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Adopted Nov. 16 1908

Passed Nov. 23, 1908.

I hereby certify the above to be a true and exact copy of the original as read

Wm W Eaton

Town Clerk

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