





June 14, 2016

Mr. Brian Daly City of Charlottesville Parks and Recreation Department 501 East Main Street Charlottesville, VA 22902

Dear Mr. Daly

In November of 2014, The Charlottesville Area Mountain Bike Club (CAMBC), the Charlottesville Area Trail Runners (CAT), and the Rivanna Trails Foundation (RTF), collectively submitted a letter in support of shared pedestrian and bicycle use at the Ragged Mountain Natural Area. We are pleased to submit this follow-up letter of endorsement for the recently released Option E shared use plan.

We believe Option E reflects the interests of the majority of our constituents, as well as the interests of the majority of members of the general public who have been involved in the planning process. Our endorsement of Option E also reflects our commitment to helping build and maintain trails within the Ragged Mountain Natural Area. We look forward to the continued dialog, as we consider the bigger picture of connecting the trails at Ragged Mountain to existing networks like the RTF trail and other emerging trail systems in the vicinity of the park.

Sincerely,

Sam Lindblom President

CAMBC

Christian Dahlhausen Vice-President

CAT

Todd Niemeier President

RTF