

1 Introduced August 22, 1995, by
2 Councilwoman Livaudais, seconded by
3 Council Members Washington, Callahan,
4 Van Sandt, Levy, Schedler, Williams,
5 Singletary, and Smith
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7 **Item No. 95-08-1803**

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9 **ORDINANCE NO. 2632**

10 An ordinance urging the United States Army Corp of Engineers to proceed
11 with all due haste and speed to complete their study and make improvements to the W-14
12 Canal, Slidell, Louisiana.
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14 WHEREAS, the City of Slidell has incurred substantial difficulty in controlling
15 flood waters in our community; and
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17 WHEREAS, in April and May of 1995, the City experienced flood waters that
18 invaded more than 1300 homes; and
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20 WHEREAS, the Corp of Engineers has underway a reconnaissance study
21 of the W-4 Canal; and
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23 WHEREAS, the City of Slidell is willing to participate in an economic and
24 engineering feasibility study for hurricane protection and flood control improvements to
25 the W-14 Canal; and
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27 WHEREAS, the City's objective is to have an adequate drainage basin in
28 the W-14 Canal to meet present day and future needs.
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30 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that it
31 does hereby urge the United States Army Corp of Engineers to proceed as quickly as
32 possible with its study of the W-14 Canal, and to proceed with due diligence to make this
33 necessary improvement a reality for the greater Slidell, Louisiana, area.
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35 Adopted this 26th day of September, 1995.
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37 **DELIVERED**
38 9/28/95 12:45 p.m.
39 to the Mayor

40 **RECEIVED**
41 10/9/95 10:00 AM
42 from the Mayor

43 *Richard B. Van Sandt*
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45 Councilman, District C
46 President of the Council

Salvatore A. Caruso
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Mayor

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Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council