

1 Introduced July 10, 2008, by Councilman
2 Canada, seconded by Councilman Hursey

3 **RESOLUTION R08-39**
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5 A resolution ordering a special election to be held in the City of Slidell, St.
6 Tammany Parish, Louisiana, for the purpose of electing a new City Council Member-at-
7 Large to fill the vacancy and unexpired term created by the death of Council Member
8 Kevin Kingston.

9 WHEREAS, the City of Slidell by resolution passed this day recognizes that a
10 vacancy exists in the Slidell City Council, City of Slidell, St. Tammany Parish, Louisiana;
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14 WHEREAS, the governing authority for the City of Slidell is given the
15 authority and responsibility under the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statutes 18:602 and
16 Slidell Home Rule Charter Section 2-03, Paragraph C, to fill the vacancy and the position
17 of City Council Member by special election when an unexpired term exceeds one (1) year;
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22 WHEREAS, the said vacancy results in an unexpired term in excess of one
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24 (1) year.

25 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does
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27 hereby authorize and call a special election to be held in the City of Slidell, St. Tammany
28 Parish, Louisiana, for the purpose of electing a City Council Member-at-Large to fill the
29 vacancy effective July 3, 2008 for the unexpired term of Council Member-at-Large Kevin
30 Kingston.
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33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the qualifying period for said election shall
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35 be from February 11, 2009 through February 13, 2009 inclusive, and that the primary
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37 election shall be held on April 4, 2009 with a general election, if necessary, held on May 2,
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4 2009 and that said election shall be conducted in accordance with the election laws of the
5 State of Louisiana.
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7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the Council of the City of
8 Slidell, St. Tammany Parish, Louisiana, shall send a copy of this resolution to the
9 Louisiana Secretary of State, State of Louisiana, and shall further cause this resolution to
10 be published in the Official Journal as required by law.
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13 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the results of the election shall be
14 promulgated as required by law.
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17 **ADOPTED** this 10th day of August, 2008.
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21 Raymond H. Canada
22 President of the Council
23 Councilman, District E

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25 Thomas P. Reeves
26 Council Administrator
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