Introduced October 12, 2010, by Councilman Caruso, seconded by Councilman Hicks

RESOLUTION R10-31

A resolution by the Slidell City Council supporting the efforts of Keep Slidell Beautiful and its Program "Bringing Camellias Back to the Camellia City."

WHEREAS, in 1983 the City Council adopted Resolution R83-20 naming Slidell "The Camellia City"; and

WHEREAS, the Ozone Camellia Club continues to bring recognition to the City of Slidell with their annual Camellia Show; and

WHEREAS, in 1983 the City of Slidell sought to use plants as a unifying element to improve the general appearance of the community; and

WHEREAS, those beautification efforts continue today through a partnership developed with Keep Slidell Beautiful, the Ozone Camellia Society, the Louisiana Agriculture Center's Master Gardener Program, and RCI to plant 100 camellias around the city and heighten awareness that Slidell is named "The Camellia City".

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby support the efforts of Keep Slidell Beautiful to plant 100 camellias in areas around the City under its Program "Bringing Camellias Back to the Camellia City."

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that residents are encouraged to plant camellias at their homes and join in this beautification effort.

ADOPTED this 12th day of October, 2010.

Lionel Hicks

President of the Council Councilman, District A

Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator