Introduced December 9, 1997; Councilman Smith, seconded by Councilman Callahan (by request)

## **RESOLUTION R97-53**

A resolution accepting the Old Bayou Liberty Bridge from the State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) for salvage value.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell desires to acquire the Old Bayou Liberty Bridge and have it moved to the new City property known as the Superfund Site; and

WHEREAS, DOTD has agreed to sell the bridge to the City of Slidell for salvage value and to move it at no cost to the City.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby authorize the Mayor to acquire the Old Bayou Liberty Bridge from DOTD for the sum of Six Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$680.00).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Attorney for the City of Slidell shall prepare the necessary documents to have the City hold harmless and indemnify the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for any claims for property damage or personal injury resulting from the DOTD's original design and construction of the bridge.

ADOPTED this 9th day of December, 1997.

Bob Callahan

Councilman, District B President of the Council

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Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council