

**RESOLUTION NO. 15-2023**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF FORT SCOTT, KANSAS TO LEVY A PROPERTY TAX RATE EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE;**

**WHEREAS**, the Revenue Neutral Rate for the City of Fort Scott, Kansas was calculated as 43.714 mills by the Bourbon County Clerk; and

**WHEREAS**, the budget proposed by the Governing Body of the City of Fort Scott, Kansas will require the levy of a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body held a hearing on September 5 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

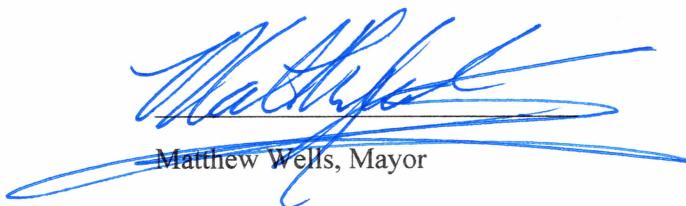
**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body of the City of Fort Scott, Kansas, having heard testimony, still finds it necessary to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate but lower than the 2023 levy.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF FORT SCOTT, KANSAS**

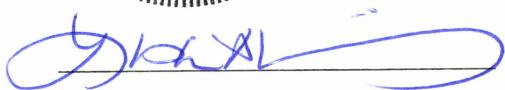
The City of Fort Scott, Kansas shall levy a property tax rate exceeding the Revenue Neutral Rate of 44.241 mills which is lower than the 2023 levy.

This resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its adoption and shall remain in effect until future action is taken by the Governing Body.

**ADOPTED** this 5th day of September, 2023 and **SIGNED** by the Mayor.



Matthew Wells, Mayor



Lisa A. Lewis, City Clerk