

1 Introduced June 3, 1997, by Councilwoman
2 Livaudais, seconded by Councilman Smith
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5 **RESOLUTION R97-23**
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7 A resolution calling on Central Louisiana Electric Company (CLECO) to do
8 a complete inventory of its power supply to ensure that there are adequate substations or
9 other equipment in the Slidell area to accommodate the City's present needs and also to
10 assess the City's growth over the past decade, as it is now one of the fastest growth areas
11 of the state.
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13 WHEREAS, on Memorial Day, May 26, 1997, between 10:15 a.m. and 10:45
14 a.m. residents in the Lakewood Subdivision area experienced electrical power surges; and

15 WHEREAS, thousands of dollars in home electronic equipment were lost;
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17 WHEREAS, CLECO had approached the City of Slidell in recent months
18 regarding the installation of new power substations to keep up with the electrical demands
19 for the area.

20 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does
21 hereby request CLECO to conduct a full inventory of all of its power supply stations,
22 substations, and other equipment, to upgrade transformers and lines and re-evaluate
23 capacity of each substation in the Slidell area, and to further provide a written report to the
24 City of Slidell regarding the current equipment status and estimated future needs.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that CLECO provide the Slidell City Council
26 with a written report regarding the power outage in the Lakewood Subdivision area on May
27 26, 1997.

28 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Slidell City Council does hereby request
29 CLECO to move up its plans for a major new substation at the intersection of Highway 433
30 and Front Street to have completion before the Spring of 1998.

31 **ADOPTED** this 10th day of June, 1997.
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35 Bob Callahan
36 Councilman, District B
37 President of the Council

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40 Davis Dautreuil
41 Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council
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