

Questions & Answers related to RFP HR17-101

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Q:

1. Regarding the “burial of all overhead utilities,” has the Town of Hillsboro received any feedback from the overhead utility companies, Dominion Virginia Power and/or Verizon, (and/or Comcast, if applicable)?

2. Have the overhead utility companies agreed to the concept of “burial of all overhead utilities?”

3. For the existing overhead lines to be buried, is it the intent that the engineering consulting firm must produce detailed design plans showing the proposed utility infrastructure to include any required facilities for new underground dry utility services, which may include: conduits, conduit duct banks, manholes, handholes, electrical transformer pads, communications or electrical pedestals, and other equipment, fixtures, and/or enclosures?

4. Is it the intent of the Project Services scope for the design engineer to design, coordinate, and obtain approval for the “burial of all overhead utilities” from Dominion Virginia Power and Verizon, (and Comcast, if applicable)?

A: The utility providers and the Town have an agreement to bury all overhead utilities as part of the road project. The consulting engineer will be required to convene utility coordination meetings and incorporate underground utilities in the final design and bid documents.