

MCPHERSON COUNTY, KANSAS

RESOLUTION NO. 2025- 16

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR THE CALLING OF A SPECIAL QUESTION ON THE NOVEMBER 2025 ELECTION BALLOT IN MCPHERSON COUNTY, KANSAS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE ELECTORS OF THE COUNTY THE QUESTION OF IMPOSING A ONE-HALF PERCENT (1/2%) COUNTY RETAILERS' SALES TAX FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS TO THE CAPITAL EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND GENERAL OPERATING EXPENSES OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (AMBULANCE SERVICES) FOR MCPHERSON CITY, LINDSBORG CITY, MOUNDRIDGE CITY, RURAL FIRE DISTRICT #1 AMBULANCE AND RURAL FIRE DISTRICT #2 AMBULANCE

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 12-187 et seq., as amended, (the "Act") authorizes the Board of County Commissioners of McPherson County, Kansas (the "County") to submit to the electors of the County the question of imposing a County retailers' sales tax; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of the County hereby deems it advisable to fund certain improvements to the capital equipment and facilities and general operating expenses of emergency medical services (ambulance services) for McPherson City, Lindsborg City, Moundridge City, Rural Fire District #1 Ambulance and Rural Fire District #2 Ambulance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY OF MCPHERSON, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. Public Purpose. It is hereby deemed necessary and advisable and in the best interests of the citizens of the County to proceed with the Emergency Medical Services Tax.

SECTION 2. Implementation of Emergency Medical Services Tax. Collection of the Emergency Medical Services Tax, if approved by the electors of the County, shall commence on April 1, 2026 or as soon thereafter as may be permitted by the Act, and shall terminate five (5) years after its commencement.

All proceeds of the Emergency Medical Services Tax shall be applied solely for the purposes set forth herein.

SECTION 3. Question Election. It is hereby authorized, ordered and directed that a question election shall be and is hereby called to be held in the County on November 4, 2025, at which time there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the County the following proposition:

Shall the following be adopted?

Shall McPherson County, Kansas be authorized to impose a one-half percent (.5%) County-wide retailers' sales tax, the proceeds of which shall be divided between and paid forty-nine percent (49%) to McPherson City, eighteen percent (18%) to Lindsborg City, fifteen percent (15%) to Moundridge City, ten percent (10%) to Rural Fire District #1 Ambulance and eight percent (8%) to Rural Fire District #2 Ambulance, and used (1) by any recipient to finance the costs of acquiring, constructing, equipping and furnishing certain alterations, modifications and improvement to their capital equipment and facilities and

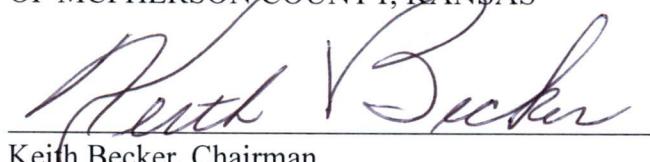
(2) to support the general operating expenses of any recipient. The collection of the Sales Tax is to commence on April 1, 2026 and to expire five (5) years after its commencement; all pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 12-187 et seq., as amended.

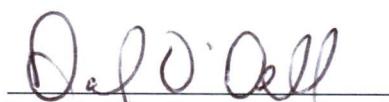
SECTION 4. Question Election Procedures. The votes at said question election shall be by ballot, and the proposition stated above shall be printed on the ballots, together with voting instructions as provided by law. The County Clerk shall cause the McPherson County election officer to give notice of the election as provided by law. The form of the Notice of Question Election shall be prepared or approved by the County Attorney and submitted to the McPherson County election officer in a timely fashion in order to provide for such publications.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective from and after its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MCPHERSON COUNTY, KANSAS,
this 18th day of August, 2025.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF MCPHERSON COUNTY, KANSAS


Keith Becker, Chairman


David O'Dell, Commissioner


Thomas L. Kueser, Commissioner

ATTEST:


Hollie D. Melroy, County Clerk

