

1 Introduced September 12, 2017, by Councilman
2 Cusimano, seconded by Councilwoman
3 Harbison, (by request of Administration)

4 **Item No. 17-09-3200**

5 **ORDINANCE NO. 3873**

6 An ordinance amending Ordinance No. 3855 to increase the maximum
7 number of night rolling Mardi Gras parades from two to three.
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10 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 3855 was passed by the Slidell City Council at
11 their April 25, 2017 meeting, which repealed and replaced the entire Parade ordinance;
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15 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 3855 limited the number of night rolling Mardi
16 Gras parades to two; and
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18 WHEREAS, the City desires to increase the maximum number of night rolling
19 Mardi Gras parades from two to three.
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21 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that
22 Ordinance 3855, Section 27-166 (A) be amended by changing the language from "two
23 rolling night parades" to "three rolling night parades".
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26 **ADOPTED** this 10th day of October, 2017.
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29 Landon Cusimano
30 President of the Council
31 Councilman-at-Large

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33 Freddy Drennan
34 Mayor

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36 Thomas P. Reeves
37 Council Administrator
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DELIVERED	10/12/17
9:00 a.m.	to the Mayor
RECEIVED	10/16/17
9:55am	from the Mayor

4 parade.

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6 10) Riders not in compliance with any of the above may be removed from the
7 parade by the captain, float lieutenant, parade marshal, law enforcement or
8 the City.

9 **(C) *Rider requirements.***

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11 1) Each individual float rider shall wear a harness device as provided by krewe
12 at all times during the parade, or where required by the krewe.
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14 2) Each float and/or truck-float shall have a designated person positioned on
15 both sides of the float or truck-float. This designated person shall have a sign
16 to alert police and/or fire personnel in the event of an emergency. The sign
17 shall be a minimum 10"x10" sign with a white background and red lettering
18 which shall read "EMERGENCY."
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20 3) The permitted parade organization shall maintain the names and positions for
21 all riders on each float or truck-float. The names and positions of the riders
22 shall be made available to the City upon request, and after an incident that is
23 the result of a criminal investigation or a violation of this chapter. Failure to
24 provide the names and positions within seventy-two (72) hours of the request
25 shall result in a violation of this Code. Extension of this seventy-two (72) hour
26 period shall be granted at the discretion of the Mayor or his designee upon
27 the showing of good cause.

28 **(D) *Violations and penalties.***

29 The penalty for violation of Sec. 27-165 shall be Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$
30 250.00) for each violation and/or suspension, and/or revocation. The City of Slidell shall
31 provide written notice to the parade or parade organization of the violation(s). Each
32 violation constitutes a separate and distinct violation of this subpart.

33 **Sec. 27-166. Parade permits.**

34 **(A) *Limited number of parades.***

35 The number of Mardi Gras parades per year within the corporate limits of the
36 City shall be limited to not more than five (5) rolling daytime parades, two (2) rolling night
37 parades, one (1) walking night parade, and one (1) walking day parade; St. Patrick's Day
38 is limited to one (1) daytime parade; except as otherwise provided by council resolution.
39 There shall be no parades on Mardi Gras day or night. Organizations having Mardi Gras