

City of Darien
Minutes of the Administrative/Finance Committee
February 6, 2023

Chairwoman/Alderswoman Sullivan called the Meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Committee members Aldermen Vaughan and Schauer were present. City Administrator Vana, and Treasurer Coren were also present.

Clarke Mosquito

Staff advised Clarke Mosquito has been the contractor to control mosquito populations for the City of Darien for many years. There currently are no other alternatives for mosquito abatement and Clarke has prepared a three year proposal. The three year proposal is a minimal increase of less than 2% from the previous three year contract. This proposal is part of their EarthRight Program, a more environmentally friendly operation that reduces the City’s carbon footprint as well as utilizes an EPA recognized larvicide called Natular. The committee unanimously recommended entering into a three year contract with Clarke Mosquito under the EarthRight Environmental Mosquito Management Program at \$42,500 per year.

Minutes – October 3, 2022 – The committee unanimously approved the minutes.

Adjournment - The meeting adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

Approved:

Mary Sullivan, Chairwoman _____

Ted Schauer, Member _____

Lester Vaughan, Member _____