

You Hold the Key to
**PRESERVING
HISTORIC
BRUNSWICK**



HISTORIC
BRUNSWICK
FOUNDATION

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THE CHALLENGE

Historic
Brunswick
needs your help.

We have the
choice
right now
to save our
historic sites,
but we must
act quickly
before they
are lost forever.

THE MISSION

The Historic Brunswick Foundation is dedicated to honoring local history through the preservation, restoration, and revitalization of historic buildings and sites within neighborhoods and commercial districts in the city of Brunswick, Georgia.

THE PLAN

GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Brunswick has lost countless historic treasures in the name of “progress.” It is imperative that our remaining endangered historic properties are preserved for future generations. Here is our plan:

Public Relations

Raise awareness of HBF’s economic impact, activities, and programs on a local, state, and national level by:

- Creating strong relationships with local leaders and media
- Increasing community and membership awareness and involvement

Education/Outreach

Provide programs focusing on historic preservation through field schools, workshops, lectures, tours, and other events by:

- Educating realtors, investors, and entrepreneurs on the value of locating in the historic district
- Fostering knowledge through hands-on skill-building workshops, lectures, and investment opportunities

Advocacy

Engage in political and civic issues that affect historic preservation and development by:

- Promoting a preservation ethic throughout the community
- Networking with civic and fraternal organizations to help with fundraising and acquire benefactors

Preservation

Increase and expand direct preservation activities of the Foundation by:

- Facilitating restoration of at-risk historic structures
- Identifying and acquiring an at-risk historic building to serve as HBF headquarters and as a field school and house museum to further preservation education

THE ACTION

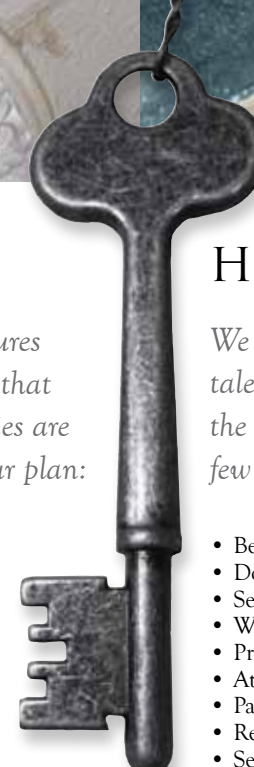
HELP SAVE OUR HISTORY!

We need and appreciate all of the support and talents that our community has to offer toward the goal of historic preservation. Here are just a few ways in which you can contribute:

- Become a member: individual, family or business
- Donate generously
- Serve on a committee
- Write a grant
- Provide monetary or in-kind sponsorship
- Attend lectures, workshops, and fundraising events
- Participate in letter-writing campaigns, as needed
- Remember HBF in your will
- Serve on the Historic Neighborhood Council
- Report historic structures that are in danger
- Learn more about the importance of historic preservation in Brunswick, GA



Built in 1888, the magnificent Oglethorpe Hotel is one of Brunswick’s greatest losses. It was razed in 1958 to make way for a flat-roofed motor hotel, which is also long gone. In its place now stands a former J.C. Penney building and an empty lot.





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