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SUMMARY AND NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

The Fiscal Court of the County of Monroe, Kentucky (the “County”), at regular meetings held on June 18, 2026, and July 16 2026, adopted the following ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, KENTUCKY APPROVING A LEASE FOR THE FINANCING OF A PROJECT; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT AND SECURITY OF THE LEASE; CREATING A SINKING FUND; AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF VARIOUS DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THE LEASE.

The undersigned Fiscal Court Clerk of the County hereby certifies that the foregoing ordinance (the “Ordinance”) provides for approval of a lease agreement (the “Lease”) with Kentucky Association of Counties Finance Corporation for financing certain public improvements, establishes and maintains a sinking fund for the deposit and application of tax revenues, and makes certain designations regarding the Lease.

The Ordinance pledges the full faith, credit, and taxing power of the County, and provision has been made for the collection of a tax to pay lease payments due on the Lease, subject to certain credits, in Section 2 of the Ordinance, set forth below:

“Section 2. General Obligation Pledge. Under the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and Chapter 66 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, as amended (the “General Obligation Statutes”), the obligation of the Lessee created by the Lease shall be a full general obligation of the Lessee and, for the prompt payment of the Lease Payments, the full faith, credit, and taxing power of the Lessee are hereby pledged. During the period the Lease is outstanding, there shall be and there hereby is levied on all the taxable property in the Lessee, in addition to all other taxes, without limitation as to rate, a direct tax annually in an amount sufficient to pay the Lease Payments on the Lease when and as due, it being hereby found and determined that current tax rates are within all applicable limitations. The tax shall be and is hereby ordered computed, certified, levied, and extended upon the tax duplicate and collected by the same officers in the same manner and at the same time that taxes for general purposes for each of the years are certified, extended, and collected. The tax shall be placed before and in preference to all other items and for the full amount thereof; provided, however, that in each year to the extent that the other taxes of the Lessee are available for the payment of the Lease Payments and are appropriated for such purpose, the amount of such direct tax upon all of the taxable property in the Lessee shall be reduced by the amount of such other taxes so available and appropriated.”

The foregoing Summary and Notice of Adoption of Ordinance of the County was approved by the Fiscal Court for first reading and second reading on the dates indicated above and was further approved for publication following adoption according to law.

By: /s/ Brittany Wilborn
Fiscal Court Clerk
County of Monroe, Kentucky

The undersigned, an attorney licensed to practice law in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, hereby certifies that the foregoing Summary and Notice of Adoption of Ordinance of the County of Monroe, Kentucky was prepared by the undersigned and constitutes a general summary of the essential provisions of the Ordinance, reference to the full text of which is hereby made for a complete statement of its provisions and terms.

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Monroe County Taxpayer Notice 2025 Oil and Limestone Tax Bill Collection Schedule

The Monroe County Oil and Limestone Tax Bills will be due and payable beginning August 1st, 2026. If you do not receive your tax bill within the first week of August, please contact The Monroe County Sheriffs’ Department at 270-487-6622. When mailing in your payments, please include a copy of your tax bill or put the bill number on the method of payment (Check or Money Order). Credit, debit cards will also be accepted for walk in or over the phone payments. If you wish to receive a paid receipt returned to you, please enclose a self addressed stamped envelope with your payment(s) and we will return it to you promptly.

The following are the collection Dates:

2% Discount	Aug 1 st – Aug 31 st
Face Value	Sept 1 st - Sept 30 th
5% Penalty	Oct 1 st - Oct 31 st
10% Penalty+ 10% Add-On	Nov 1 st – Jan 15 th , 2027

Please note that we will not accept drop off payments or payment of any kind before August 1st.

Oil and Limestone Tax Bills will be turned over to the County Clerk’s Office on January 15th, 2027.

Important Notice:

Payments made during the 10% penalty period but prior to the bills being turned over to the County Clerk are subject to an additional 10% sheriff’s fee. In addition to the 10% penalty, payments made after January 15th, 2027 are subject to a 20% county attorney’s fee and a 10% clerk’s fee.

Payments will only be accepted during normal business hours of Monday through Friday 8:00 AM -4:00 PM and Saturday 8:00-12:00, Closed Sundays and Major Holidays.

Public Notice Regarding Confidentiality and Child Find for Children with Disabilities in Need of Special Education, or 504 Services, or Preschool Services

In accordance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act, written policies and procedures have been developed which describe the Monroe County School District’s (MCSD) requirements regarding the confidentiality of personally identifiable information and Child Find activities. There are copies of these procedures in the Principal’s office of each school, and in the Board of Education office. Copies of these Policies and Procedures may be obtained by contacting the Principal or the Director of Special Education. Stated in this notice is a summary of your rights under the Act. These rights are passed onto the student at age eighteen. For the purpose of this notice, the student 18 years or older, will be referred to as the “eligible” student (who is age 18 or who is attending a postsecondary institution). Parents, guardians, and eligible students may review and inspect all education records relating to that student by making a request to the Principal of the school where that student attends. The MCSD will presume that the parents have the authority to review and inspect records relating to their child unless the district has been advised in writing that the parent does not have legal authority under applicable state law governing such matters as guardianship, separation, and divorce. The MCSD obtains written consent from a parent or eligible student before disclosing personally identifiable information to an entity or individual not authorized to receive it under FERPA. Personally identifiable information is not released to another party unless there is written authorization from the parent or eligible student or there is a “Legitimate Educational Interest” as defined in the policies and procedures for confidentiality. A current list of employees’ names and positions who have access to personally identifiable information is on file in each school. The MCSD has described in their policies and procedures the conditions under which personally identifiable information is released to another person without written parental consent. Any parent or guardian of a student, or any eligible student may challenge the content or accuracy of any material or entries in the student’s educational records on the grounds that it is inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise in violation of the privacy or other rights of the student. Requests to amend the records are submitted in writing to the Principal of your child’s school. “Directory Information” is information contained in an educational record which would not generally be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed. This information may be released to organizations and agencies whose with need for data is connected to student help activities. The parent, guardian, or eligible student currently enrolled may request that all or part of the directory information be withheld. The request must be in writing to the Principal of your child’s school within 30 calendar days after this notification has been distributed. The written request must specifically state what information may not be classified as directory information. In accordance with federal regulation concerning the release or transfer of education records, it is the policy of this school district to forward education records on request to a school in which a student seeks or intends to enroll. Parents may obtain upon request a copy of the records transferred. The MCSD keeps child and youth records in a secure computer system and files in each school and in a centralized location.

For students who have been determined eligible for Special Education, educational records will be destroyed at the request of the parents when they are no longer needed to provide educational programs or services. The MCSD may destroy the educational records of a child without parent request three years after they are no longer needed to provide educational programs or services. Parents are advised that data contained in the records may later be needed for Social Security benefits or other purposes. The MCSD may retain, for an indefinite period of time, a record of the student’s name, address, telephone number, grades, attendance records, classes attended, grade level completed, and year completed. Child Find for Students with Disabilities Under Individuals with Disabilities Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, and Preschool

The Monroe County School District (MCSD) has an ongoing Child Find system, which is designed to locate, identify and evaluate any child residing in a home, facility, or residence within its geographical boundaries, age three (3) to twenty-one (21) years, who may have a disability and be in need of Special Education or 504 services. This includes children who are not in school; those who are in public, private, or home school; those who are highly mobile such as children who are migrant or homeless; and those who are advancing from grade to grade, who may need but are not receiving Special Education or 504 services. The MCSD will make sure any child enrolled in its district who qualifies for Special Education or 504 services, regardless of how severe the disability, is provided appropriate Special Education or 504 services at no cost to the parents of the child. Parents, relatives, public and private agencies, and concerned citizens are urged to help the MCSD find any child who may have a disability and need Special Education or 504 services. The District needs to know the name and age, or date of birth of the child; the name, address, and phone number(s) of the parents or guardian; the possible disability; and other information to determine if Special Education or 504 services are needed. Letters and phone calls are some of the ways the MCSD collects the information needed. The information the school district collects will be used to contact the parents of the child and find out if the child needs to be evaluated or referred for Special Education or 504 services. Children eligible for Special Education include those children with disabilities who have autism, deaf-blindness, developmental delay, emotional-behavior disability,hearing impairment, mental disability, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairment, specific learning disability, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, or visual impairment and who because of such an impairment need Special Education services. Children eligible for 504 services include those children in a public elementary and secondary education program who have a current physical or mental impairment that currently substantially limits some major life activity which causes the student’s ability to access the school environment or school activities to be substantially limited. Children eligible for the State-Funded Preschool program include three- and four-year old children identified with disabilities and four-year old children who are at-risk, as defined by federal poverty levels up to 150%. Preschool children eligible for Special Education must have an Individual Education Plan

(IEP) instead of a 504 plan to receive State-Funded Preschool program services. Child Find activities will continue throughout the school year. As part of these efforts the MCSD will use screening information, student records, and basic assessment information it collects on all children in the District to help locate those children who have a disability and need Special Education or 504 services. Any information the District collects through Child Find is maintained confidentially. The MCSD provides a public notice in the native language or other mode of communication of the various populations in the geographical boundaries of the District to the extent feasible. If you know of a child who lives within the boundaries of the MCSD who may have a disability, and may need but is not receiving Special Education or 504 services, please call or send the information to the District’s Director of Special Education and Preschool/504 Coordinator. If you know of a child who attends a private or homeschool within the boundaries of MCSD, who may have a disability, and may need but is not receiving Special Education services, please call or send information to the Director of Special Education. If you know of someone who may need this notice translated to another language, given orally, or delivered in some other manner or mode of communication, please contact the Director of Special Education and Preschool/Section 504 Coordinator. You may contact the MCSD office at 270-487-5456 or email rendy.belcher@monroe.kyschools.us. The district office is located at 309 Emberton Street, Tompkinsville Kentucky 42167

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