

USD 115 board approves budget

**(KMZA)--The Nemaha Central Board of Education has approved a 2021-22 budget that calls for net expenditures of nearly 13 million and keeps the mill levy steady.**

**The budget was approved Monday evening following two hearings drawing no public comment.**

**Following the first hearing, the Board approved a resolution for exceeding the revenue neutral rate, which was established by a new state law approved this year by the Kansas Legislature.**

**Following the second hearing, the budget was approved. The budget contains an estimated tax rate of 41.611 mills, which is to generate nearly \$3.9 million in tax revenue.**

**Superintendent Darrel Kohlman said the district's total levy has been relatively “flat” at 41 mills since 2015. Each mill raises about \$96,000 in local property tax revenue.**

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