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Board of Supervisors
James City County, VA

ORDINANCE NO. 219

VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECT NO. UPC 100921, LONGHILL

ROAD WIDENING, PHASE 1 AND PROJECT NO. UPC 108805 OLDE TOWNE ROAD AT

LONGHILL ROAD TURN LANE UNDERGROUND UTILITY DISTRICT

WHEREAS, on October 14, 2014, the Board of Supervisors adopted the Longhill Road Corridor Study Report (the "Study"); and

WHEREAS, the Study consisted of a thorough technical analysis of existing roadway conditions, environmental and historic features and existing pedestrian, bicycle and transit facilities and operations to give a broad assessment of the conditions along the corridor; and

WHEREAS, the adopted Study analyzed land uses and market conditions to forecast future traffic volumes on the corridor and determined areas where levels of service may decline and become deficient; and

WHEREAS, throughout development of the Study, extensive public input was sought and received; and

WHEREAS, based on the extensive public input and thorough technical analysis, the Study proposed typical sections for the corridor, an access management plan, intersection design plans and project phasing plans; and

WHEREAS, an important design component of the Study included relocating existing overhead utilities underground as part of the project; and

WHEREAS, undergrounding of utilities is an important aspect of Community Character and helps to improve utility service reliability; and

WHEREAS, the policy basis for undergrounding existing utilities as part of major roadway projects is contained within the Comprehensive Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, hereby endorses and approves the proposed Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) Project No. UPC 100921 Longhill Road, Phase I widening and improvements, as presented at the Design Public Hearing in concept, and in accordance with Section 15.6 of VDOT's Utility Manual, 11th edition, hereby establishes an Underground Utility District consistent with the limits of the project scope area ("the Longhill Road, Phase I Underground Utility District").

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Longhill Road, Phase I Underground Utility District shall also include the limits of the project scope area for the VDOT Revenue Sharing Project No. UPC 108805 Olde Towne Road at Longhill Road turn lane.

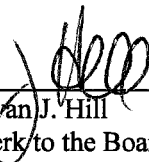
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that within the Longhill Road, Phase I Underground Utility District, all new and relocated utility facilities, publicly or privately owned, shall be installed underground.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that within the Longhill Road, Phase I Underground Utility District, future utility facilities required for any proposed improvement, including street lighting, shall not be permitted to be placed overhead within any section of a street or roadway where utilities were placed underground as part of either the Longhill Road widening project (VDOT Project No. UPC 100921) or the Olde Towne Road at Longhill Road turn lane project (VDOT Project No. UPC 108805).



Kevin D. Onizuk
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:


Bryan J. Hill
Clerk to the Board

	VOTES		
	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
MCLENNON	✓	—	—
SADLER	✓	—	—
HIPPLE	✓	—	—
LARSON	✓	—	—
ONIZUK	✓	—	—

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 14th day of March, 2017.

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