Introduced December 10, 2019, by Councilman Borchert, seconded by Councilman Tamborella, (by request of Administration)

RESOLUTION R19-25

A resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Slidell to submit preapplications for grant funding to the State of Louisiana Watershed Initiative Program.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell desires to make needed improvements to the drainage system to improve resiliency and reliability during storm events; and

WHEREAS, the State of Louisiana has made available grant funding through the Watershed Projects Grant Program: Local and Regional - Round 1 funding which is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Community Development Block Grant Mitigation (CDBG- MIT) program as a result of the 2016 flooding events throughout the State of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the proposed projects appear to meet all requisite requirements for funding under the aforementioned grant program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Slidell City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor of the City of Slidell, through his administration, to submit the grant pre-applications to the State of Louisiana Watershed Initiative Program.

ADOPTED this 10TH day of December, 2019.

Bill Borchert

President of the Council Councilman-at-Large

Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator