Introduced February 12, 2008, by Councilman Canada, seconded by Councilman Hursey, (by request of Administration)

Item No. 08-02-2709

ORDINANCE NO. 3458

An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Appendix B, Subdivision Regulations, by adding a new Section 5.6.

WHEREAS, the Administration is requesting that Appendix B, Subdivision Regulations be amended to provide for the application and approval process for the resubdivision of land.

WHEREAS, the Slidell Planning and Zoning Commission has issued a favorable recommendation for said changes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Appendix B, Subdivision Regulations, by adding a new Section 5.6 as follows:

Section 5.6. Provisions for Application and Approval Process for an Administrative Re-Subdivision of Land.

- 5.6. Administrative Plat Approval. Notwithstanding other provisions of this Chapter or other law to the contrary, the administrative procedures for approving or certifying certain plats involving minor modifications of existing parcels of land are hereby established.
 - A. The categories of such modifications qualifying for such administrative approval or certification are:

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- 1. The realignment or shifting of lot boundary lines, including removal, alignment, or shifting of interior lot boundary lines, or the re-designation of lot numbers provided the application meets the following requirements:
 - a. Does not involve the creation of any new street or public improvement.
 - b. Does not increase the number of lots of record;
 - c. Does not involve more than five (5) lots of record;
 - d. Does not reduce a lot size below the minimum area or dimension requirements established by the City of Slidell Zoning Ordinance;
 - e. Does not involve more than one (1) acre;
 - f. The property must be zoned as residential only.
 - g. Otherwise meets all the requirements of the City of Slidell Subdivision Regulations.
- 2. Parcels of land where a portion has been expropriated or has been dedicated, sold, or otherwise transferred to the City, thereby leaving a severed portion of the original property which requires a re-designation of lot number and establishment of new lot boundary lines.
- B. All plats approved or certified by an administrative procedure provided for herein, shall designate such fact on the plat and the plats shall be recorded in the conveyance records of the St. Tammany Parish Clerk of Court. Any plat so approved shall have the same force and effect and legal status of a subdivision application approved by the established legislative process.

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- Procedure Applicant shall submit an application for an Administrative Resubdivision. Applications are available in the City of Slidell Planning Department.
- 2. Submittal requirements shall be the same as those of a regular resubdivision.
- 3. Fees: All plats submitted to the City of Slidell Planning Department for administrative approval shall be accompanied by a City of Slidell fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) and a separate fee for the St. Tammany Parish Clerk of Court in the amount of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) for an 18" X 24" plat and forty-five dollars (\$45.00) for a 24" X 36" plat.
- 4. The Planning Director may, upon review of the submittals and review of the plat, at his/her discretion, require that the request go through the regular resubdivision process with the review and decision being made by the City of Slidell Planning and Zoning Commission.
- 5. The plat shall include:
 - a. The name of the original subdivision;
 - b. The parcels or lots to be divided;
 - and lot designations in bold;
 - d. Date title, name, and location of proposed re-subdivision, including Section, Township, Range, City, Parish, and State.

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- e. Written metes and bounds description of the property to be re-subdivided.
- Property measurements for dimensions and area;
- q. The location of all buildings on the lots to be subdivided.
- h. The names and location of all adjoining rights of way, streets and subdivisions.
- Verbiage stating that the plat is "The administrative re-subdivision of lot(s) ____, into lot(s) ____of the ____ Subdivision."
- The flood zone designation;
- The zoning district designation;
- All existing and proposed easements;
- m. Vicinity map and north arrow;
- n. A certified land surveyor's seal must be clearly stamped on the plat, which is submitted for approval.
- o. Signature block to include the Planning Director, Map File Number, and Date Filed for record.

ADOPTED this 25th day of March, 2008.

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Councilman, District E

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Mayor

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