

Richardson County budget hearing scheduled

**(KLZA)-- Richardson County Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2021-22 budget on Monday, September 13, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners meeting room at the Richardson County Courthouse in Falls City.**

**The proposed budget of expenditures is \$17,920,935 which is an increase of 25.8 percent or nearly \$3.7-million. A major factor in the large increase in the ARPA funds the county expects to receive from the federal government which is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$1.52-million.**

**The property tax requirement is projected at \$4,928,713 which includes \$400-thousand in Cash Reserves and \$268,700 for the Jail Bond.**

**The projected property tax levy is 32.9247-cents per \$100 of assessed valuation, an increase of 2.5 percent, or .8 cents per \$100 of valuation.**

**The Richardson County valuation for the year increased \$41,937,542 or 3 percent to \$1,415,352,847.**

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