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John A. Bartolac, Johnson County Clerk, today released valuation and tax levy information for the 2017 Johnson County budgets. The 2016 mill levies and valuations are available on the Records and Tax Administration homepage. (<http://www.jocogov.org/rta>)

Growth in Johnson County increased 6.86% over the previous year. Total valuation as of October 31, 2016, the value used for setting the levies, was \$9,231,041,841 compared to \$8,597,742,971 on the November 2015 abstract.

The real estate valuation in Johnson County increased 7.18%. The valuation of real estate in the county is \$8,890,885,708 on October 31, 2016 compared to \$8,252,595,699 in 2015.

The personal property valuation decreased 8.36%. Personal property valuation on October 31, 2016 was \$106,929,043 compared to \$115,865,968 in 2015.

State assessed utilities, certified by the Kansas Department of Revenue, increased 1.69% to \$233,227,090 on October 31, 2016 compared to \$229,281,304 in 2015.

Beginning in 1997, \$20,000 of appraised value for qualifying residential parcels of real estate and some mobile homes are exempt from the school finance levy.

The County Clerk has the responsibility of examining the budgets to verify that each fund is within the statutory tax levy limitations and then establishes the mill levies to raise the ad valorem tax to be levied.

END

**ALL TAXING UNITS COUNTY WIDE REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING
LEVIES PER \$1,000 ASSESSED VALUATION**

State	1.500
County	19.590
Comm College	9.473
Park & Rec	3.102

PLUS

City or Township

and

Unified School District

And misc authorities where applicable, such as:

Cemetery

Drainage

Fire District

Library*

Recreation Commission

*** Library mill levy is applicable to all Taxing Units EXCEPT those in the cities of Olathe and Bonner Springs.**

MILL LEVIES BY AUTHORITY AND FUND

	2015	2016	Increase or Decrease
JOHNSON COUNTY			
General	14.571	14.085	-0.486
Public Works	1.555	1.475	-0.080
Public Health	0.832	0.768	-0.064
Mental Health	1.357	1.753	0.396
Development Supports	1.195	1.198	0.003
County Building	0.072	0.238	0.166
Bond & Interest	0.000	0.073	0.073
TOTAL	19.582	19.590	0.008
 LIBRARY			
General	3.509	3.325	-0.184
Bond & Interest	0.403	0.590	0.187
TOTAL	3.912	3.915	0.003
 PARK & RECREATION			
General	2.523	2.464	-0.059
Employee Benefits	0.529	0.593	0.064
Bond & Interest	0.049	0.045	-0.004
TOTAL	3.101	3.102	0.001

MILL LEVIES BY AUTHORITY

CITIES	2015	2016	Increase or Decrease
Bonner Springs	33.658	33.657	-0.001
DeSoto	22.228	27.062	4.834
Edgerton	33.622	33.654	0.032
Gardner	29.455	20.544	-8.911
Gardner - No City Fire	29.455	20.544	-8.911
Olathe - City Fire	24.688	24.708	0.020
Olathe - No City Fire	22.978	22.995	0.017
Spring Hill - City Fire	38.862	38.860	-0.002
Spring Hill - No City Fire	26.562	26.580	0.018
Fairway	18.629	19.862	1.233
Lake Quivira	17.749	17.228	-0.521
Leawood	24.508	24.513	0.005
Lenexa - City Fire	31.807	31.828	0.021
Lenexa - No City Fire	31.807	31.828	0.021
Merriam	27.676	27.673	-0.003
Mission	18.225	18.019	-0.206
Mission Hills	21.937	21.951	0.014
Mission Woods	15.528	15.528	0.000
Overland Park	12.848	13.800	0.952
Prairie Village	19.500	19.471	-0.029
Roeland Park	33.385	33.463	0.078
Shawnee	24.536	26.611	2.075
Westwood	22.523	21.301	-1.222
Westwood Hills	21.000	25.497	4.497
TOWNSHIPS			
Aubry	0.339	0.298	-0.041
Gardner	0.990	0.996	0.006
Lexington	0.000	0.000	0.000
McCarnish	0.000	0.000	0.000
Olathe	0.000	0.000	0.000
Oxford	0.000	0.000	0.000
Spring Hill	0.000	0.000	0.000

MILL LEVIES BY AUTHORITY

SCHOOLS	2015	2016	Increase or Decrease
U.S.D. No 229 Blue Valley	67.889	66.255	-1.634
" " 230 Spring Hill	64.136	63.948	-0.188
" " 231 Gardner	69.185	67.787	-1.398
" " 232 DeSoto	74.461	68.864	-5.597
" " 233 Olathe	67.764	67.774	0.010
" " 512 Shawnee Mission	54.059	54.940	0.881
" " 289 Wellsville	56.612	54.485	-2.127
" " 491 Eudora	73.261	70.368	-2.893
Community College	9.469	9.473	0.004
CEMETERIES			
Aubry	0.000	0.000	0.000
DeSoto	0.323	0.309	-0.014
Monticello	0.028	0.040	0.012
Pleasant Ridge	0.002	0.002	0.000
Pleasant Valley	0.000	0.000	0.000
Prairie Center	0.543	0.512	-0.031
Edgerton	0.000	0.000	0.000
DRAINAGE			
Merriam	2.002	1.852	-0.150
Monticello	0.000	0.000	0.000
Rock Creek Storm #1	10.499	10.442	-0.057
Rock Creek Storm #2	10.500	10.500	0.000
Weaver Bottoms	4.903	4.582	-0.321
FIRE			
JoCo Cons Fire #2	11.757	11.769	0.012
JoCo Fire #1	15.965	12.443	-3.522
JoCo Fire #1 Bond "A"	0.000	15.494	15.494
JoCo Fire #2	18.604	18.608	0.004
JoCo Fire #2 Bond "F"	1.282	1.547	0.265
JoCo Fire #2 Bond "G"	1.601	1.843	0.242
JoCo R Fire #3 Bd "B"	0.000	0.000	0.000
Northwest Cons Fire	18.010	21.000	2.990
RECREATION COMMISSION			
Blue Valley	2.200	2.200	0.000
Spring Hill	3.051	3.050	-0.001
Wellsville Joint	4.197	4.196	-0.001

2016 TOTAL MILL LEVY PER \$1,000 ASSESSED VALUATION

CITIES	Taxing Units	Mill Levy 2015	Mill Levy 2016	Increase or Decrease
DeSoto	512	152.586	154.815	2.229
Edgerton	556	156.336	154.515	-1.821
Gardner	3	136.204	138.354	2.150
Olathe	8 & 612PP	126.104	126.147	0.043
Spring Hill	10	143.613	143.438	-0.175
Fairway	634UW	122.009	124.151	2.142
Lake Quivira	673UW	109.372	109.748	0.376
Leawood	636UW	132.161	130.548	-1.613
Lenexa	604UW	123.430	124.348	0.918
Merriam	609UW	119.299	120.193	0.894
Mission	649UW	121.605	122.308	0.703
Mission Hills	651UW	125.317	126.240	0.923
Mission Woods	652UW	118.908	119.817	0.909
Overland Park	660UW	104.471	106.320	1.849
Prairie Village	654UW	122.880	123.760	0.880
Roeland Park	655UW	136.765	137.752	0.987
Shawnee	626UW	116.159	119.131	2.972
Westwood	657UW	125.903	125.590	-0.313
Westwood Hills	658UW	124.380	129.786	5.406
TOWNSHIPS				
Aubry	32	126.596	124.941	-1.655
Gardner	58	121.706	121.068	-0.638
Lexington	521	130.358	127.753	-2.605
McCamish	557	122.714	120.861	-1.853
Olathe	516	123.338	126.354	3.016
Oxford	299	126.257	124.643	-1.614
Spring Hill	163	123.355	123.186	-0.169

JOHNSON COUNTY ASSESSED VALUATION COMPARISON

CITIES	Tax Roll 11/1/2015	Tax Roll 11/1/2016	Increase or Decrease
Bonner Springs	4,674,793	4,372,694	(302,099)
DeSoto	62,925,103	66,409,841	3,484,738
Edgerton	43,905,588	40,111,994	(3,793,594)
Gardner	145,932,042	158,088,707	12,156,665
Olathe	1,460,495,812	1,590,912,541	130,416,729
Spring Hill	42,980,567	47,472,144	4,491,577
Fairway	80,632,725	86,418,614	5,785,889
Lake Quivira	26,087,500	27,190,950	1,103,450
Leawood	827,209,768	876,954,317	49,744,549
Lenexa	975,335,146	1,040,346,519	65,011,373
Merriam	171,727,663	187,053,934	15,326,271
Mission	121,589,183	131,901,035	10,311,852
Mission Hills	172,584,892	181,735,294	9,150,402
Mission Woods	8,583,208	8,620,243	37,035
Overland Park	3,036,392,844	3,273,961,203	237,568,359
Prairie Village	306,227,118	325,162,695	18,935,577
Roeland Park	63,329,216	70,323,502	6,994,286
Shawnee	767,631,712	825,985,702	58,353,990
Westwood	21,029,724	23,331,148	2,301,424
Westwood Hills	6,896,386	7,198,237	301,851
TOTAL FOR CITIES	8,346,170,990	8,973,551,314	627,380,324
TOWNSHIPS			
Aubry	88,083,650	91,660,305	3,576,655
Gardner	51,839,554	51,767,605	(71,949)
Lexington	24,125,517	25,282,474	1,156,957
McCamish	16,325,870	16,387,523	61,653
Olathe	15,876,055	15,897,694	21,639
Oxford	30,367,073	31,669,267	1,302,194
Spring Hill	23,804,781	24,825,659	1,020,878
TOTAL FOR TOWNSHIPS	250,422,500	257,490,527	7,068,027
GRAND TOTAL - COUNTY	8,596,593,490	9,231,041,841	634,448,351
	Increase countywide		7.380230%

JOHNSON COUNTY ASSESSED VALUATION COMPARISON - SCHOOLS ONLY

SCHOOLS	Tax Roll 11/1/2015	Tax Roll 11/1/2016	Increase or Decrease
U.S.D. NO 229 Blue Valley	2,641,914,220	2,843,519,408	201,605,188
" " 230 Spring Hill	125,125,489	144,358,365	19,232,876
" " 231 Gardner	259,879,349	268,314,640	8,435,291
" " 232 DeSoto	437,689,977	468,568,139	30,878,162
" " 233 Olathe	1,937,957,877	2,084,118,176	146,160,299
" " 512 Shawnee Mission	3,192,876,867	3,419,788,628	226,911,761
" " 289 Wellsville	21,850	23,380	1,530
" " 491 Eudora	1,127,861	1,189,572	61,711
TOTAL FOR SCHOOLS	8,596,593,490	9,229,880,308	633,286,818

SCHOOL MILL LEVY COMPARISON - 2015 TO 2016

U.S.D. NO	Year	LEVY AS SHOWN ON THE TAX STATEMENTS												
		General	Supple General	Declining Enrollment	Ex Growth Facilities	Capital Outlay	Special Assess	Cost of Living	Special Liability	Bond & Interest	SUB TOTAL	TOTAL	UNIFIED	SCH GEN
229	2015	20,000	15,776		3,528	8,000	0.027	2,503	0.043	18,012	67,889	29,877	20,000	18,012
	2016	20,000	15,230		3,182	8,000	0.002	2,198	0.025	17,618	66,255	28,637	20,000	17,618
	Inc/Dec	0.000	-0.546		-0.346	0.000	-0.025	-0.305	-0.018	-0.394	-1,634			
230	2015	20,000	13,605		13,990	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	16,541	64,136	27,595	20,000	16,541
	2016	20,000	7,972		11,038	4,000	0.000	0.000	0.000	20,938	63,948	23,010	20,000	20,938
	Inc/Dec	0.000	-5.633		-2.952	4.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.397	-0.188			
231	2015	20,000	17,364		5,986	8,000	1.115	0.000	0.550	16,170	69,185	33,015	20,000	16,170
	2016	20,000	14,940		5,348	8,000	0.009	0.553	0.033	18,904	67,787	28,883	20,000	18,904
	Inc/Dec	0.000	-2.424		-0.638	0.000	-1.106	0.553	-0.517	2.734	-1,398			
232	2015	20,000	15,900			8,000	0.000	4,766		25,795	74,461	28,666	20,000	25,795
	2016	20,000	13,815			8,000	0.143	3,624		23,282	68,864	25,582	20,000	23,282
	Inc/Dec	0.000	-2.085			0.000	0.143	-1,142		-2,513	-5,597			
233	2015	20,000	17,488		4,246	4,890	0.539	3,928	0.202	16,471	67,764	31,293	20,000	16,471
	2016	20,000	15,331		4,115	8,000	0.540	3,258	0.150	16,380	67,774	31,394	20,000	16,380
	Inc/Dec	0.000	-2.157		-0.131	3,110	0.001	-0.670	-0.052	-0.091	0.010			
512	2015	20,000	15,772	0.874		8,000	0.109	1,755	0.104	7,445	54,059	26,614	20,000	7,445
	2016	20,000	16,824	0.928		8,000	0.000	1,750	0.000	7,438	54,940	27,502	20,000	7,438
	Inc/Dec	0.000	1.052	0.054		0.000	-0.109	-0.005	-0.104	-0.007	0.881			

Effective for 1997, \$20,000 of appraised value for qualifying residential parcels of real estate property and mobile homes is exempt from the mill levy to finance the school general fund. The mill levy was 20.000 mills for the school general fund in 2000 and remains the same for 2015.

PLEASE NOTE: Recreation District mill levies were set up as separate authorities in 2006.