

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of  
City of Bazine  
will meet on September 18, 2025 at 7:00 pm at City Hall 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 City Hall and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2026 Expenditures and Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2026 budget.  
Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2024		Current Year Estimate for 2025		Proposed Budget for 2026		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate*	Budget Authority for Expenditures	Amount of 2025 Ad Valorem Tax	Proposed Estimated Tax Rate*
General	158,587	79.541	212,284	79.477	410,330	173,915	79.400
Debt Service	8,463				77,500	79,050	35.090
Library							
Special Highway	3,003		3,075		50,803		
Water	108,363		84,976		96,650		
Trash	39,073		38,198		43,000		
Sewer	19,763		32,535		111,400		
Non-Budgeted Funds-A	1,562,932						
Totals	1,999,284	79.541	371,068	79.477	799,683	252,965	115.490
Revenue Neutral Rate**							68.746
Less: Transfers	15,000		27,500		27,500		
Net Expenditure	1,984,284		343,568		772,183		
Total Tax Levied	140,959		150,577		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation	1,772,156		1,894,622		2,190,378		
Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1,	2023		2024		2025		
G.O. Bonds	113,000		52,000		26,000		
Revenue Bonds	0		0		0		
Other	31,473		22,785		613,857		
Lease Purchase Principal	7,677		0		0		
Total	152,150		74,785		639,857		

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills  
\*\* Revenue Neutral Rate as defined by KSA 79-29&8

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