Introduced January 23, 2018, by Councilman Cusimano, seconded by Councilwoman Harbison, (by request of Administration)

ITEM NO. 18-01-3209

ORDINANCE NO. 3881

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to execute a Contract for Emergency and Non-Emergency Services.

WHEREAS, the health and safety of the citizens of Slidell and of those who are visitors to the City are vitally important; and

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council finds that the provision of emergency and non-emergency ambulance service through a sole provider will provide a greater level of ambulance service to those who require it; and

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council authorized the Mayor to Execute a Contract with Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc. that expires on May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council recognizes the need to ensure consistent and necessary emergency and non-emergency ambulance services and therefore, has determined that it is in the best interest of the citizens of Slidell and its guests to negotiate a new contract with Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council, considering weather related disasters and the other possible and unpredicted emergency circumstances that have or may affect the citizens of the City of Slidell, desires to terminate its present contract and enter into a new contract with Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc.; and

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WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council further desires that Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc., be the sole provider of emergency and non-emergency service within the limits of the City of Slidell; and

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council authorizes the Mayor to execute a Contract with Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc. commencing March 1, 2018, and terminating February 28, 2023.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that the Mayor is authorized to execute a Contract for Emergency and Non-Emergency Services, with Acadian Ambulance Service, Inc. attached hereto and made a part hereof.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 27th day of February, 2018.

Landon Cusimano
President of the Council
Councilman at Large

Councilman-at-Large

Freddy Drennan

Mayor

Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator

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