Introduced March 10, 2020, by Councilman Borchert, seconded by Councilman Tamborella, (by request of Administration)

RESOLUTION R20-06

A resolution agreeing to participate in the St. Tammany Parish Hazard Mitigation Plan update and appointing four individuals to the steering committee.

WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council adopted the 2015 St. Tammany Parish Hazard Mitigation Plan ("2015 Plan") on May 26, 2015 (Resolution R15-18), which included the City of Slidell as a participating jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the 2015 Plan was approved by the Governor's Office of Homeland Security (GOHSEP) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) on August 3, 2015; and

WHEREAS, as a participating jurisdiction, the 2015 Plan made the City of Slidell an eligible applicant for three types of Hazard Mitigation Assistance grants administered by FEMA; and

WHEREAS, the 2015 Plan will expire on July 28, 2020; and

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Government and the Stephenson Disaster Management Institute (SDMI) at Louisiana State University, in coordination with GOHSEP, are beginning the process to update the 2015 Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell will participate in the 2015 Plan update; and WHEREAS, the 2015 Plan update will be guided by a steering committee.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it hereby agrees to participate in the 2015 Plan update and appoints the following individuals to the 2015 Plan update steering committee: the City Engineer, or his designee; the Director of Planning, or her designee; Jay Newcomb; and David Martin

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ADOPTED this 10th day of March, 2020.

Bill Borchert

President of the Council Councilman-at-Large

Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator