Introduced June 23, 1998, by Councilwoman Livaudais, seconded by Councilman Smith

## **RESOLUTION R98-31**

A resolution requesting the City Administration include certain notices, perform reference checks, and performance measurement criteria for contract work performed within the City of Slidell.

WHEREAS, the City of Slidell issues many contracts for work to be performed by engineers, architects, attorneys, insurance companies, and contractors; and

WHEREAS, said contracts issued by the City of Slidell require frequent change orders; and

WHEREAS, job specifications should have stricter, more specific, and detailed standards.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that it does hereby request the City Administration to include in written bid packages the following notices:

- Project specifications will be carefully reviewed, and analyzed to guard against last minute additions necessitating change orders.
- Change orders will be thoroughly scrutinized and will require substantial documentation as to need and reason for omission in the original contract.
- Previous jobs performed and references will be required in bid packages.
- Specifications shall include a provision for returning all adjacent work areas to at least their original condition.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Slidell City Council shall be measuring work performed by professionals and contractors that perform work within the City of Slidell that impact our citizens, and that said job performance will be considered in the awarding of all future contracts.

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ADOPTED this 23 day of June, 1998.

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