

1 **MINUTES**
2 **FEBRUARY 23, 2021**
3 **6:30 P.M.**



SLIDELL CITY COUNCIL
2045 SECOND STREET
SLIDELL, LA 70458

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5 Council President Tamborella called the regular meeting of the Slidell City
6 Council to order in the Slidell City Council Chambers. A quorum was present.
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8 **PRESENT:** Council Members Bill Borchert, Glynn Pichon, Leslie Denham, David
9 Dunham, Warren Crockett, Val Vanney, Jr., Kenny Tamborella, Kim
10 Harbison and Cindi King

11 **ABSENT:** None

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13 **ALSO PRESENT:** Mayor Greg Cromer, Police Chief Randy Fandal, Council
14 Administrator Thomas Reeves, Chief of Staff John Welborn, and City
15 Attorney Thomas Schneidau

16 The Council President opened the Consent Calendar for a public hearing. No
17 one from the public appeared to speak. The Council President closed the public hearing
18 on the Consent Calendar.

19 Councilwoman Harbison, seconded by Councilwoman Denham made a motion
20 to adopt the Consent Calendar.

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22 **ROLL CALL** **9 Yeas** **0 Nays** **0 Absent** **CARRIED**

23 **CONSENT CALENDAR**
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25 **A. Approval of the Minutes of the February 9, 2021 meeting.**

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27 **B. Proposed Ordinances:**

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29 **1. Item No. 21-02-3358** – An ordinance authorizing the acceptance of a
30 servitude of use for public utilities across certain lands in Bayer Subdivision,
31 Section 14, Township 9 South, Range 14 East, City of Slidell, St. Tammany
32 Parish, Louisiana, along with the acceptance of the donation of existing
33 water and sewerage improvements thereon, (Tamborella/Denham, by
34 request of Administration).
- 35 **2. Item No. 21-02-3359** – An ordinance approving the establishment of the
36 position of Chief Administrative / Public Information Officer as a classified,
37 non-exempt position for the Slidell Police Department within pay grade 18,
38 (Tamborella/Denham, by request of Administration).
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Note: A Public Hearing will be held on the above listed ordinances on Tuesday, March 23, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 2045 Second Street, Suite 319.

C. Proposed Resolution:

1. **R21-03:** A resolution supporting the request by Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church and School to be permitted to place a guide sign on each side of the Pontchartrain Drive (Hwy 11) state right-of-way, in the vicinity of its intersection with Westchester Place, to direct individuals to the location of the church and school, (Tamborella/Denham, by request of Administration).

D. Project Acceptance:

1. Carollo Drive Drainage Improvements, Slidell No: 100-132.

REGULAR AGENDA

ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT CALENDAR

PROPOSED RESOLUTION:

As advertised, a public hearing was held on Resolution R21-04, a resolution in support of giving local voters the right to decide the future of a proposed entertainment and gaming project in East St. Tammany. St. Tammany Parish Councilman Jake Airey appeared before the Council and asked them to postpone the vote on this Resolution until the public has more information on the project. No one else from the public appeared to speak. The Council President closed the public hearing.

Councilman Borchert, seconded by Councilwoman Denham, made a motion to adopt Resolution R21-04. A council discussion took place.

Councilman Borchert withdrew his original motion to adopt.

Councilman Borchert, seconded by Councilwoman Denham made a motion to postpone Resolution R21-04 until the March 23, 2021 Council meeting.

ROLL CALL	9 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Absent	CARRIED
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5 ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND REPORTS

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7 Mayor Cromer explained that garbage pick-up was suspended from Monday at
8 around 1:00 p.m. through Tuesday last week due to the weather conditions. Wednesday's
9 recycling was suspended to allow for garbage pick-up. Garbage is back to regular
10 schedule this week.

11 As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

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14 Kenny Tamborella
15 President of the Council
16 Councilman, District E

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19 Thomas P. Reeves
20 Council Administrator

21 COUNCIL ACTION: DATE APPROVED 3-9-21 DATE AMENDED _____
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