

Exceeding Revenue Neutral for the 2025-2026 School Year

The governing body of Unified School District 497 will meet on the 8th day of September 2025 at 6:00 PM at 110 McDonald Dr, Lawrence, KS 66044 for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information, including budget profile, is available at Educational Support Center and will be available at this hearing.

Revenue Neutral

	2024-2025		Revenue	Revenue	2025-2026	
	Actual Taxes	Actual			Proposed	Proposed
General	\$30,669,421	20.000	\$30,580,622	18.714	\$32,674,507	20.000
ALL OTHER FUNDS						
Supplemental General (LOB)	\$25,436,256	14.530	\$25,445,826	13.713	\$27,515,906	14.831
Adult Education	\$350,123	0.200	\$350,253	0.189	\$371,050	0.200
Capital Outlay	\$14,108,429	8.000	\$14,113,374	7.553	\$14,944,604	8.000
Cost of Living	\$2,162,001	1.235	\$2,162,807	1.165	\$1,859,380	1.002
Special Liability Expense Fund	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Extraordinary Growth Facilities	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Bond and Interest #1	\$14,544,064	8.308	\$14,549,476	7.840	\$15,397,848	8.300
Bond and Interest #2	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
No-Fund Warrant	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Special Assessment	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Temporary Note	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Historical Museum	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Public Library Board	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000
Public Library Board Employee Benefits	\$0	0.000			\$0	0.000

Revenue Neutral Calculation

Total Taxes Levied Including General Fund	\$87,270,294	52.273	\$87,202,358	49.174	\$92,763,295	52.333
Total Taxes Levied Excluding General Fund	\$56,600,873	32.273	\$56,621,736	30.460	\$60,088,788	32.333

GR Gordon-Ross
Board President

Nikki Naumann
Clerk of the Board