Introduced November 22, 1988, by Councilman Berault, seconded by Councilman Washington (by request)

RESOLUTION R88-59

A resolution requesting an interchange at I-10 and Fremaux Avenue for the City of Slidell.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell and the Parish of St.

Tammany have experienced tremendous growth over the past ten (10)

years; and

WHEREAS, Fremaux Avenue has been widened to a four (4) lane thoroughfare; and

WHEREAS, the existing Interstate Highway 10 system is presently heavily burdened and it is anticipated that normal growth of the population of the City of Slidell and the surrounding area of St. Tammany Parish demand that new access interchanges on I-10 be erected; and

WHEREAS, there is presently needed an interchange with appropriate access at Fremaux Avenue and Interstate 10 and that this interchange is presently under design and study by the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, Division of Highways; and

WHEREAS, the utilization of this interchange at

Interstate Highway 10 and Fremaux Avenue will alleviate much of
the present congestion of Louisiana 433 and Old Spanish Trail and
Gause Boulevard, and further would provide additional hurricane
evacuation for the area thereby prompting the peace, harmony, and
safety of the citizens of Slidell and St. Tammany Parish and those
visitors to the area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City
Council, in legal session convened, that the Slidell City Council
reminds the Department of Transportation and Development of it's
support for a new interchange at Fremaux Avenue at Interstate 10
for the City of Slidell and said interchange is considered to be a
primary goal for the future growth of the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Slidell City Council ask the Department of Transportation and Development to prioritize this item and request that its legislative delegation assist in moving this matter forward.

ADOPTED this 22nd day of November , 1988.

Richard B. Van Sandt Councilman, District C

President of the Council

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Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council