

**AN ORDINANCE
GRANTING AN UNDERGROUND UTILITY EASEMENT TO
DOMINION ENERGY FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC POWER LINES
IN RAGGED MOUNTAIN NATURAL AREA**

WHEREAS, Dominion Energy has requested the City of Charlottesville (“City”) to grant a permanent and temporary easement across a portion of Ragged Mountain Natural Area along Reservoir Road, located in the County of Albemarle, as shown on the attached plat prepared by Dominion Energy dated March 26, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, the proposed easement will allow construction of a new placement of an underground utility service that would follow existing overhead utility lines at the upper most portion of its service to Ragged Mountain Reservoir; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Virginia Code Sec. 15.2-1800(B), a public hearing was held on August 17, 2020 to give the public an opportunity to comment on the conveyance of these easements; and

WHEREAS, City staff have reviewed the request and have no objection to the conveyance of said easements to Dominion Energy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Charlottesville, Virginia that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute a Right of Way Agreement and such other documents as may be requested by Dominion Energy, in a form approved by the City Attorney, to convey the above-described utility easement to Dominion Energy.

Approved by Council
September 8, 2020



Kyna Thomas, CMC
Clerk of Council