January 13, 1967

The regular meeting of the Elkton Town Council was held January 13, 1967 at 8:00 P. M. with the Mayor Welty H. Hensley presiding. The following council members were present: I. L. Flory 111, E. F. Garber, J. N. McAllister, W. H. McGahey, Alan R. Thompson and H. A. Workman. The Town Attorney, Marvin C. Hillsman, Jr., Town Superintendent, David C. Liskey and Chief of Police, Jesse J. Sager were present.

Mr. E. F. Garber opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. R. L. Cave came before the council in regards to a town resident coming into his place of business insinuating Mr. Cave's son had something to do with his tires being slashed and stating he had a gun and was authorized to use it. The council assured Mr. Cave that they would check into the matter.

Mr. W. H. McGahey moved, seconded by Mr. A. R. Thompson and carried to accept the reading of the ordinance adopting the code when read in the minutes as the Second Reading on the Ordinance.

Mr. E. F. Garber moved, seconded by Mr. W. H. McGahey and carried to approve the minutes of the regular meeting December 9, 1966.

Mr. W. H. McGahey moved, seconded by Mr. A. R. Thompson and carried to approve the second reading on the Ordinance adopting the Code.

Mr. A. R. Thompson moved, seconded by Mr. H. A. Workman and carried to approve the minutes of the Executive Session December 9, 1966 with the following change: $10.00 Christmas Bonus to employees with service under six years and $15.00 to those employees who have been with the town over six years.

Mr. E. F. Garber moved, seconded by Mr. A. R. Thompson and carried to approve the Finance Report.

Mr. E. F. Garber reported that the Finance Committee were looking into the new changes proposed for our Bookkeeping System and had meetings set up with the McBee & Acme Systems to present their programs.

The proposed form for the application for Town Corporation License was presented and Mr. Garber reported it would be printed shortly.

Mr. H. A. Workman reported he had observed quite a number of Christmas Decorations during the holidays and would be working toward decorations for the town this coming year.

Mr. H. A. Workman moved, seconded by Mr. E. F. Garber and carried to appropriate $400.00 for a new transformer to supply additional current to the Shop Building at the Elkton Elementary School.

Mr. A. R. Thompson reported that he did not have any prices, as yet, on garbage cans nor had he received any information from the Highway Dept.

Mr. I. L. Flory 111 reported that the town needed a Roter Rooter. Mr. Liskey was asked to obtain bids and present them at the next meeting.

Mr. W. H. McGahey moved, seconded by Mr. John McAllister and carried to give Curtis Mitchell a $25.00 a month raise.

Mr. Sager asked that a list of licensed taxi's be given to him as soon as possible.

Mr. McAllister reported that he had received permission on several of the lots for parking and that Mrs. Louise Kite's lot at the corner of Rt. 33 & 340 could probably now be obtained for parking. He also reported that the majority of the Street Repairs had been completed.

Mr. M. A. Simmerman and Mr. Bert Fidler, representatives from the Fire Department were present and a discussion was held concerning the need for more space for the Fire Company. Mr. McAllister, Chairman of the committee appointed to look into this matter, reported that after studying the possibility of repairing and expanding the old buildings; the Committee recommends a further study be made into a new building and a new location for the Fire Company.

Mr. I. L. Flory 111 moved, seconded by Mr. E. F. Garber and carried to grant Mr. Mervin Meyer's request for an outside water connection.

Mr. Hensley reported that the Board of Zoning Appeals has elected Mr. G. B. Henry as Chairman and Mr. W. R. Horne as Secretary of the Board.

Mr. John N. McAllister moved, seconded by Mr. W. H. McGahey and carried to reappoint Mr. W. R. Horne to the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Mr. E. F. Garber was asked to check into a sign for the Treasurer's Office and Council Chambers which would have the Library Hours on it.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned.

APPROVED: Wesley H. Hensley
Mayor

RECORDER: Norma R. Leap
Norma R. Leap, Clerk

Differed Business:

New Bookkeeping System
Roter Rooter
Parking Lots
More Space for Fire Company
Sign for Office Building