Introduced February 1, 2005, by Councilwoman Livaudais and Councilman Cusimano, seconded by Councilwoman Williams and Councilman Canada

## **RESOLUTION R05-04**

A resolution requesting that the Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) provide funding assistance for traffic control signals or gates at the intersection of Front Street and Cleveland Avenue Extension.

WHEREAS, Textron Marine is expanding its Slidell facility in the area of Front Street and Cleveland Avenue Extension; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that approximately one hundred fifty people will be traveling over the railroad tracks every day at this location; and

WHEREAS, State law requires that railroads maintain clear lines of sight for 300 feet on each side of the centerline of a public roadway at crossings unless they have traffic control gates or signals; and

WHEREAS, this State law would require approximately forty to fifty trees running north and south of this intersection to be cut down.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby request DOTD to provide funding assistance for traffic control signals or gates at the intersection of Front Street and Cleveland Avenue Extension.

ADOPTED this 1st day of February, 2005.

Marti Livaudais

President of the Council Councilwoman-at-Large

Shawn B. McManus, CMC Council Administrator