

# Proceedings Of Town Council For The Month Of July

Edenton, N. C.,  
July 15, 1969.

The Town Council of the Town of Edenton met this day in regular session at 8 P. M. at the Municipal Building.

Members present: Mayor George A. Byrum, Luther C. Parks, D. G. White, J. D. Elliott, Leo Katkaveck, W. H. Hollowell, Jr., and James C. Dail.

Mayor Byrum called the meeting to order and gave the invocation.

During the report of the Police Department, Mr. Katkaveck requested that the department give more attention to bicycles using the town's streets at night without proper lights.

Motion by J. D. Elliott, seconded by Luther C. Parks and unanimously carried approving the following resolution on sidewalk construction:

(To be advertised in The Chowan Herald separately from the Council Minutes).

A complaint relative to trash pickup on July 4th weekend was discussed by the Council and it was decided to pickup all over town the day after a holiday, providing the day after does not fall on a Saturday.

Motion by W. H. Hollowell, Jr., seconded by J. D. Elliott and unanimously carried adopting the budget for 1969-70 fiscal year setting the tax rate at \$1.20.

Administrative Department	\$ 36,626.00
Police Department	86,393.18
Fire Department	37,106.27
Street Department	149,313.23
Other Expenses	75,876.00
E. & W. Department	
<b>Total</b>	<b>702,000.00</b>

Motion by J. D. Elliott, seconded by James C. Dail and unanimously carried adopting the following modifications for safe and reasonable speed limits as set forth below:

- To extend the 35 MPH speed limit on East Church Street from its present location to a point 1/10 mile east of Jackson Street.
- To extend 35-MPH speed limit on Virginia Road (NC 32) from Broad Street to a point 25/100 MPH speed limit down

mile northwest of Granville Street, being the northwest corporate limit.

3. To extend the 35 Paradise Road to a point approximately 35/100 mile north of Dillard Avenue, the northern corporate limit.

4. To declare Broad Street, from Queen Street to Church Street 35 MPH.

5. To declare the speed on Broad Street from Virginia Road to Coke Avenue 35 MPH.

6. To declare speed limit on Broad Street from Church Street to Virginia Road 35 MPH.

7. To declare speed limit on Queen Street from Albania Street to a point 5/100 mile west of Terry Avenue 45 MPH.

Town Administrator W. B. Gardner presented to the Council a brief description on the possibilities of instituting an Urban Renewal Program for the Town of Edenton with the idea in mind of receiving credits for the work now under construction and that work anticipated to be completed in the near future. This type program could result in the rebuilding of neighborhoods and the complete uplifting of the downtown business area.

Mayor Byrum requested Councilmen Elliott, Hollowell and Mr. Gardner to investigate this program further and to report back at the next Council meeting.

Motion by James C. Dail, seconded by D. G. White and unanimously carried that the report of Mayor Byrum and Councilman Parks be accepted and ordering the removal of the stop light at the intersection of Albemarle and Oakum Streets and the erection of a stop light at the intersection of Freemason and Oakum Streets. Appropriate signs being erected and parking removed from Oakum Street for a distance of 50 feet from Albemarle Street.

On recommendation by Chief of Police J. D. Parrish, and upon motion by W. H. Hollowell, Jr., seconded by D. G. White, it was unanimously carried denying beer permit to Hattie Bonner, trading as

Bottom's Inn.

It was decided to attempt to erect a street light on Paxton Lane near a playground that has been built by the Community Action group.

Motion by J. D. Elliott, seconded by W. H. Hollowell, Jr., and unanimously carried adopting the following resolution:

Whereas Honorable Earl Goodwin has well and faithfully served the citizens of the Town of Edenton and County of Chowan for many years, and

Whereas his activities as Sheriff of this County have resulted in a safer and more meaningful way of life for all our citizens, and

Whereas Sheriff Goodwin has recently passed away, now

Therefore Be It Resolved that the Town Council of the Town of Edenton expresses its sincere sympathy to the family of Sheriff Goodwin, and

Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the proceedings of the Town Council of the Town of Edenton held on July 15, 1969, and a copy presented to the family of Sheriff Goodwin.

Motion by Luther C. Parks, seconded by J. D. Elliott and unanimously carried adopting the following resolution:

Whereas Honorable Philip Godwin has rendered distinguished service to the Town of Edenton for many years as Representative in the North Carolina General Assembly and

Whereas he has recently been elected Speaker of the House of North Carolina House of Representatives, now

presented to Mr. Godwin.

It was decided by the Council that a test construction of asphalt curb and gutter be completed in the Vine Oak Cemetery area and also East Hicks Street beside the Scout Cabin.

Motion by Luther C. Parks, seconded by James C. Dail and unanimously carried approving the following resolution:

Whereas Mrs. Davetta L. Steed has rendered thirty-five years of distinguished service to all municipalities of the State of North Carolina, and

Whereas the Town of Edenton has been the beneficiary of her wise counsel, and

Whereas she will retire from the job as Executive Director of the North Carolina League of Municipalities on November 1, 1969, now

Therefore Be It Resolved that the Town Council of the Town of Edenton expresses its sincere thanks to Mrs. Steed for her many years of devoted service to the League, to the State of North Carolina, and to our community, and

Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the proceedings of the Town Council of the Town of Edenton held on July 15, 1969, and a copy forwarded to Mrs. Steed.

Motion by Luther C. Parks, seconded by D. G. White and unanimously carried approving the following resolution:

Whereas after many years as Assistant Executive Director of the North Carolina League of Municipalities, Leigh Wilson will assume the duties as Executive Director on November 1, 1969, and

Whereas the Town of Edenton has long benefited from the wise counsel and leadership of Mr. Wilson, and

Whereas his personal friendship and attention have greatly benefited our community, now

deavors, and

Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the proceedings of the Town Council of the Town of Edenton held on July 15, 1969, and a copy forwarded to Mr. Wilson.

Motion by J. D. Elliott, seconded by D. G. White and unanimously carried approving the E. & W. Department bills in the amount of \$102,842.87 for payment.

Motion by W. H. Hollowell, Jr., seconded by Leo Katkaveck and unanimously carried approving Town of Edenton bills in the amount of \$12,336.08 for payment as follows:

**Administrative Department**  
Town of Edenton, Street Department, \$15.89; Edenton Office Supply, \$1.72; Williamston Office Supply, \$2.00; Nor. & Car. Tel. & Tel. Co., \$76.66; Town of Edenton, E. & W., \$82.65; James M. Bond, \$25.00; W. J. P. Earnhardt, Jr., \$75.00; Lynn Perry, \$75.00; Wayne Mizelle, \$20.00; Harvey Williams, \$20.00; Bertram Byrum, \$75.00; Earl Jones, \$50.00; The Chowan Herald, \$17.60; total, \$535.04.

**Fire Department**  
Ricks Laundry, \$7.92; Town of Edenton, Street Department, \$29.56; Byrum Hardware Co., \$10.66; Hobbs Implement Co., \$10.62; Bunch's Auto Parts, \$1.18; Town of Edenton, E. & W., \$44.58; Hughes-Parker Hardware Co., \$3.25; Volunteer Firemen, \$168.00; Nor. & Car. Tel. & Tel. Co., \$48.30; total, \$324.07.

**Police Department**  
Williamston Office Supply, \$2.06; Town of Edenton, Street Department, \$273.70; Elliott Company of Edenton, \$154.00; Ricks Laundry, \$11.59; Coastal Electronics, \$600.00; Good-year Service Stores, \$1.50; Purchase & Contract Division, \$1,650.00; Smith's Auto Service, \$1.50; Albemarle Tire Service, \$29.00; The Chowan Herald, \$32.86; W. Soden & Sons, 75c; Bunch's Auto Parts, \$1.30; Nor. & Car. Tel. & Tel. Co., \$67.99; Dr. L. A. Dees, \$13.50; Albemarle Motor Co., \$64.56; total, \$2,904.31.

**Street Department**  
C. C. Webb, \$125.00; Hobbs Implement Co., \$85.95; Edenton Tractor & Implement Co., \$3.30; J. H. Conger & Son, \$65.44; Town of Edenton, E. & W., \$20.99; Nor. & Car. Tel. & Tel. Co., \$13.40; Town of Edenton, Street Department, \$379.23; East Carolina Supply Co., \$32.52; Byrum Hardware Co., \$3.15; Hughes-Parker Hardware Co., \$16.70; Albemarle Tire Service, \$42.00; Coastal Concrete Co., \$819.37; Carolina Over-all Co., \$121.56; Sinclair Oil Corp., \$8.29; Motorola C. & E., \$15.00; Texaco, \$602.54; Auxiliary Police Payroll, \$60.00; BP Oil Corp., \$334.94; Byrum Implement & Truck Co., \$265.20; Goodyear Service Stores, \$9.96; Ashley Welding & Machine Co., \$69.70; M. G. Erown Co., \$12.86; Bunch's Auto Parts, \$113.93; George Chevrolet Co., \$16.48; total, \$3,278.51.

**Other Expenses**  
Edenton Office Supply, \$30.60; The Chowan Herald, \$28.72; Byrum Hardware Co., \$186.56; Burroughs Corp., \$7.50; R. Elton Forehand Agency, \$14.00; Lula White Flower

Shop, \$11.52; American Red Cross, \$193.05; Hollowell's Rexall Drug Store, \$2.00; J. H. Conger & Son, \$18.54; Town of Edenton, E. & W., \$430.31; N. C. Department of Conservation & Development, \$3,250.00; Ocean Hiway Association, \$350.00; Carol Haste, \$5.68; Town of Edenton, \$29.97; Sears, \$29.00; Management Information Service, \$50.00; N. C. League of Municipalities, \$412.48; N. C. City and County Managers Association, \$13.00; Mitchener's Pharmacy, \$5.68; Hughes-Parker Hardware Co., \$76.63; C. W. Hilliard,

\$108.00; National League of Cities, \$25.00; The International City Managers Association, \$15.00; Belk Tyler, 91c; total, \$5,294.15.

Total bills, \$12,336.08.

Salaries paid in June, 1969:

Administrative Department	\$ 2,010.56
Police Department	4,752.26
Fire Department	1,766.56
Street Department	5,073.68
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,603.06</b>

Total Bills and Salaries, \$25,939.14.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

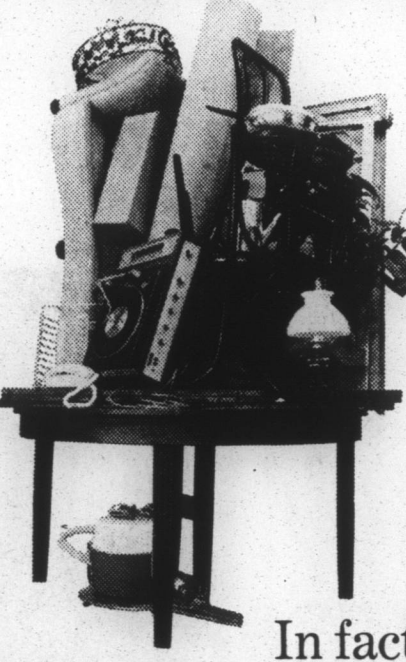
W. B. GARDNER,  
Administrator.

## Belk Tyler

### Of Edenton

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### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

In the General Court of Justice  
Superior Court Division  
Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Hannah O. Simpson, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of January, 1970, or this notice renewed, pleaded in bar of one of the very thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 22nd day of July, 1969.  
Thomas Earl Simpson, Executor of the Estate of Hannah O. Simpson, Deceased.

John F. White, Attorney, Edenton, N. C.  
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### Administrator's Notice

In the General Court of Justice  
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Annie Asbell Jordan, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of January, 1970, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 31st day of July, 1969.  
JOHN W. GRAHAM, Administrator of the Estate of Annie Asbell Jordan, Deceased.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Miles Earl Goodwin, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of January, 1970, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of July, 1969.  
PHILIP S. McMULLAN, Executor of the Estate of Annie Williams McMullan, Deceased.

notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 9th day of July, 1969.  
Elizabeth H. Goodwin, Executrix of the Estate of Miles Earl Goodwin, Deceased.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Annie Williams McMullan, late of Chowan County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of February, 1970, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of July, 1969.  
PHILIP S. McMULLAN, Executor of the Estate of Annie Williams McMullan, Deceased.

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Whereas, under and by virtue of a resolution adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Edenton, dated October 8, 1968, published as required by law, and to which reference is hereby made, the Town of Edenton has provided, constructed, established and completed a sidewalk four feet in width in and for said Town along the north and south sides of West Freemason Street from Granville Street to Broad Street as set out and described in said resolution:

And whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Edenton has computed and ascertained the total cost thereof;

Now therefore be it resolved, that the Town Council of the Town of Edenton hereby makes an assessment of 50 per cent of the total cost of said improvements upon the

lots abutting directly upon the street or portion of the street described herein, according to the extent of their respective frontage by an equal rate per foot of such frontage and in accordance with said resolution and hereby makes out an assessment roll as follows:

R. H. Vaughan, 117 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$201.78.

Town of Edenton, 248 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$282.72.

Carrie Blount, 34.5 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$39.33.

William Madre, 34.5 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate, \$1.14 per foot; assessment, \$39.33.

Herbert Brooks, 36 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$41.04.

Erie Jordan, 30 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$34.20.

Katie Wilson, 40 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$45.60.

Maggie Felton, 38.5 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$43.89.

Percy Reeves, 118 feet south side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$134.52.

John F. White, 132 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$150.48.

Lillian J. Burwell, 65 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$74.10.

Sara Perkins, 26 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$29.64.

\$74.10.  
John Stepney, 66 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$75.24.

Herbert E. Small, 25 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$28.50.

John Edward Jordan, 33 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$37.62.

Pearlie S. Blount, 66 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$75.24.

Eliza and Eli Mayo, 64 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$72.96.

H. C. Harris, 33 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$37.62.

Mary M. Skinner, 31 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$35.34.

Elizabeth and George Armstead, 62 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$70.68.

Mary Harvey and Corrine Reid, 58 feet north side West Freemason Street; rate per foot, \$1.14; assessment, \$66.12.

Be it further resolved that the foregoing assessment roll be deposited in the office of the Town Clerk for inspection by parties interested, and that there be published in the same manner as the order on resolution authorizing such work, a notice of completion of the assessment roll, setting forth a description in the general terms of the improvements fixing the time of the meeting of the Town Council for the hearing of allegations and objections in respect of the special assessment, said meeting to be held at the Municipal Building in Edenton, North Carolina, on September 9, 1969.

W. B. GARDNER,  
Administrator.