SPECIAL
COUNCIL MEETING
December 19, 1973

A special meeting of the Elkton Town Council was held December 19, 1973 at 8:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers with the Mayor, Edward F. Garber presiding. The following council members were present. Mr. R. E. Davis, Mr. R. R. Dean, Mr. H. A. Leet, Mr. W. H. McGahey, Mr. A. R. Thompson and Mr. H. A. Workman. Mr. Homer Ageon and Mr. William T. Herring, Acting Superintendents were also present.

Mayor Garber opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. Herring reported that the testing required at the sewerage plant by the State Water Control Board, which is mandatory, will cost $217.00 per month. This price is from Mr. Ed Forrester of Harrisonburg.

Mr. R. E. Davis moved, seconded by Mr. H. A. Leet and carried unanimously to accept Mr. Forrester's bid to do the required testing.

Mr. Joe Early was present and stated his dissatisfaction with the charge on his office for garbage collection. He recommended special charges for businesses in his classification where there is no stock merchandise, boxes, garbage, etc. As this was not on the agenda, no action was taken but the council told Mr. Early that the committee would consider this matter.

A request from Mr. Raymond Gooden, who was not present, for water and sewer connections to his property on Barkman Avenue was presented. No action was taken on this request.

A request from Mr. Buddy Lam, who also was not present, for water and sewer connections to his proposed apartments, East of Sixth Street, was presented.

Mr. R. E. Davis moved, seconded by Mr. W. H. McGahey and carried unanimously to grant water and sewer connections to Mr. Lam if he picks up at our existing lines at his expense and provided no pumping is required.

Mr. A. R. Thompson moved, seconded by Mr. H. A. Workman and carried unanimously to approve the Second Reading of $1550.00 for the audit bill from Bosserman, Alt, James & Stickley.

Mr. A. R. Thompson moved, seconded by Mr. W. H. McGahey and carried unanimously to give Christmas bonuses, the same as in the past.

Mayor Garber reported that it will be necessary to have a Public Hearing on December 29, 1973 at 7:15 P.M. followed by a special council meeting in order to pass the necessary reolution to present to the General Assembly for the charter change on changing the time of councilmen taking office, the change of our fiscal year and the change of election date.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned.

MAYOR: Edward F. Garber
Edward F. Garber, Mayor

RECORDER: R E Davis
R. E. Davis, Acting Clerk