Introduced May 14, 2013, by Councilman Hicks, seconded by Councilman Cusimano, (by request of Administration)

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A resolution of the City of Slidell approving the application for grant funds from the FHWA Recreational Trails Program for Louisiana, as established by CFDA 20:219.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Federal Government provides funds to the State of Louisiana for grants to state, local and non-profit organizations to acquire, develop and/or maintain motorized and non-motorized trails; and

WHEREAS, the FRTPL has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the program within the state and setting up necessary procedures governing project application under the program; and

WHEREAS, said procedures require the applicant to certify by resolution the approval of the application before the submission of said application.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Slidell does hereby:

1. Approve the filing of an application with FRTPL; and

2. Certify that the said applicant has or will have available prior to commencement of any work on the project included in this application, sufficient funds to build (including 20% local match), operate and maintain the project; and

3. Appoint the Mayor or his designee as agent of the City of Slidell to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents including, but not limited to application, letter of commitment agreement, amendments, payment requests and completion report, which may be necessary for the completion of the aforementioned project.

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APPROVED and **ADOPTED** this 14th day of May, 2013.

Lionel Hicks
President of the Council
Councilman, District A

Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator