



#R-2026-88

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF  
RIGHT-OF-WAY AGREEMENT AND UTILITY EASEMENT FOR  
ELECTRICAL SERVICE AT DARDEN TOWE PARK**

**WHEREAS**, Darden Towe Park (the “Park”) is jointly owned by the City of Charlottesville (the “City”) and the County of Albemarle (the “County”) pursuant to the 2007 Darden Towe Park Agreement (the “Agreement”) establishing shared responsibility for the Park’s development, operation, and maintenance; and

**WHEREAS**, the County, while implementing a project to construct an ADA-compliant restroom facility and to improve the picnic shelter at the adjacent pavilion in the Park, found that additional electrical infrastructure is needed to provide safe, reliable, and code-compliant electrical service; and

**WHEREAS**, the additional infrastructure requires granting a non-exclusive utility easement to Dominion Energy Virginia for the work; and

**WHEREAS**, under the terms of the 2007 Agreement, both the City and County must consent to and execute this easement affecting the Park; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council of the City of Charlottesville finds that executing the Right-of-Way Agreement serves a public purpose by improving public safety, accessibility, and infrastructure at the Park.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Charlottesville, Virginia, that the Right-of-Way Agreement is approved and that the City Manager is authorized to execute the Agreement and to take any additional administrative actions necessary to complete the project.

Approved by Council  
April 6, 2026

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Kyna Thomas, MMC  
Clerk of Council

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>No</u>
Oschrin	—	—
Payne	—	—
Fleisher	—	—
Snook	—	—
Wade	—	—