> Introduced March 28, 1989, by Councilman Salvaggio, seconded by Councilman-at-Large Singletary (both by request)

Item No. 89-02-1337

## ORDINANCE NO. 2247

An Ordinance adding Sec. 17-36.(c) to the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, authorizing special collection procedures for Business and Construction Projects subject to the terms of the City/District Sales Tax Enhancement Plan.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell entered into a sales tax enhancement agreement with the Parish of St. Tammany and Sales Tax District No. 3; and

WHEREAS, the tax collectors for the City and the Parish have determined that special collection procedures are necessary to properly account for the funds collected pursuant to this agreement.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that Chapter 17 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

- Sec. 17-36.(c) Additional collection procedures for Business and Construction Projects in Sales Tax District No. 3.
  - 1. The tax collector may require that a business or contractor file a use tax return on purchases rather than payment of sales tax directly to the vendor. The tax collector is authorized to issue exemption certificates or such other documents that might be necessary to implement this procedure.
  - 2. The tax collector may require that applicants for building permits complete a registration and use tax application form prior to issuance of the building permit.
  - 3. The tax collector may require that all use tax be paid on a construction project or that a bond be filed in lieu thereof prior to issuance of an occupancy permit.

- 4. Tax Collector for the City of Slidell is hereby authorized to enter into an administrative agreement with the Tax Collector for Sales Tax District No. 3 concerning the collection of sales taxes from business subject to the Sales Tax Enhancement Plan provided that the gross commission charged by the Sheriff for collection of taxes subject to the agreement shall not exceed 1.75% of the total amount collected.
- 5. This ordinance shall not apply to single family residential properties for a period of 120 days from the date of its enactment.
- 6. This ordinance shall become effective at 7:00 a.m., April 12, 1989.

ADOPTED this 11th day of April, 1989.

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