Introduced September 9, 1986 by Councilman Callahan, seconded by Councilman at Large Martinez

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WHEREAS, the Slidell City Council is concerned over the possible loss of rail service to businesses now served by the ICG Railroad, and;

WHEREAS, this potential curtailment of rail service could mean a further loss of jobs in an area economy struggling for resurgence, and;

WHEREAS, continuation of rail service in this area will benefit the necessary economic development of the Slidell/St. Tammany area

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Slidell City Council urges its representatives in Congress, its state legislators, and such other individuals and agencies in a position to assist in protecting the shippers in this area from a loss of rail service, and secure the services of a short line operator.

ADOPTED this 9th day of September, 1986.

Pearl Williams

Councilwoman, District G President of the Council

Barbara Manteris Penton Clerk of the Council