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Introduced February 18, 2020, by Councilman Borchert, seconded by Councilman Tamborella, (by request of Administration)

RESOLUTION R20-04

A resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Slidell to settle, in his discretion, the claims of the City of Slidell in that certain action titled City of Slidell v. TA Operating, LLC, 2:19-cv-1426-WBV-JCW, currently pending the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, formerly pending in the 22nd Judicial District Court for the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell first filed certain claims against TA Operating. LLC in the 22nd Judicial District Court for the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana. and its action was removed to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, where it is titled City of Slidell v. TA Operating, LLC, 2:19-cv-1426-WBV-JCW (the "Litigation"); and

WHEREAS, in order to facilitate any potential settlement of the City's claims against TA Operating, LLC, the City desires to authorize the Mayor of the City of Slidell to enter into any settlement of such claims in the Litigation he deems appropriate, in his discretion, with the input of the city attorney.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that the Mayor of the City of Slidell is authorized to enter into any settlement of the City's claims in the Litigation as the Mayor deems appropriate, in his discretion, with the input of the city attorney.

ADOPTED this 18th day of February, 2020.

Thomas P. Reeves

Council Administrator

Bill Borchert

President of the Council

Councilman-at-Large