Introduced August 26, 2008, by Councilman Canada, seconded by Councilman Hursey

## **RESOLUTION R08-59**

A resolution supporting the application of the City of Slidell and the Olde Towne Task Force to include Slidell in the Main Street Program.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell was devastated by Hurricane Katrina; and
WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council created the position of a Main Street
Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell has recently adopted new Design Guidelines for the Olde Towne Preservation District and the Fremaux Corridor developed by the Tulane Regional Urban Design Center; and

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council appropriated start-up funds for the creation of the Camellia City Farmer's Market every Saturday in Olde Towne; and

WHEREAS, Keep Slidell Beautiful, an affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, has helped the Olde Towne revitalization efforts by placing and maintaining planter trashcans, hanging baskets, wooden benches, and conducting once-a-month cleanups using Community Service workers; and

WHEREAS, participating in the Main Street Program, will enable the City to continue the rebuilding efforts in Olde Towne and assure its continued success.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby support the efforts of the City of Slidell and the Olde Towne Task Force to include Slidell in the Main Street Program.

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ADOPTED this 26th day of August, 2008.

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