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The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion the following bills were passed for payment:

Annie Gill

2482	M.L. Brannan, Office acct.		
	Gen'l Exp.	6.06	
	Police Dept.	1.00	
	Scév. Health & Cmty.	3.91	
	St. & Lanes	27.97	\$ 38.94
2483	M.L. Brannan, Salary		60.00
2484	Per Diem "		17.00
2485	Homer Bland "		80.00

The Ordinance, entitled an Ordinance to amend an Ordinance in regard to that certain section # 26, having been read at the regular meeting of Feb. 1st, and passed, was read for the second reading, and upon motion made and seconded to pass this reading, the vote did not carry, therefore this amendment does not hold.; the old Ordinance remaining in tact.

The Sanitary Ordinance read for the first time at the February meeting and passed, and tabled for the second reading, passed the second reading. That certain sec. #1, Article # 2, in regard to penalty shall be changed to read upon failure to comply with this Ordinance it shall be deemed a Breach of this Ordinance and a Breach of the Peace rather than a misdemeanor, and shall be punished accordingly.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to revise the lien in conjunction with the above Ordinance, and attach a Note to it.

The following Resolution was adopted as read in regards to Ft. King George.

A Resolution.

Whereas the site of Old Fort King George, just East of the City Limits is a most Historic spot, and the improvement of it as a Park would be of great benefit to the people of Darien in many ways, and

Whereas the City has already gone to some expense in the matter of survey and abstract, Therefore be it resolved by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Darien in lawful meeting:

1. That the State Division of Parks be and it is hereby urged to acquire this area as soon as possible, and commence the improvement of same

2. That this body will give all future cooperation in the matter that it is possible to do

3. That a certified copy of these resolutions be mailed to said Division Of State Parks.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to return all money paid to the City of Darien as Slot machine money to the owner of such.

There being no further business, the meeting was duly adjourned.

M. L. Brannan Clerk.

[Signature] Ma.
100.25

W E L L I N F O R M A T I O N

April 5, 1939

City of Darien Well worked over and additional casing put in by W. E. Floyd of Ludowici, Georgia, finished today.

Depth of Well 788 feet.

four inch casing first 110 feet.

first casing at time wel

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF STATE PARKS



OFFICE OF
STATE PARKS DIRECTOR

421 STATE CAPITOL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

March 28, 1939

Hon. M. L. Brannan,
Clerk-Treasurer,
City of Darien,
Darien, Georgia.

Dear Mr. Brannan:

We appreciate very much your letter of March 18, and the enclosed copy of the resolution by the City of Darien, concerning the proposed Park at the site of the Old Fort King George.

We are now negotiating for the purchase of this area. We looked it over last week, and talked with Mr. Jones concerning its purchase. We certainly hope that we will be able to take action in the matter in the very near future.

Yours very truly,

Charles N. Elliott
CHARLES N. ELLIOTT,
Director.

July 5, 1939.

City of Darien, Ga.

A regular meeting of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Darien was held to-day at 8;30 P.M. the Hon. P.H. Ploeger, Mayor, presiding, and Aldermen D.E. Lane, John D. Clarke, and W.E. Kenner, Jr. in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion the following bills were passed for payment:

2576	M.L. Brannan, Office Acct.		
	Gen' l expense,	1.44	
	Water Dept.	.50	
	Health & Cmty.	.98	7.92
	St. & Lanes	5.00	60.00
2577	M.L. Brannan, Salary		17.00
2578	Per diem, Mayor & Aldermen		60.00
2579	T.C. Faircloth, Salary		
			\$ 1094.85

A motion was made, seconded and passed to adopt the Resolution below in regard to the proposed Ft. King George project, whereby the City of Darien will contribute a sum of \$ 200.00, when all other conditions of payment have been met as stipulated in Resolution.

A Resolution.

Whereas there is contemplated that the County of McIntosh will make available \$200.00, and other sources \$400.00 towards the purchase price of the area of the Site of Old Fort King George, provided that the City of Darien appropriate the sum of \$200.00,

And the Mayor and Aldermen deem that the purchase of said site, the title to be in the State of Georgia or its proper department, will be to the general welfare of said City of Darien,

Therefore be it resolved by Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Darien in lawful meeting assembled, that the sum of \$200.00 for said purpose is hereby appropriated and made available from the general funds of said City, such funds to be retained in the Treasury of said City until it be made known to the treasurer and Mayor that the other conditions as to payments have been met.

In lawful meeting this 5th. day of July, 1939.

There being no further business at hand, the meeting was duly

adjoined.
Clerk M. L. Brannan

Mayor P. H. Ploeger

City of Darien, Ga.

August 4, 1939.

A regular meeting of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Darien was held to-day at 8;30 P.M., the Hon. P.H. Ploeger, Mayor presiding and Aldermen D.E. Lane and John D. Clarke in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion the following bills were passed for payment:

2598	M.L. Brannan, Office Acct.	\$ 7.92
2623	Ga. Power Co, Jail Lights	

		\$ 692. 87

The following resolution was made, and adopted.

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Whereas the State Division of Parks have made recently an investigation as to the site of old Fort King George, and have sent a historian in company with a historian from the National Park Service, and Whereas, it is probable that a W.P.A. or other governmental agency will approve a project for the restoration of said park,

And, Whereas the site ~~and~~ is now accessible only by an unimproved road,

Therefore, Be it resolved by the Mayor And Aldermen of The City of Darien, in lawful meeting assembled, that Mr, H.J. Friedman, Engineer of the Coastal Highway District of Georgia, be requested to lend his assistance and cooperation in the location and establishment of a highway from the Coastal Highway to the site of said Old Fort King George,

Resolved further that this Board desires to cooperate with said Mr. Friedman and the Highway Department, and with the Division of State Parks and the National Park Service in this matter and will do all in its power, consistent with good government to aid and assist in the matter.

By unanimous Consent 25 Meter Boxes will be purchased for the City at an early date.

By agreement the City Jail will be put in good condition at once.

There being no further business at hand the meeting was duly ad-

journed.

M. L. Brennan
*****Clerk.

F. W. Ploeger
*****Mayor.

*Called Meeting
City of Darien, Ga.*

Sept-28. 1939.

A special called meeting of the Mayor and aldermen of the City of Darien was held on-day at 3:30 P.M., with Mayor F. W. Ploeger residing, and aldermen W. E. Lane, and John Clarke in attendance. The object of the meeting being to consider "The Distribution of Literature on the Streets of Darien". A motion was made, seconded and passed adopting the Resolution whereby license location (of) the...

CITY OF DARIEN

M. L. BRANNAN, CLERK-TREASURER

DARIEN, GA.

Nov. 22nd. 1939.

Hon. E. A. Logan, Division Eng.,
State Highway Department,
Savannah, Georgia.

Dear Mr. Logan:-

We have been informed that recently and probably on Monday or Tuesday of this week that your department surveyed a route to Lower Bluff (Old Fort King George area) along either Congress or Greene Street as shown on the map of Darien.

It was the intention of the Mayor and Aldermen by the adoption of resolution which was sent to you to ask that such route be surveyed as near as practicable to the River Bluff, which they intended should be to the southward of Bay Street, or at least along Bay Street.

The purpose of this letter is to ask whether we had made ourselves clear in our request as to survey of the Route from intersection of Broad and Walton Sts, eastward along Broad, Bay, and if necessary at certain points eastward of Bay Street as shown on the map,-

Assuring you of continued cooperation in this matter, we are,

Yours very truly,

City of Darien

by

M. L. Brannan

Clerk & Treas.

CITY OF DARIEN

M. L. BRANNAN, CLERK-TREASURER

DARIEN, GA.

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January 11, 1940.

Hon. E. L. Bothwell, Director,
Division of State Parks,
Atlanta, Georgia.

RE: Old Fort King George.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. W. S. Tyson presented a resolution to the Mayor and Aldermen this morning, which was duly adopted, and a certified copy is herewith enclosed.

Your letter to Mr. Tyson dated January 2nd. 1940 was read to the Board, and we are gratified that some progress has been made. You may be assured that if we can be of further assistance in the matter that we will be glad to have you call on us.

Yours very truly ,

(M.L.Brannan, Clerk, City of Darien)

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE CAPITOL, ATLANTA, GA.



DIVISION OF STATE PARKS

~~DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES~~

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

January 13, 1940

Mr. M. L. Brannan,
Clerk,
City of Darien,
Darien, Georgia.

Dear Mr. Brannan:

I wish to thank you very much for your kindness in transmitting to us the certified copy of the resolution adopted by the City Council of Darien, relative to the purchase of the Fort King George site.

As stated in my letter to Mr. Tyson, I am planning on being in Darien some time in the very near future. At that time, I would like to meet with everyone interested in the project.

With kind regards, I am

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "E. L. Bothwell".

E. L. BOTHWELL,
Acting Director.

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