Introduced June 23, 2020, by Councilman Borchert, seconded by Councilman Tamborella, (by request of Administration)

## **RESOLUTION R20-20**

A resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Slidell to execute a legal services contract with The Truitt Law Firm, LLC relative to the representation of the City of Slidell and/or its employees in legal actions, as requested by the City Attorney.

WHEREAS, The Truitt Law Firm, LLC and its attorneys have substantial experience in representing individuals and entities in a wide variety of legal actions, including motor vehicle accident cases, construction litigation, premises liability cases, and business litigation; and

WHEREAS, from time to time, the City of Slidell has need to engage the services of outside counsel to represent the City and/or its employees, acting in the course and scope of their work, when involved in legal actions involving City matters; and

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell desires to authorize the engagement of The Truitt Law Firm, LLC to provide such representation in certain matters as may be requested from time to time by the City Attorney.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that, pursuant to Charter Section 4-02.D., the Mayor of the City of Slidell is hereby authorized to execute a legal services contract with The Truitt Law Firm, LLC, such legal services to be at the request of the City Attorney.

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ADOPTED this 23rd day of June, 2020.

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