

## The Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton

## Resolution R5-2008 Homestead Property Tax Credit

**A RESOLUTION** of the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton establishing the *Homestead Property Tax Credit [homestead credit percentage]* for the Town of Elkton.

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton are authorized under the Tax-Property Article, Section 9-105, Annotated Code of Maryland, to establish a homestead credit percentage beginning July 1 of the subsequent fiscal year; and

**WHEREAS**, the homestead credit percentage applicable to the Town of Elkton is currently 105%, which was established by Resolution R10-2005, passed on November 16, 2005, and applicable to FY2007, which amended the previous percentage of 110%, the maximum provided by law; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commissioners have determined to adjust the current homestead credit percentage of 105% to 108%, consistent with the homestead credit percentage established by the Cecil County Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commissioners, acting under the authority of the Tax-Property Article, Section 9-105 (e) (4), Annotated Code of Maryland, have further determined that the homestead credit percentage shall be applicable for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2009.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton, as follows:

- 1. A homestead credit percentage of **ONE HUNDRED EIGHT PERCENT** (108%) shall be established for qualifying real property assessments within the town of Elkton; and
- 2. The established homestead credit percentage shall be effective on July 1, 2009; and
- 3. The Town Administrator shall notify the Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation of the homestead tax percentage applicable within the Town of Elkton on or before November 25, 2008.

## READ AND PASSED THIS 19<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2008

Mayor and Commissioners of the Town of Elkton

Mayor Joseph L. Fisona Commissioner Charles H. Givens, Sr. Commissioner Mary Jo Jablonski Commissioner C. Gary Storke