Introduced March 10th, 1981 by Councilman Hinton; Co-sponsored by Councilmen Martinez, Singletary, Wood, Barthelemy, Gallinghouse, Washington, and Martin; seconded by Councilman Caruso

Item No. 81-3-289 Amended April 14th, 1981

ORDINANCE NO. 1378

An ordinance declaring the park commonly referred to as Howze Park, the "Fritchie Municipal Park".

WHEREAS, Homer G. Fritchie, Sr., who served thirty-two (32) years as Mayor from 1930 to 1962, led Slidell from a town of 2,800 to 10,000, and set the course of today's growth and solid foundation through strong leadership, and

WHEREAS, Gus A. Fritchie, Sr., his brother, blazed other trails for the City of Slidell, including sitting as the first judge of the City Court and as Vice-Chairman of the Hospital Board when Slidell Memorial was built, and

WHEREAS, Gus A. Fritchie, Sr. was well-known for his dedication to the recreational pursuits of young and old alike, including his donation of the land to the Slidell Youth Football League,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council, in legal session convened, that the City of Slidell pay a special honor and privilege to two of its most respected city fathers in officially naming the park commonly referred to as Howze Park, the "Fritchie Municipal Park" in honor of the Fritchie Brothers, Homer G. Fritchie, Sr., and Gus A. Fritchie, Sr.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that an appropriate display of this act be prominently displayed in the park so that generations to come may pay tribute to their wisdom and leadership.

ADOPTED this 14th day of April, 1981

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3.50 TK to the Mayor

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Emily M. Mills

Emily M. Mills Clerk of the Council Salvatore A. Caruso Councilman, District C President of the Council

M. W. "Webb" Hart

Mayor