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BROWN COUNTY PRESS RELEASE

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The Brown County Commissioners invite all county citizens and encourage them to attend a public presentation of the results of a statistically valid citizen survey that was just released to the public on Monday, February 12 at the County Commission Meeting.

Key survey findings were in five categories:

1. Perceptions of Brown County
2. Wind Turbines
3. Parks and Recreation Priorities
4. Potential Development
5. Other Findings

The survey instrument was organized by the ETC Market Research Institute of Olathe, Kansas.

They mailed a survey to each household in the county, approximately 4,000. There were 803 survey responses, 715 were returned by mail and 88 were received online.

Results of the survey guarantee a 95% level of confidence at a precision of +/-3%. In other words, if the same survey was distributed 100 times, the same results would occur at a precision of +/- 3%.

Survey Meeting Presentations are scheduled as follows:

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| Date | Time | Location |
| Monday, February 26 | Noon | Fairview Community Center  511 West Front Street  Fairview, Kansas |
| Monday, February 26 | 5:30 PM | Fisher Center  201 Iowa Street  Hiawatha, Kansas |
| Tuesday, February 27 | 5:30 PM | Blue Building (Community Center)  716 1st Avenue  Horton, Kansas |

Each meeting will be facilitated by the project consultant, Dick Horton. For questions, Dick can be reached at 816.210.3818 or at richardhorton971@gmail.com