original boundaries of the municipality and a complete description of the new boundaries of the area hereby annexed.

The charter amendment enacted by the aforegoing Resolution becomes effective on the 22nd day of July, 1974.

RESOLUTION of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, adopted pursuant to the authority of Article XIE of the Constitution of Maryland, and Section 19 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), 1972 Replacement Volume, Title "Corporations — Municipal" to add a new section to the Code of Cecil County, Maryland (adopted January 25, 1971) under Chapter 27 of said Code which incorporates the Charter of the Town of Elkton by reference, and also known as Section 3 of the new Charter of the Town of Elkton as adopted on October 30, 1968, and constituting an amendment to the municipal charter of the body politic and corporate known as the Town of Elkton, and to annex and include the following described land in the boundaries of taxable limits of the Town of Elkton.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 19 (c) of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition) at least 25% or more of the registered voters in County elections who reside in the hereinafter described area, and the owners of at least 25% of the assessed valuation in the said area have petitioned the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, to annex said area into the corporate boundaries of the Town of Elkton; and

WHEREAS, upon presentation of the petition to the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, the presiding officer thereof caused to be made a verification of the signatures thereon and ascertained that the persons signing the petition represented at least 25% or more of the registered voters residing in the area to be annexed and who are, in fact, registered as voters in County elections in the precinct in which the territory to be annexed is located; and

WHEREAS, upon presentation of the petition to the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, the presiding officer thereof caused to be made a verification of the signatures thereon and ascertained that the persons signing the petition owned at least 25% or more of the assessed valuation of the real property located in the area to be annexed; and