January 8, 1965

The regular meeting of the Elkton Toen Council was held January 8, 1965 at 8:00 PM with the mayor, R. J. Lough, presiding and the followimg council members present: J. C. Black, E. F. Garber, R. B. Hutton, W. H. McGahey, and H. L. Coffey.

J. C. Black moved, seconded by H. L. Coffey and passed that the Town of Elkton purchase electricity form the Virginia Electric and Power Company under rate schedule No. 15.

R. B. Hutton moved that the minutes of the December 11, 1964 council meeting be approved with the exception of a letter presented at that meeting and inserted in the minutes by M. W. Lough. H. L. Coffey seconded the motion and all voted in favor except E. F. Garber who opposed. Motion was passed.

J. C. Black moved, seconded by E. F. Garber and passed to accept the minutes of the special meeting held December 14, 1964.

The treasurer's finance report was approved.

R. B. Hutton moved that a clause be inserted in the deed of the Memorial Park property to the Town of Elkton that the building on that property used as a scout hut can be used by the boy scouts indefinitely. If use of the building is discontinued, the Elkton Lions will be given a 60 days notice to remove it from the property. If the building is not removed in 60 days it will become the property of the Town of Elkton. W. H. McGahey seconded the motion. Motion was passed.

R. B. Hutton moved, seconded by J. C. Black and passed to permit the Elkton Woman's Club use of the Merck house for a meeting in February.

Council asked R. J. Lough to get a property owner in town to fill the vacancy left by A. C. Kittrell on the board of zoning appeals.

J. C. Black moved, seconded by R. B. Hutton and passed that council would not receive pay for special council meeting held December 14, 1964.

W. H. McGahey moved, seconded by H. L. Coffey and passed to pay Mat Simmerman $150.00 for work done on the town's water supply.

J. C. Black moved, seconded by H. L. Coffey and passed to pay the 1964 audit bill.

J. C. Black moved, seconded by H. L. Coffey and passed the following ordinance:

> BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ELKTON that the gross load limit on anyone vehicle, or combination of vehicles, operating on 5th Street from its intersection with Rt.33 to 1B intersection with Spring Avenue, or Spring Avenue from 1B intersection with 5th Street to 1B intersection with 7th Street. And over Washington Avenue from its intersection with 5th Street to 1B intersection with Rt. 340, shall not exceed 30,000 gross pounds. The penalty for operating

a motor vehicle or a combination of motor vehicles on the designated portion of the aforesaid streets or avenues in excess of aforesaid gross load limit shall be, for the first offense a fine of not less than $10.00 nor more than $250.00 and the penalty for a second or subsequent offense shall be a fine of not less than $100.00 nor more than $500.00.

An emergency existing this ordinance shall be in full force and effective this 16th day of January, 1965.

With no furhter business, the meeting was adjourned.

APPROVED: R. J. Zeigler
Mayor

RECORDER: L. L. Lawson
Leon L. Lawson