

RESOLUTION TO NOT EXCEED THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 217, MORTON COUNTY, KANSAS

WHEREAS, the Revenue Neutral Rate for Unified School District No. 217 was calculated as prescribed by law; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 217 has determined that it is not necessary to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate in order to provide adequate funding for the educational programs and operations of the district; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that increased costs associated with employee compensation, utilities, insurance, transportation, instructional materials, capital improvements, and other operating expenditures will not make it necessary to levy property taxes in excess of the Revenue Neutral Rate;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 217, Morton County, Kansas, that:

1. The Board hereby authorizes not exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate for the 2026-2027 budget year.
2. The Board finds that exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate is not necessary to maintain and support the district's educational programs, facilities, and services.
3. The amount of property tax to be levied will not exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate of 65.443 mills, resulting in a total levy of 63.246 mills.
4. The Board has held a public hearing in accordance with K.S.A. 79-2988 and all applicable laws governing notice and hearing requirements.
5. Following the public hearing, the Board approves the budget and authorizes the levy necessary to fund the operations of Unified School District No. 217.

ADOPTED this 24th day of August, 2026.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 217

MORTON COUNTY, KANSAS



President, Board of Education