

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.



Chapter 1.

AN ACT creating the village of Brunswick into a Corporation for certain purposes.

Approved January 22, 1836.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the territory embraced within the following limits, to wit: Beginning at Territorial limits. the mouth of Stanwood's Gully, so called, near the carrying place Boom, thence running South to the South line of the Dolbier Lot, so called, thence East on the South line of said Dolbier Lot to the twelve rod road thence crossing the twelve rod road and running East, on the South line of the Waterhouse Lot, so called, to the turnpike, thence Easterly by the turnpike to the Westerly line of the upper Stanwood farm, thence Northerly and Easterly by the said Stanwood farm to Androscoggin River, thence up said river to the first bounds—together with the inhabitants thereon, be and the same is hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of "The Brunswick Corporate name. Village Corporation."

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said corporation is hereby invested with the power, at any legal meeting Powers, &c.

BRUNSWICK VILLAGE CORPORATION.

called for the purpose, to raise money for the purchase, repair and preservation of one or more Fire Engines, Hose or other apparatus for the extinguishment of Fire, for the construction of Reservoirs and Aqueducts for the procuring of water, and for organizing and maintaining within the limits of said territory an efficient Fire Department.

Manner of collecting assessments.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That any money raised by said corporation, for the purpose aforesaid shall be assessed on the property within said territory and collected in the same manner, as is now provided for the assessment and collection of school district taxes.

Assessors, duty of.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That upon a certificate being filed with the Assessors of the town of Brunswick, by the clerk of said corporation, of the amount of money raised at any meeting thereof for the purposes aforesaid; it shall be the duty of said assessors, as soon as may be, to assess said amount upon the estates of persons residing on the territory aforesaid, and upon the estates of non-resident proprietors thereof, and the assessment so made to certify and deliver to the Treasurer of said corporation, whose duty it shall be to collect the same in like manner as State County and Town taxes are, by law, collected by Treasurers of Towns.

Treasurer, duty of.

Officers.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the officers of said corporation shall consist of a Supervisor, Clerk, and Treasurer to be elected in such manner, and to hold their offices respectively for such term of time as may be provided for in the By-Laws of said Corporation.

Corporation may adopt By-Laws.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That said corporation at any legal meeting thereof may adopt a code of By-Laws for the Government of the same and for the efficient management of the Fire Department aforesaid, provided the same are not repugnant to the laws of the State, and shall receive the approbation of the County Commissioners of the County of Cumberland.

No person to vote unless liable to be taxed.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That no person shall be entitled to vote, at any of the meetings of said corporation, who shall not be liable to be taxed for the purposes aforesaid.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That Richard T. Dunlap or John C. Humphreys, Esquires, or either of them, be and they hereby are authorized to issue a warrant directed to some member of said corporation requiring him to notify the members thereof to assemble at some suitable time and place in said Brunswick Village, by publishing such notice in each of the newspapers printed in Brunswick, seven days, at least, before said day of meeting.

Manner of calling first meeting.

Chapter 2.

AN ACT authorizing the erection of Dams in the Town of Georgetown in the County of Lincoln.

Approved January 27, 1836.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That Joseph Berry, Moses Riggs and Barnard C. Bailey their heirs and assigns be and are hereby authorized to erect and maintain dams for the purpose of raising a water power to propel the machinery of mills and other manufactories from their land on Spinney's Island at or near Mr. Spring's house to their land on the Main Island called Parker's Island, and from their land on Spinney's Island to their land on Mars Island, and from their land on Mars Island to their land on Parker's Island at or near Mr. Turner Oliver's House, all in Georgetown in the County of Lincoln, and to erect and maintain Mills and other Manufactories, *Provided however*, that said Berry, Riggs and Bailey their heirs and assigns shall be liable to the owners of land, marsh, and other property within said dams, for damage (if any) occasioned by the erection of said dams, as if this act had not been passed.

Persons incorporated.

Places of location.

Corporators liable for damages to owners of land, &c.