

**MINUTES
FEBRUARY 28, 2023
6:30 P.M.**



**SLIDELL CITY COUNCIL
2045 SECOND STREET
SLIDELL, LA 70458**

Council President Borchert called the regular meeting of the Slidell City Council to order in the City Hall Meeting Room. A quorum was present.

PRESENT: Council Members Bill Borchert, Jeff Burgoyne, Leslie Denham, David Dunham, Megan Haggerty, Nick DiSanti, Kenny Tamborella, Trey Brownfield and Cindi King

ABSENT: None

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

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

Councilwoman Denham, seconded by Councilman DiSanti made a motion to adopt the Consent Calendar.

ROLL CALL	9 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Absent	CARRIED
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CONSENT CALENDAR

A. Approval of the Minutes of the February 14, 2023 meeting.

B. Proposed Ordinances:

- 1. Item No. 23-02-3465:** An ordinance annexing into the City of Slidell 0.75 acres located along the eastern right-of-way line of Spanish Court, approximately 140 feet northeast of Old Spanish Trail, and establishing its City zoning classification as C-4 Highway Commercial (Cases A23-01 and Z23-02), (Borchert/Denham, by request of Administration)
- 2. Item No. 23-02-3466** An ordinance annexing into the City of Slidell 0.88 acres located along Frank J Pichon Rd, forming northeast corner at Lucille St, and establishing its City zoning classification as C-4 Highway Commercial (Cases A22-08 and Z22-10). (Borchert/Dunham, by request of Administration).

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Note: A Public Hearing will be held on the above listed ordinances on Tuesday, March 28, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 2045 Second Street, Suite 319.

C. Proposed Resolution:

1. **R23-06:** A resolution requesting the Administration of the City of Slidell complete and submit the Municipal Water Pollution Prevention Environmental Audit Report to the DEQ for its Wastewater Treatment Plant, (Borchert/Tamborella, by request of Administration).

D. Appointment:

1. Civil Service Board - Appoint Christy Wiebelt to an unexpired term, ending on January 1, 2025. (Tulane)

REGULAR AGENDA

POSTPONED RULE TO SHOW CAUSE ON CONDEMNATION AND DEMOLITION

The Council President opened a public hearing on the Rule to Show Cause on the Condemnation and Demolition of 3095 Effie Street. No one from the public appeared to speak.

City Attorney Thomas Schneidau recommended postponing this matter for another three months to give time for Habitat for Humanity to work out all of the details of taking over the property.

Councilwoman Denham, seconded by Councilman Brownfield made a motion to postpone the Rule to Show Cause on the Condemnation and Demolition at the property located at 3095 Effie Street until May 23, 2023.

ROLL CALL	9 Yeas	0 Nays	0 Absent	CARRIED
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PUBLIC HEARINGS

As advertised, a public hearing was held on Item No. 23-01-3462, an ordinance to amend Chapter 27, Article V of the city's Code of Ordinances to authorize, under specific conditions, the operation of golf carts upon certain city roads and streets. No one from the public appeared to speak. The Council President closed the public

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hearing. Councilman Disanti, seconded by Councilman Burgoyne made a motion to postpone Item No.23-01-3462 until March 28, 2023.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

As advertised, a public hearing was held on Item No 23-01-3463, an ordinance declaring certain boats and boat motors of the Slidell Police Department as surplus and authorizing their donation to the Fort Pike Fire Protection District, pursuant to Louisiana Constitution Article VII, Section 14(E). No one from the public appeared to speak. The Council President closed the public hearing. Councilman Brownfield, seconded by Councilwoman King made a motion to adopt Item No. 23-01-3463, Ordinance No. 4115.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

LEGISLATIVE COMMENTS AND REPORTS

Councilman Brownfield stated that the American Legion is hosting a Hometown Heros Flag Dedication ceremony on March 30th at 6:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall. He encouraged everyone to attend.

Councilwoman King stated that Rotary Club of Slidell North Shore is offering an Education Scholarship. You can go to their website to apply.

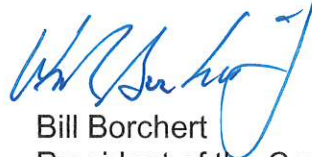
ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND REPORTS

Mayor Cromer announced the following upcoming events:

Bayou Cleanup on Saturday, March 4th at 8:00 a.m., Heritage Park
Bubbly on the Bayou, Saturday, March 4th at 11:00 a.m., Patton's
St. Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday, March 11th in Olde Towne
George Dunbar Documentary in the Auditorium on Thursday, March 16th at 6:00 p.m.

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As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m.



Bill Borchert
President of the Council
Councilman at-Large



Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator

COUNCIL ACTION: DATE APPROVED 3-14-23 DATE AMENDED _____