	<p style="text-align: center;">REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION City of Greenville, South Carolina</p> <p>TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council</p> <p>FROM: John F. McDonough, City Manager</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Agenda Item No.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">15d</div>
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Ordinance/First Reading Ordinance/Second & Final Reading Resolution/First & Final Reading Information Only

AGENDA DATE REQUESTED: January 24, 2022

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION CAPTION:

ORDINANCE TO APPROPRIATE \$1,160,000 IN THE UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING FUND FOR THE UNITY PARK PHASE 1B UNDERGROUNDING PROJECT

SUMMARY BACKGROUND:

The burial of overhead power and communication utilities in the area of Unity Park, specifically the area around Hudson Street, is necessary and important for the construction of Unity Park. The City previously appropriated funding for this portion of the project, however, additional funding is now needed to advance the portion of the duct bank from Welborn Street to the south side of the Reedy River, which includes the jack and bore operations to cross under the river. Completing this work now will limit the disturbance of the property during and after the Park grand opening. The total estimated cost of this phase is \$1,160,000.

The City's share related to this change order is approximately \$670,000; and this includes duct bank installation, jack and bore and soil remediation work.

Duke Energy of the Carolinas, LLC will share approximately \$490,000 of the total project cost.

The combined City and Duke utility undergrounding funds have an available balance for commercial undergrounding projects of approximately \$3.8 million. This appropriation will utilize \$1,160,000 of this balance.



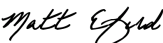

IMPACT IF DENIED:

If denied, the project will not move forward to construction.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

This action will reduce the City's available Utility Undergrounding fund balance by approximately \$1.16 million. There is sufficient available fund balance for this appropriation.

REQUIRED SIGNATURES

Department Director	<p>DocuSigned by:  <small>9A000E3FE4FB466...</small></p>	City Attorney	<p>DocuSigned by:  <small>5CBFADF322244F8...</small></p>
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AN ORDINANCE

TO APPROPRIATE \$1,160,000 IN THE UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING FUND FOR THE UNITY PARK PHASE 1B UNDERGROUNDING PROJECT

WHEREAS, the city of Greenville seeks to relocate utility lines to improve reliability and appearance on its commercial corridors and its central business district; and

WHEREAS, the City dedicated one percent of its Duke Power franchise fee for undergrounding; and

WHEREAS, the burial of overhead power and communication utilities in the area of Unity Park, specifically the area around Hudson Street, is necessary and important for the construction of Unity Park; and

WHEREAS, the City previously appropriated funding for this portion of the project, however, additional funding is now needed to advance the portion of the duct bank from Welborn Street to the south side of the Reedy River, which includes the jack and bore operations to cross under the river in order to limit disturbances to the park after the grand opening; and

WHEREAS, the City’s share related to this change order is approximately \$670,000; and this includes duct bank installation, jack and bore and soil remediation work; and

WHEREAS, Duke Energy of the Carolinas, LLC will share approximately \$490,000 of the total project cost; and

WHEREAS, the combined City and Duke utility undergrounding funds have an available balance for commercial undergrounding projects of approximately \$3.8 million; and

WHEREAS, that City Council now desires to appropriate funds for the undergrounding of utility lines in and around Unity Park;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA, City Council authorizes to appropriate \$1,160,000 in the Utility Undergrounding Fund for a change order related to the Unity Park Phase 1B Undergrounding Project as reflected in the attached exhibit. This Ordinance shall go into effect upon second and final reading.

DONE, RATIFIED AND PASSED THIS THE _____ DAY OF _____, 2021.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY

REVIEWED:

CITY MANAGER

