Introduced June 12, 2001, by Councilman Cerny, seconded by Councilman Cusimano (both by request of Administration)

Item No. 01-06-2228

ORDINANCE NO. 3016

An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell to update certain provisions in the Code.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell desires to update provisions in the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby amend the Code of Ordinances as follows:

Sec. 2-261 is amended to be in accord with the Public Bid Law threshold amount and to delete obsolete provisions.

Sec. 2-261. Central purchasing and leasing; advertising; public bidding.

Delete the language in paragraph "(c)" and replace with "Bid results and recommendations for the award of bids for public works contracts or purchases of supplies and materials that require sealed bids pursuant to the Public Bid Law shall be submitted to the City Council for review and approval."

In paragraph "(d)" delete "\$5,000.00" and replace with "\$15,000.00".

Sec. 2-263. Public notification and intent to enter into certain service contracts.

In paragraph "(a)" delete "\$5,000.00" and replace with "\$15,000.00";

Delete the language in paragraph "(b)" in its entirety;

Change paragraph "(c)" to paragraph "(b)".

Add a new paragraph "(c)" as follows:

"Bid packages to be filed with City Council. Upon request by any member of the City Council, when a consultant is employed by the city for professional services, and such professional consultant develops an information packet to be bid by the city, a copy of such proposal, drawings, renderings, and other material related to the public bid process, shall be filed with City Council office prior to advertisements being placed wherein bids are solicited."

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Chapter 4 Alcoholic Beverages, Sec. 4-26, is amended to provide for current procedures.

Sec. 4-26. Application for dealer's permit.

In paragraph "(a)" delete "city council office" and replace with "department of finance".

Chapter 7 Buildings and Building Regulations, Sec. 7-207, Sec. 7-208, and Sec. 7-231, are amended to add technical language.

Sec. 7-207. Construction of private Drainage facilities.

Delete the first paragraph in Sec. 7-207(d) and replace with the following:

"(d) Hydrological study/plan required. A hydrological study/plan by a registered professional engineer must be submitted by all developers of multifamily, commercial or industrial projects on lots or parcels of land one acre or more in size and all new residential, commercial or industrial subdivisions containing six or more lots."

In the second sentence of paragraph "(d)" delete "coefficient" and replace with "rate".

Sec. 7-208. Change the heading as follows:

"Sec. 7-208. Drainage culverts required on unimproved lots with open ditches; submission of plans and specifications; inspection of work; violations declared misdemeanor."

Sec. 7-231. Specifications and bond.

In the first sentence add the phrase "public works" after the word "all".

Delete the second sentence in its entirety and replace with the following:

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"A payment bond and a performance bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the total construction cost shall be submitted with each contract".

Chapter 11 Criminal Code, Section 11-201, is amended to provide for enforcement authority of the provisions of Article II of Chapter 13.

Sec. 11.201. Violations relating to building construction, operation or maintenance, fires and fire prevention, public health and sanitation, and zoning.

In paragraph "(b)" delete "Chapter 29" and replace with "Chapter 13".

Chapter 15 Floods is amended to add a new Sec. 15-37 to provide for maintenance of private retention ponds.

Add the following new section:

"Sec. 15-37. Retention/Detention Pond Maintenance Required.

Developers of property that have privately owned retention/detention ponds shall maintain said ponds to properly function according to the drainage report and construction plans. Proper maintenance should include, but not be limited to: periodic mowing, removal of debris, erosion control and correction, maintenance of outlet structures and inlet structures. Publicly owned ponds shall be maintained by the City of Slidell."

Chapter 16 Health and Sanitation, Sec. 16-23 and Sec. 16-24, are amended to provide for administrative authority to abate noxious conditions.

Sec. 16-23. Authority of city to cut.

In the first sentence of paragraph "(b)" delete "However" and capitalize the first "the"; delete "council" and replace with "administration".

In the second sentence of paragraph "(b)" delete "council"; after the word "mayor" add "or his designee".

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Sec. 16-24. Lien for cost of cutting by city.

In the first sentence, delete "\$25.00" and replace with "\$50.00".

Chapter 19 Parks and Recreation is amended to establish rules of conduct for use of City Parks.

Add the following new section:

"Sec. 19-9. Rules for park use.

- (a) No dogs allowed, except on leash.
- (b) No glass containers allowed.
- (c) No lewd or lascivious behavior allowed.
- (d) No bicycles, skateboards, or scooters allowed in restricted areas."

 Chapter 21 Personnel, Sec. 21-47, is amended to delete obsolete portions of the chapter.

Sec. 21-47. Participation in risk management program.

Delete Sec. 21-47 in its entirety.

Chapter 23 Solid Waste, Sec. 23-10, Sec. 23-21, and Sec. 23-22, are amended to delete obsolete portions of the chapter.

Sec. 23-10. Condemnation of defective containers.

Delete Sec. 23-10 in its entirety.

Sec. 23-21. Dumping on private property.

In the first paragraph delete the phrase "director of public works" and replace with "director of public operations".

Sec. 23-22. Permit to collect or haul garbage and swill.

Delete Section 23-22 in its entirety.

Chapter 24 Special Districts, is amended to delete obsolete language under the city's Home Rule form of government.

Chapter 24, Article II. Sewerage Districts

Delete Chapter 24 in its entirety.

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Chapter 25 Streets, Sidewalks and Other Public Places, Sec. 25-22, Sec. 25-26, and Sec. 25-27, are amended to change the method of determining street widths.

Sec. 25-22. Street width and classification.

Delete the first sentence and replace with the following:

"Street widths shall be determined during the development review process by the Departments of Engineering and Planning."

Sec. 25-26. Specifications and bond.

In paragraph "(a)" after the word "all" add the phrase "public works".

Delete paragraph "(b)" in its entirety and replace with the following:

"(b) A payment bond and a performance bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the total construction cost shall be submitted with each contract".

Sec. 25-27. Department of transportation and development permits required.

Delete Sec. 25-27 in its entirety.

"Chapter 26. Taxation, Sec. 26-2 is amended to delete obsolete language.

Sec. 26-2. Handling and mailing charge for tax bills.

Delete Sec. 26-2 in its entirety.

Chapter 29. Vehicle for Hire, Sec. 29-43 is amended to increase the amounts of liability insurance coverage required of taxicabs.

Sec. 29-43. Insurance prerequisite to license.

Delete Sec. 29-43 in its entirety and replace with the following:

"Before any person shall be issued a new or renewal occupational license to operate a taxicab business, he shall submit to the Finance Department a certificate of insurance showing liability insurance coverage in the amounts shown below. The City shall

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be named on the certificate as a certificate holder. The liability insurer must be authorized to do business in this state.

Coverage limits (minimum):

Bodily Injury

\$500,000.00

Property Damage

\$500,000.00"

ADOPTED this 10th day of July, 2001

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10 A.m.

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