

Office of the Secretary
915 SW Harrison St.
Topeka, KS 66612



Cell: 785-250-5467
Phone: 785-296-0671
Fax: 785-368-8392
Jeannine.Koranda@kdor.ks.gov
www.ksrevenue.org

Nick Jordan, Secretary
Jeannine Koranda, P.I.O.

Sam Brownback, Governor

State closes Reynaldos Real Mexican Food for not paying state sales taxes

July 20, 2011

TOPEKA – Wednesday morning, Kansas Department of Revenue agents and Sherman County Sheriff's officers seized the business assets of Reynaldos Real Mexican Food, which owed \$12,149 in state sales taxes.

Officers seized all known bank accounts, on-site cash, business inventory and personal property assets belonging to owner Juan M. Diaz. The Mexican restaurant, 2320 Commerce Rd, Goodland, was sealed closed and the assets will be sold at public auction to pay the taxes owed.

Warrant execution occurs when all other collection attempts, including multiple letters, telephone calls, letters of impending legal action, tax liens filed with the local District Court to secure the debt, previous bank levies and on-site till taps are executed to bring the taxpayer into compliance have been exhausted.

Only after several unsuccessful attempts does the department take the action of seizing assets, which in this instance resulted in the business being closed.

The Revenue Department's standard practice is to continually encourage delinquent taxpayers, who are not lawfully filing or paying taxes - such as sales or withholding - to voluntarily enter into a repayment agreement.

Tax Warrants:

Sales tax - #09ST5 - Sherman County – Jan. to Dec. 2008 - \$487.96

Sales tax - #10ST7 - Sherman County – Jan. to March, May, June, Aug. to Nov. 2009 \$5,011.48

Sales tax - #10ST13 - Sherman County – Jan. to Sept. 2010 - \$5,158.45

Sales tax - #11ST7 - Sherman County – Oct. to Dec. 2010 - \$1,490.94

Tax Warrant Totals: \$12,148.83