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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

THE CITY OF HAVILAND, KANSAS

TO: ALL PERSONS WHO ARE OR MAY BE INTERESTED

TAKE NOTICE that the City of Haviland, Kansas, will hold a public hearing on September 10, 2025, at 7:00 P.M. at the Haviland City Hall, 109 N. Main St., Haviland, KS to consider an application to be submitted to the Kansas Department of Commerce for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds under the Water and Sewer category.

The specific project application to be discussed is Wastewater Treatment Plan Improvements and Sewer Collection System Improvements, at or about the City of Haviland's Wastewater Treatment Plant, in an area generally located in the Northwest Quarter of Section 8, Township 28 South, Range 16 West of the 6th P.M., Kiowa County, Kansas, which may be found North of Sycamore St. and West of 53rd Ave., and also at or about the City of Haviland's Town Lift Station, in an area generally located in Lots 4 & 5, in Block 1, of Gilbert's First Addition to the City of Haviland, Kiowa County, Kansas, which may be found at the Eastern terminus of Poplar St., that will consist of:

- 1. Wastewater Treatment Plan Improvements: adding a 10.9 acre third lagoon; removing the sludge from existing lagoons; improving piping to ensure series operation of lagoons and limit short circuiting; demolishing existing irrigation pump, piping, controls, digester piping, and equipment in the pump room that are no longer in operation.
- 2. Sewer Collection System Improvements: adding alarm features and replacing the pumps and generator at the Town Lift Station; also adding a vertical auger to existing wet well to automate screening removal, adding radar sensors to monitor wet well levels, replacing spare pump and existing control panel, adding alarm features, and recoating pipes at Wastewater Treatment Plant Lift Station.

The estimated project cost is \$5,572,750 with a CDBG grant request for \$650,000 of the project cost.

Other project proposals introduced at the hearing will be considered. Oral and written comments will be recorded and will become a part of the City of Haviland's CDBG Citizen Participation Plan.

Reasonable accommodations will be made available to persons with disabilities and language assistance will be provided upon request. Requests should be submitted to Michelle Adams, City Clerk, 620-862-5317, cityhall@havilandks.gov by September 9, 2025.

City of Haviland, Kansas