

1 Introduced November 18, 2003, by
2 Councilwoman Harbison, seconded by
3 Councilwoman Burkhalter

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5 **Item No. 03-11-2380**

6 **ORDINANCE NO. 3158**

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8 An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell Chapter
9 27 Traffic and Vehicles, relative to reduced vehicle speeds under flooding or hazardous
10 conditions.

11 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that it does
12 hereby amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Chapter 27 Traffic and
13 Vehicles as follows:
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15 Sec. 27-52. Excessive speeding under flooding, hazardous or abnormal
16 conditions be and the same is hereby repealed and replaced with the following:
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19 **“Section 27-52. Vehicular traffic during flooding, hazardous or abnormal**
20 **conditions.**
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22 (a) No person shall drive a vehicle on any street within the City of Slidell at a
23 greater speed than is reasonable and prudent under the conditions and potential hazards
24 then existing, having due regard for the traffic on, the conditions on the surface of, and the
25 properties adjacent to the street, and the condition of the weather, and in no event at a
26 speed in excess of the maximum speed established by ordinance.
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29 (b) No person shall circumvent the use of barricades, by removal, driving around
30 or otherwise, placed by the City in order to prohibit vehicular traffic upon certain streets
31 during flooding, hazardous or abnormal conditions.
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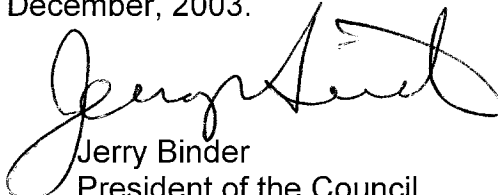
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34 (c) Violation of the provisions of this section shall be punishable by a fine not to
35 exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or imprisonment for a term not to exceed fifteen
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4 days or both. The Court may order restitution for property damages caused in relation to
5 violation of this section.
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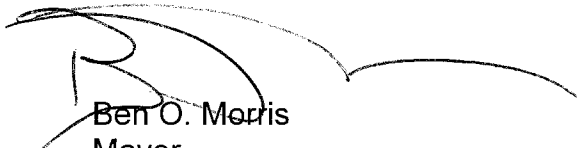
7 (d) This section shall not apply to official emergency or rescue personnel
8 performing their duties.”
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12 **ADOPTED** this 16th day of December, 2003.

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15 **DELIVERED** 11:00 a.m.
16 12/19/03 to the Mayor

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18 Jerry Binder
19 President of the Council
20 Councilman, District B

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22 **RECEIVED** 2:30 p.m.
23 12/22/03 from the Mayor

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25 Ben O. Morris
26 Mayor

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30 Shawn B. McManus
31 Clerk of the Council
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