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To: Baldwin County Commission

Attention: Felisha Anderson, Director of Archives and History
312 Courthouse Square, Suite 26
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Subject: Antique Sawmill Donation to Bicentennial Park, Stockton, Alabama

On behalf of the South Alabama Antique Tractor and Engine Club (SAATEC), I am writing to express our intent to donate a working antique sawmill to the Baldwin County Commission for placement at Bicentennial Park in Stockton.

It is our understanding that this proposed placement is consistent with the park's revised Master Plan. If accepted by the Commission, the only anticipated County expense would be construction of a pole-barn-style cover (approximately 24 feet by 60 feet with 10-foot eaves, open sides, and covered gable ends) and the provision of 110-volt electric service, lighting, and potable water.

SAATEC has a long-standing partnership with the Baldwin County Commission's Department of Archives and History and the Parks and Recreation Department in hosting school field trips and public educational events at Bicentennial Park. This donation would be a major enhancement to the park's interpretive offerings, allowing visitors, especially students, to experience and better understand the historic lumber industry that played a vital role in the development of Stockton and North Baldwin County.

We recognize that this donation and its associated improvements are **subject to formal Baldwin County Commission approval**. This letter is intended solely to convey our offer and intent to proceed if approved.

We look forward to the opportunity to partner with the County in preserving and interpreting this important piece of local history. Please let me know if additional information or documentation would assist in your consideration.

Sincerely,

Darrell Sudduth

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