#### **Public Notices**

# Public hearing for grant application

Published in the Bird City Times, Bird City, Kansas, Thursday, July 24, 2008 PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The City of Bird City will hold a public hearing on Monday, August 4, 2008, at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall, 111 E 4 , Bird City, Kansas, for the purpose of considering an application to be submitted to the Kansas Department of Commerce for Small Cities Community Development Block Grant funds under the Housing category. A specific project application to be discussed is the rehabilitation of homes for low-tomoderate income families. Rehabilitation may include repairs or replacements of roofs, gutters, electrical, foundations, floors, plumbing, heating, painting, handicapped accessibility and other repairs to meet CDBG Housing Quality Standards

(HQS), in a target area bounded by 4 Street on the north, Bird Ave on the west, and the city limits on the south and east The project will also include demolition of unoccupied dilapidated homes within the target area. The estimated total project cost is \$400,000 with the grant request for \$400,000 of the project cost. Other proposals introduced at the hearing will be considered. Oral and written comments will be recorded and become a part of the City of Bird City's CDBG Citizen Participa-

Reasonable accommodations will be made available to persons with disabilities. Requests should be submitted to the office of the Bird City City Clerk, by Friday, August 1, 2008.

## City ordinance to fund city services

Published in the Bird City Times, Bird City, the proposed budget necessary to fund Kansas, Thursday, July 24, 2008. (30)

**Ordinance Number 317** AN ORDINANCE ATTESTING TO AN INCREASE IN TAX REVENUES FOR BUDGET YEAR 2009 FOR THE CITY OF BIRD CITY.

WHEREAS CITY OF BIRD CITY 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.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Governing Body of the CITY OF BIRD

Section One. In accordance with state law, the CITY OF BIRD CITY has scheduled a public hearing and has prepared city services from Jan. 1, 2009 until Dec.

Section Two. After careful deliberations, the governing body had determined order to maintain the public services that are essential for the citizens of this city, it will necessary to budget property tax revenues in an amount exceeding the levy in the 2008 budget.

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

Passed and approved by the Govern-

ing Body on this 15 day of July, 2008.

Troy Burr

Attest: Tabetha Ketzner



THE STAR COMMITTEE at the Good Samaritan Village makes a Ohio Star pattern quilt. Cathy Lopp, Janetta Evins, Manette Keeler and Linda Hilt look it over. Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

### Committee and residents make quilt

fabric. It is set on a background of off-white material.

selling tickets at the Thresher mental in getting the quilt started. for lighted angel figurines to be project.

The Star Committee at the Show in Bird City next weekend. Other residents helped cut out the placed in resident's rooms when Good Samaritan Village has been Tickets can also be purchased at making a quilt with the help of the Village, Lampe Hardware or residents. The quilt is an Ohio Star First National Bank. It will be pattern, made with green and pink given away at the Thresher Show on Aug. 2.

Cathy Loop, activities direc-The Star Committee will be tor, said Mary Shahan was instru- for the residents and staff, and tee will be looking for another

pieces and put them together. The they are very ill. They also partici-Village staff picked up the rest of the construction of the quilt.

will be used to help residents, progifts for the child. mote special projects, buy treats

pate in community events including taking a name from the Angel The money raised from the quilt Tree at Christmas and purchasing

Before long, the Star Commit-

#### Published in Bird City Times, Bird City, Kansas, July 24, 2008. (30) State of Kansas NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING CHEYENNE COUNTY 2995 Highway 36 **BUDGET SUMMARY** res and Amount of 2008 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits the 2009 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation Total Tax Levied

#### Flood damage assistance deadline is Aug. 1

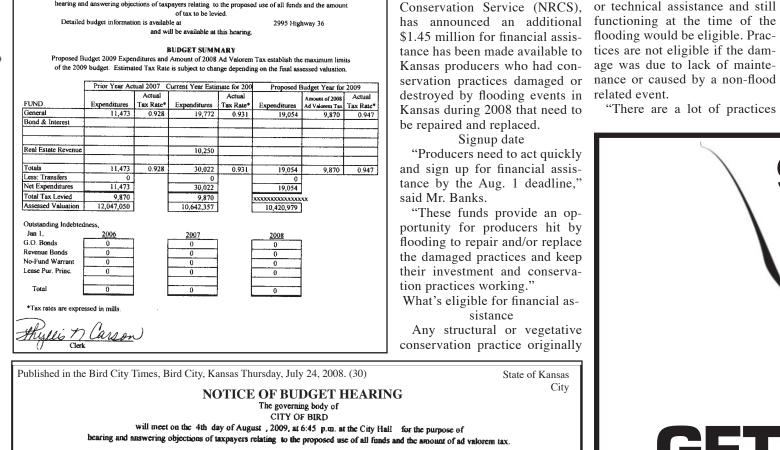
be repaired and replaced.

tionist for the Natural Resources services financial assistance and/ for example, washed out terraces signup. The office is located at functioning at the time of the flooding would be eligible. Practices are not eligible if the damage was due to lack of mainte-

For more information

Eric B. Banks, state conserva- installed with the conservation's out there that would be eligible; office to learn more about this and grass seedings, damaged your local U.S. Department of ponds, and streambank stabili- Agriculture Service Center (listzation systems that failed," said ed in the telephone book under Troy J. Munsch, assistant state United States Government or on conservationist for programs in the Internet at offices.usda.gov. More information is also available on the Kansas Web site at

785-332-3162





310 W. Washington St. Francis, Kan. 67756

BUDGET SUMMARY Proposed Budget 2009 Expenditures and Amount of 2008 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2009 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation Prior Year Actual for 2007 Current Year Estimate for 2008 Proposed Budget for 2009 Actual Amount of 2008 FUND Expenditures Tax Rate Expenditures Tax Rate \* Expenditures Ad Valorem Tax Tax Rate \* General 207,991 38.205 266,392 102,061 43.113 6,627 6,720 2.490 Special Highway 22,000 Special Park & Recreation 1,296 5,256 10,000 Water & Sewer 206,800 254,946 Non-Budgeted Funds-A 76,585 Totals 479,993 563,960 110,561 Less: Transfers 60,000 60,000 60,000 Net Expenditure 419,993 503,960 Total Tax Levied 92,864 92,864 XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Assessed 2,278,873 2,330,283 2,367,280 Outstanding Indebtedness January I. 2007 G.O. Bonds Revenue Bonds 474,925 Lease Purchase Principa Total

Detailed budget information is available at City Hall and will be available at this hearing.

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