REGULAR
COUNCIL MEETING
November 8, 1982

The regular meeting of the Elkton Town Council was held November 8, 1982 at 8:00 P.M. in the council chambers with the Mayor Charles E. Dean presiding. The following council members were present: V. L. Cook Jr., R. E. Davis, S. P. H. Flick, B. B. Holt, T. G. Hulings and R. L. Snow. John Ebbert, Chief of Police, Norma Leap, Clerk, Gerald Monger, Superintendent and Dale Davenport, Attorney were also present.

Councilman R. L. Snow moved, seconded by Councilman S. P. H. Flick and carried to approve the minutes of the Public Hearing, October 11th., the Regular Meeting, October 11th., the Special Meeting, November 1st. as presented.

Mr. Monger reported on the following:

MEMORIAL PARK

There is about three or four more days work on the grading at the ball park before it is finished. Rain has halted the work at present.

ROUTE 340 PROJECT

There will be a PreConstruction Conference with the Highway Department Wednesday on the Route 340 Project. The change over on the electric will start some time next week. The water change over is completed.

Mr. Monger has received an agreement which the Street Committee will need to sign regarding the sidewalk on this project. Our cost will be a little over $3,000.00.

SEWER PROJECT LOWER END OF TOWN

The plans for this project still have not been approved. We are working on getting easements from the landowners at the present time.

WASHINGTON AVENUE PROJECT

There is still some field work to do before this project can get started.

Councilman Davis reported that the Open House for the Police Department went very well. Approximately forty or so people stopped by. Refreshments were served. Councilman Davis thanked all those who helped with the Open House.

Councilman Davis reported that each council member has been presented a summary report for police activities for the month of October and a copy of a radar and traffic violations survey which has been conducted by the police department to determine the problem areas in town. People were stopped and given warnings. Chief Ebbert reviewed the survey with council.

Councilman S. P. H. Flick moved, seconded by Councilman B. B. Holt and carried to approve the Finance report for the months of July through September.

Councilman Flick requested each Department Head and Committee Chairman to present their suggestions for the use of the EP-13 Revenue Sharing Funds to the Finance Committee.

Councilman Hulings reminded council that the new rate structure was dependent upon some agreement with the school board regarding a change in the school rates. As of this time we have nothing worked out as yet. Even though the new rates are in effect, we may still have to do some adjusting if something cannot be worked out with the school board.

Councilman Holt reported that he has been working with Mr. Davenport on some phraseology on some ordinances pertaining to cleaning up the town. Mr. Holt will be sending out copies of these ordinances to the Ordinance Committee. He hopes to have something ready to present at the next meeting. Councilman Holt stated he has asked Mr. Davenport to look into the legal ramifications of the town taking their trash over to the new burning operation which the City of Harrisonburg now has in operation.

Mr. Monger stated we will be hauling our trash to the City of Harrisonburg on a trial basis this month at no charge during this period.

Mayor Dean reported that the Town Christmas Party will be held at the Bethel Christian Church December 2, 1982 at 6:30 P.M.

Mayor Dean reported that the Rockingham County Municipal League will meet November 17th. at 7:30 P.M. at Broadway.

There will be a meeting sponsored by the Virginia Municipal League at the Sheraton Inn in Harrisonburg November 22nd. at 6:00 P.M. Those planning to attend need to notify Mrs. Leap so she can make reservations.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned.

MAYOR: Charles E. Dean
Charles E. Dean, Mayor

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