

The Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton

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A Policy

INSTALLATION OF SPEED HUMPS ON RESIDENTIAL STREETS

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commissioners have determined that speed humps are effective traffic calming devices when utilized in conjunction with other methods of traffic management and law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commissioners have further determined that speed humps shall be installed on municipally-owned residential streets in conformance with the Town's regulatory and standards of construction.

NOW, THEREFORE, it shall be the policy of the Town of Elkton to install speed humps within the town in accordance with the following conditions and precedents:

1. Funds have been allocated for the installation of speed humps; and
2. The need for speed humps for traffic calming on the affected street has been clearly identified and documented by the Elkton Police Department; and
3. A residential property owner/tenant survey has been conducted by the administration office with no less than 60% respondents favorably approving the installation of speed humps on the affected street; and
4. The installation of speed humps is in compliance with Elkton Subdivision Regulations; and
5. The installation of speed humps shall be in compliance with the Town's *Standard Specifications, Construction Details, and General Conditions for Construction Contracts*, current edition; and
6. The installation of speed humps has been approved by the Mayor and Commissioners.

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