Introduced June 25, 2013, by Councilman Hicks, seconded by Councilman Cusimano, (by request of Administration)

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A resolution authorizing the City of Slidell to prepare and submit a preapplication to the Statewide Flood Control Program for assistance in the implementation of the project listed below for the purpose of reducing existing flood damages; providing for the necessary documentation of said flood damages; and providing for other related matters in connection therewith.

1. Bayou Pattasat Waterway Widening

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell has been adversely affected by damages from flood waters; and

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell desires to apply for State matching funds pursuant to La. R.S. 38:90.1 *et. seq.*, as amended, to implement a project to reduce said flood damages; and

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell is a political body duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Louisiana and is eligible to apply for funds under said Statute.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Slidell as follows:

Section 1. The City of Slidell acknowledges that upon approval of the preapplication, a formal application will be prepared and submitted to the statewide Flood Control Program.

Section 2. At the appropriate time and upon approval of funding assistance and prior to commencement of work on the project, the City of Slidell agrees to execute a Statement of Sponsorship pursuant to said Statute.

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Section 3. Mayor Freddy Drennan is hereby designated the Authorized Representative for the City of Slidell to effect the preparation of the pre-application and application to the Statewide Flood Control Program for funding assistance of a flood control project.

ADOPTED this 25th day of June, 2013.

Lionel Hicks

President of the Council Councilman, District A

Thomas P. Reeves Council Administrator