

1 Introduced January 22, 2008, by Councilman
2 Kingston, seconded by Councilman Hicks

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4 **Item No. 08-01-2707**

5 **ORDINANCE NO. 3457**

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7 An ordinance by the Slidell City Council establishing a moratorium on the
8 issuance of permits to emergency and non-emergency ambulance providers.

9 WHEREAS, Slidell Ordinance No. 3422, adopted September 11, 2007,
10 requires providers of emergency and non-emergency ambulance services within the City
11 of Slidell to obtain a permit; and

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14 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 3422 specifies that no more than two such
15 permits can be active at any time; and

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17 WHEREAS, currently only one emergency and non-emergency ambulance
18 provider possesses a City occupational license; and

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20 WHEREAS, the Parish of St. Tammany has extended for one year its
21 contract with Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc. in order to develop specifications for
22 emergency and non-emergency ambulance providers in the unincorporated areas of the
23 Parish with the intent to obtain bids for such service; and

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27 WHEREAS, the City may desire to adopt, partially or wholly, the
28 specifications derived by the Parish. Conversely, the City may desire to develop its own
29 specifications for emergency and non-emergency ambulance service within the City with
30 the intent to obtain bids for such service; and

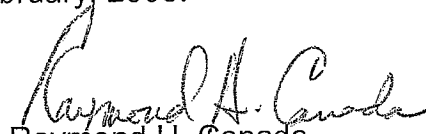
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34 WHEREAS, either course taken by the City will require approximately one
35 year before specifications may be developed.

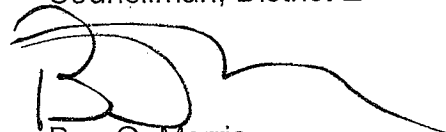
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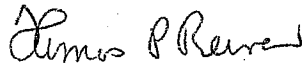
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4 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that a
5 moratorium on the issuance of emergency and non-emergency ambulance permits
6 pursuant to Ordinance No. 3422 to anyone who does not currently possess a City
7 occupational license for ambulance service is hereby established for a period not to
8 exceed one year from the effective date of this ordinance.
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11 **ADOPTED** this 26th day of February, 2008.

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15 Raymond H. Canada
16 President of the Council
17 Councilman, District E

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20 Ben O. Morris
21 Mayor

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24 Thomas P. Reeves
25 Council Administrator

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