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ORDINANCE NO. 446

AN ORDINANCE ATTESTING TO AN INCREASE IN TAX REVENUES FOR BUDGET YEAR 2005 FOR THE CITY OF BASEHOR, KANSAS.

WHEREAS, the City of Basehor, Kansas must continue to provide services to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of this community; and

WHEREAS, the cost of providing essential services to the citizens of this city continues to increase; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with K.S.A. 79-2925b, the governing body must adopt an ordinance if the budget property tax revenues are in excess of the 2004 budgeted amount; and

WHEREAS, the Kansas Legislature has capped growth in revenue transfers to local governments at 1% above the previous year, and well below what is required by state statue; and

WHEREAS, the state sales tax actual collections have not kept pace with projected totals, thereby further reducing state revenue transfers to cities;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Governing Body of the City of Basehor, Kansas:

Section 1. In accordance with state law, the City of Basehor, Kansas has conducted a public hearing and has published the proposed budget necessary to fund city services from January 1, 2005 until December 31, 2005.

Section 2. After careful public deliberations, the governing body has determined that in order to maintain the public services which are essential for the citizens of this city, it will be necessary to budget property tax revenues in an amount which exceeds the 2004 budget.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect after publication once in the official city newspaper.

Passed and approved by the Governing Body of this 9th day of August, 2004.

Attest:

Mayor Joseph Scherer

Mary A. Mogle, City Clerk CMC

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