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**NOTICE OF SPECIAL QUESTION ELECTION  
REPUBLIC COUNTY, KANSAS**

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Republic County, Kansas (the "County"), that the Board of County Commissioners has heretofore, pursuant to resolution duly passed, called and will hold on November 4, 2025, a special question election in the County for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the County the following proposition:

Shall Charter Resolution No. 2025-21 of Republic County, Kansas, entitled:

**A CHARTER RESOLUTION OF REPUBLIC COUNTY, KANSAS EXEMPTING SUCH COUNTY FROM THE PROVISIONS OF K.S.A. 12-1758, K.S.A. 12-1760 AND K.S.A. 12-1767b RELATING TO PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSIONS AND THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS THEREBY; AND PROVIDING SUBSTITUTE AND ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS RELATING THERETO, INCLUDING A PROVISION THAT AUTHORIZES A REPUBLIC COUNTY, KANSAS PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION TO ISSUE REVENUE BONDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$17,860,000 TO PAY THE COSTS TO FINANCE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF A NEW COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT FACILITY TO BE LOCATED AT 1192 BELL LANE, BELLEVILLE, KANSAS**

take effect?

To vote in favor of the question submitted on this ballot, darken the oval to the left of the word "Yes." To vote against it, darken the oval to the left of the word "No."

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The polls will open at 7:00 o'clock a.m. and will close at 7:00 o'clock p.m. on November 4, 2025, the election day. The voting places in the County, and the area each voting place will serve, will be as follows:

### **VOTING PLACES**

#### **BIG BEND, WHITE ROCK, COURTLAND AND BEAVER TOWNSHIPS**

Vote at the Courtland Community Center, Courtland

#### **WASHINGTON, UNION, SCANDIA AND NORWAY TOWNSHIPS**

Vote at the Scandia Community Center, Scandia

#### **LIBERTY, FREEDOM, BELLEVILLE AND LINCOLN TOWNSHIPS**

Vote at the Belleville Wesleyan Church, Belleville

#### **ROSE CREEK, ALBION, FAIRVIEW AND FARMINGTON TOWNSHIPS**

Vote at the Munden Community Hall, Munden

#### **JEFFERSON, RICHLAND, GRANT AND ELK CREEK TOWNSHIPS**

Vote at the Cuba Senior Citizen's Center, Cuba

#### **BELLEVILLE CITY-FIRST WARD, SECOND WARD AND THIRD WARD**

Vote at the Belleville Wesleyan Church, Belleville

The election will be conducted by the officers and/or persons provided by law for holding elections, and the method of voting will be by ballot. Registered voters are eligible to vote by advance voting ballot upon application to the County Clerk at the address set forth below pursuant to K.S.A. 25-1117.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

The following additional information is provided by the County and has been obtained from sources deemed reliable by the County. Certain portions of this information are based upon projections. No assurances can be given that these projections will be accurate as of the date of issuance of the Bonds due to changing market conditions, any changes in assessed valuation of the County, changes in the amount of state financial aid received by the County and other matters unknown or unavailable at this time. The projected rates of property taxation to be used to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds are based upon the current assessed valuation of the County, the assumed principal repayment schedule and the average interest rates from recent bond issues for similar types of financings and the current level of Wind Farm revenues, all as shown below.

### Projected Summary of Project Costs

<i>Sources of Funds</i>		<i>Uses of Funds</i>	
Bonds to be Issued	\$17,860,000	Project Costs (including architectural/engineering services)	\$15,140,000
Net Interest Earnings, Original Issue Discount and Reoffering Premium	14,986	Interest During Construction	2,298,214
		Issuance Expenses (including attorney fees, printing costs, rating agency fees, financial advisor fees, underwriting fees, bond insurance and other miscellaneous expenses)	436,772
Total	17,874,986	Total	17,874,986

### Projected Summary of Bond Issue Repayments

Principal payments over 30 years	Average Interest Rate	4.86%
Total Interest Cost to Maturity \$16,978,293	Assessed Valuation (Nov. 2024)	\$94,512,056
Average Annual Principal and Interest Payments		\$1,161,276
Portion of average annual principal and interest payments from Wind Farm revenues		\$400,000 through 2031 and \$1,260,000 thereafter

### Average Annual Property Tax Mill Levy Rate for Principal and Interest Payments

With expected Wind Farm revenues	0.00 Mills
Without expected Wind Farm revenues	4.23 Mills through 2031 and 13.33 Mills thereafter

The election officer conducting the election will be the Clerk of Republic County, Kansas, whose address is County Courthouse, 1815 M Street, Belleville, Kansas 66935.

DATED September 25, 2025.

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Kathleen L. Marsicek  
County Clerk  
Republic County, Kansas