

STREETLIGHT REQUEST

Report Date:

June 22, 2010

Street and District

Delaware Road (Rt. 687), Newsoms District

A request has been made for the installation of a streetlight at 29418 Delaware Road, approximately 1.5 miles south of checkerboard corner in the Nottoway Gardens subdivision. Staff conducted a field investigation on June 18, 2010 to determine if this location meets the policy of the Board of Supervisors for new streetlight installations. There are numerous residences located in this area with several streetlights currently located on Cherokee Drive and Delaware Road. While these lights do provide coverage, the intermediate portion of roadway at the intersection of Cherokee Drive and Delaware Road would benefit from the installation of an additional light.

Based on the current adopted policy of the Board of Supervisors, this location **meets the criteria** for the installation of streetlights in order to improve safety by providing significant lighting benefit to the street and adjacent residences. There are five (5) residences nearby that would benefit from the installation of an additional streetlight, if approved.

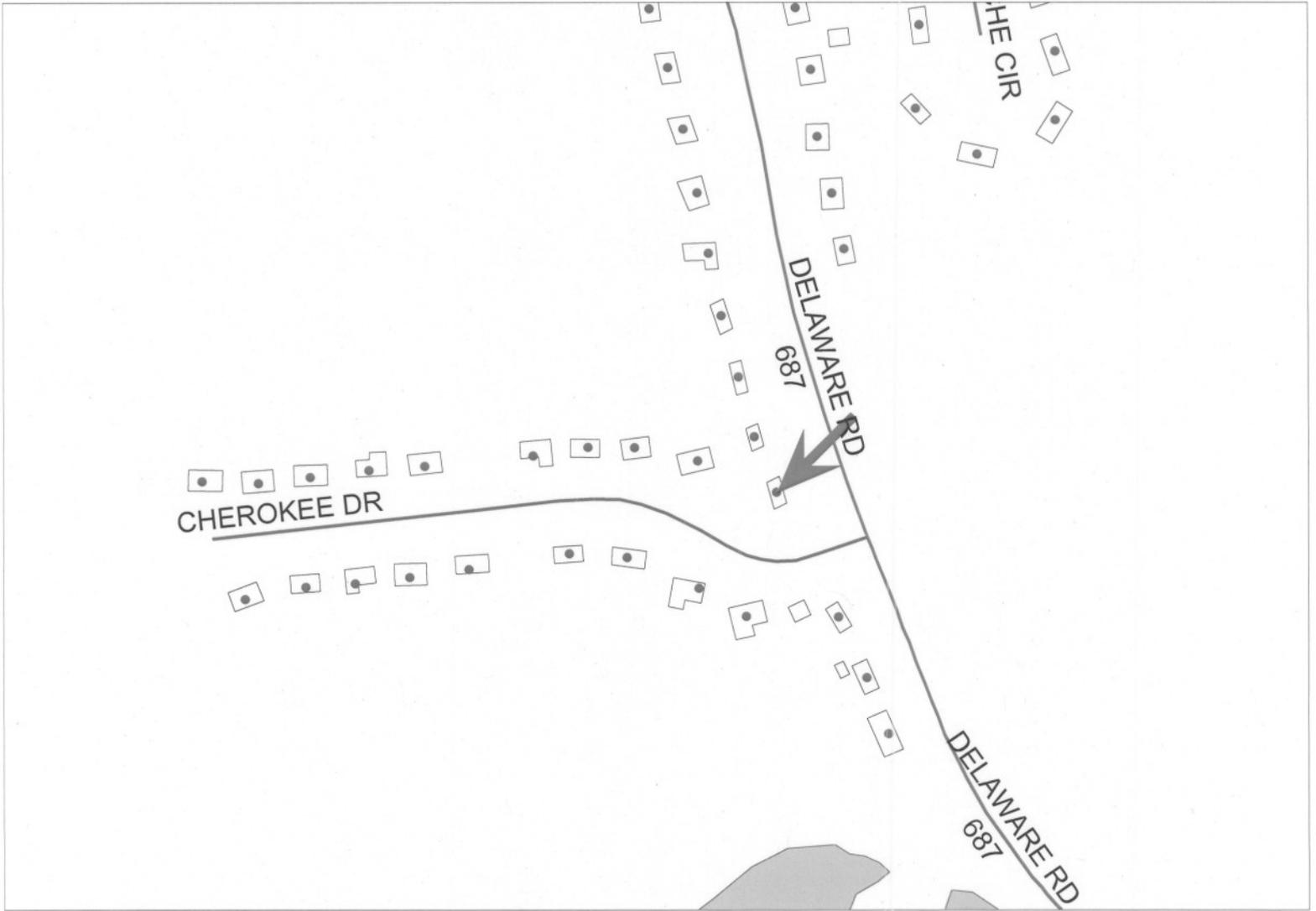
Recommendation:

Approve the installation of a streetlight as shown on the attached map, subject to technical consultation with Franklin Power and Light.

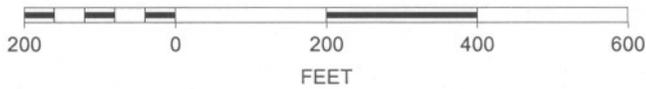
Attachments:

- Location Map
- Streetlight Policy

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SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Street Light Policy

Street lights shall be provided in the unincorporated areas of Southampton County along streets in the secondary system of highways within residential subdivisions of record at locations designated on an approved street lighting plan developed for the subdivision.

Said light(s) shall be installed when the street servicing the residential subdivision has developed with occupied residential units so situated that the installation of the light(s) will provide significant lighting benefit to the *street* serving the units.

The county administrator, or his representative, will be charged with the responsibility of presenting each request to the Board of Supervisors for its approval.

Typically, "significant lighting benefit" is construed to apply to street intersections, cul-de-sacs and straight stretches of roadway where five (5) or more residential entrances will benefit from the installation thereof.