

ORDINANCE NO. 1997-A

WHEREAS, the town council of Brookland, Craighead County, Arkansas, is faced with the fact that the Mayor has resigned from his post leaving the office of Mayor vacant; and

WHEREAS, the council has elected to seek a special election of a Mayor to serve until the next general election so that the populace of the town will have a direct say in the election of said individual; and

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby ordained as follows:

1. That a special election for Mayor of the Town of Brookland shall be held on the 7 day of Oct, 1997 with the polling place to be the Brookland City Hall, and the County Clerk is authorized to prepare the proper paper ballots for voting and the counting of same thereafter.
2. That the Mayor so elected shall be elected to serve the remainder of the unexpired term of T. C. Guest.

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

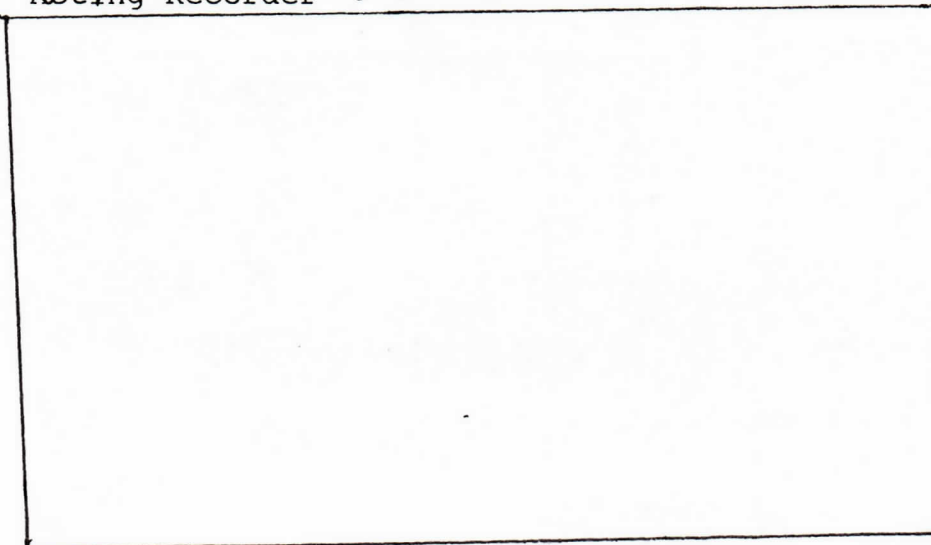
It is hereby determined that the failure of the town to have an elected Mayor to lead, guide and direct the town and carry its business forward, presents an emergency situation to the town and its populace so that an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Witness our hands this 8 day of July, 1997.

Beth Foster
Acting Mayor

ATTEST:

Lisa McLeod
Acting Recorder



MOTION

It is hereby resolved by the Town Council of the Town of Brookland, Arkansas, that although the actual ordinance has not been located, with regard to the acceptance of Margie Drive as a Town street, the minutes of the meeting of the prior Town Council indicate that such an ordinance was passed reflecting that a portion of the street was accepted and that the additional part of the street which was not paved would be accepted once paved,

NOW THEREFORE, to preclude any question of the intent of the prior council as the actual ordinance is not available, this council does hereby acknowledge that the intent was to accept Margie Drive into the Town's official road system for maintenance purposes, and that said road has previously been paved in its entire length.