38 39 Introduced June 9, 2020, by Councilwoman Denham, (by request of Administration)

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A resolution obligating funds to Land and Water Conservation Fund Project, Region 9; Parish of St. Tammany Project No. D-20-06.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell is interested in acquiring lands and/or developing outdoor recreational facilities on the following described project for the enjoyment of the citizenry of the City of Slidell and the State of Louisiana:

PROJECT TITLE AND DESCRIPTION:

Project No. D-20-06 (Ducksworth Park Improvements)
The City of Slidell has launched a five-phase improvement project for Ducksworth Park (2020-2025) to include a multi-use field, LED lighting, and a paved walkway. Any wiring

covered in this project, or wiring done in the future on the site, will be placed underground.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that the City of Slidell does agree to apply for funding from the Land and Water Conservation Fund program and to obligate funds or services stipulated below to satisfactorily complete the project (No. D-20-06) and thus become eligible for Land and Water Conservation Fund financial aid of 50% of the estimated or actual allowable cost, at the completion of said project. Said City of Slidell also states that sufficient funds are on hand, as of this date, to fund said project as follows:

TOTAL TOTAL TOTAL SPONSOR'S COST BREAKDOWN ESTIMATED COST ESTIMATED FEDERAL **ESTIMATED** Cost Federal Services Sponsor's Cash \$400,000.00 \$200,000.00 \$200,000.00 \$200,000.00 N/A

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Slidell is hereby authorized and directed to make application to the Louisiana Office of State Parks, Division of Outdoor Recreation, to seek federal financial assistance on this project for them, and be further

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authorized to take the necessary action to complete such project and sign such documents as are required.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that this resolution and plan approved by said City of Slidell be forwarded to the Louisiana Office of State Parks for the purpose of obtaining such financial aid.

ADOPTED this 9th day of June, 2020.

Bill Borchert

President of the Council Councilman-at-Large

Thomas P. Reeves Council Administrator

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