiver for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024.

3 Ayes 0 Nays Motion: Passed X Failed

Budget Approval

A motion was made by Mueller and seconded by Fricke to approve the 2024-2025 budget as proposed.

3 Ayes 0 Nays Motion: Passed X Failed

Adjournment

There being no further business, a motion was made by Fricke and seconded by Ebner to adjourn the meeting.

3 Ayes 0 Nays Motion: Passed X Failed

4/20/2024

The mtg was called to order by Chairman Fricke @ 8:05 AM Present Mueller Ebner + Fricke.

Minutes were read. Had approved as read.

John Ebner moved to pay the bills Fricke seconded - Discussion Mueller yes Fricke yes Ebner yes motion carried

Mueller moved to approve resolution 24-1 - Fricke seconded Ebner yes Fricke yes Mueller yes See attached

Discussion on road conditions no actions taken.

There being no further business Chairman Fricke declared meeting adjourned at 8:30 AM.

Mayb M Mueller
Clerk

March 31 617.40
Febr. 29 2140.84

3017 Mowrer twp 1680.00
3018 Platte Co. 497.84 00
3019 Gayle 70.00
3020 Fred 70.00
3021 Jon 70.00

RESOLUTION REQUESTING A PRELIMINARY LEVY ALLOCATION FROM COUNTY BOARD.

RESOLUTION NO. 24-02

WHEREAS, Nebraska Statute 77-3443 (3) requires all political subdivisions subject to county levy authority to submit a preliminary request for levy allocation to the county board; and

WHEREAS, the Platte County Board is the levy authority for the Oconee Township (political subdivision);

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following is said Board's tax request for budget year 2024-2025:

FUND	TAX REQUEST
General Fund	33,900.00
Sinking Fund	0
TOTAL	33,900.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Board has Interlocal Agreements for 0 dollars and hereby request that said dollar amount be included in the county's five-cent levy allocation allowed by law for Interlocal Agreements.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Board has Bonds for 0 dollars and is not included in the above tax request as allowed by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Public Airport has repayment of Interest-Free Loans from the Department of Transportation (Aeronautics) for 0 dollars and is not included in the above tax request as allowed by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Fire Protection District has a special tax of 0 dollars for Public Safety Communication Projects as allowed by State Statute Section 86-416 and is not included in the above tax request as allowed by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Fire Protection District or Hospital District has a special tax of 0 dollars for Public Facilities Construction Projects as allowed by State Statutes Sections 72-2301 through 72-2308 and is not included in the above tax request as allowed by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said Fire Protection District or Airport Authority has a special tax of 0 dollars to pay for cancer benefits provided on or after January 1, 2022, pursuant to the Firefighter Cancer Benefits Act and is not included in the above tax request as allowed by law.

Motion by Mueller to adopt Resolution NO. 24-02. Seconded by Frieke.

Voting yes were: Ebner yes Mueller yes Frieske yes

Voting no were: None

Motion carried.

Dated this 24th day of July, 2024.

Fred Frieske
Board Chairperson

5/31/24