

RESOLUTION R99-24

A resolution ordering and calling an election to be held in the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, on the adoption of a certain amendment to the Slidell Home Rule Charter regarding term limitations for elected City officials, making application to the State Bond Commission in connection therewith, and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

WHEREAS, Resolution R99-24 and the Exhibit thereto are hereby amended to remove unlimited terms as an option from the ballot for a special election to be held on October 23, 1999; and

WHEREAS, proposed Resolution R99-24 provides for the calling of a special election regarding term limits on October 23, 1999; and

WHEREAS, this proposed amendment will provide for any elected official who has served in his or her respective office for three (3) or more consecutive terms shall be ineligible for re-election.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that Resolution R99-24 is hereby enacted as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council, acting as the governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana:

SECTION I. That, subject to the approval of the State Bond Commission and under the authority conferred by Article VI, Section 5 and 22 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, the applicable provisions of Chapters 5, 6-A, and 6-B of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, and other constitutional and statutory authority, an election to be and the same is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), on Saturday, October 23, 1999, between the hours of six o'clock (6:00) a.m., and eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in compliance with the provision of La. R.S. 18:541, and that at the said election there shall be submitted to all registered voters qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and Laws of this State and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

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5 **PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SECTIONS 2-01, 3-02, AND 4-05**
6 **OF THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SLIDELL**
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8 Under the Home Rule Charter of the City of Slidell, the number of consecutive terms
9 the Mayor, the Council Members, and the Chief of Police may serve is two (2). You may
10 vote to retain the Home Rule Charter as it is or you may vote to amend the Home Rule
11 Charter to provide that the Mayor, the Council Members, and the Chief of Police may serve
12 three (3) consecutive terms in their respective office.
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14 **PROPOSITION**
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16 Shall the number of terms the Mayor, the Council Members, and the
17 Chief of Police serve be limited to three (3) consecutive terms in their
18 respective office?

19 **YES** **NO**
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21 **SECTION II.** That there shall be published in "The Slidell Sentry-News", a
22 daily newspaper of general circulation within the City, published in the City of Slidell,
23 Louisiana, and being the official journal of this City, once a week for four (4) consecutive
24 weeks, with the first publication to be made not less than forty-five (45) days nor more
25 than ninety (90) days prior to the date fixed for election, notice of said election, which
26 notice shall be substantially in accordance with the Notice of Election annexed hereto as
27 "Exhibit A" and incorporated herein by reference the same as if it were set forth herein in
28 full.

29 **SECTION III.** That this City Council, acting as the governing authority of the
30 City, shall meet at their regular meeting place, the Slidell City Council Chambers, City Hall,
31 2055 Second Street, Slidell, Louisiana, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1999, at SIX-
32 THIRTY (6:30) O'CLOCK P.M., and shall then and there in open and public session
33 proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said election.

34 **SECTION IV.** That the polling places set forth in the aforesaid Notice of
35 Election and situated within the corporate limits of the City be and the same are hereby
36 designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-
37 in-Charge and Commissioners, respectively, shall be those persons designated according
38 to law.
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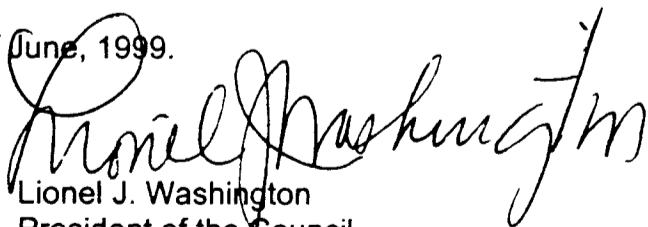
4 **SECTION V.** That the officers designated to serve as Commissioners-in-
5 Charge and Commissioners pursuant to Section IV hereof, or such substitutes therefore
6 as may be selected and designated in compliance with Louisiana Revised Statutes
7 18:1287 shall hold the said election as herein provided, and shall make due returns of said
8 election for the meeting of the City Council to be held on Tuesday, November 9, 1999. All
9 registered voters in the City are entitled to vote at said election and voting machines shall
10 be used thereat.

11 **SECTION VI.** That the Clerk of the Council be and is hereby empowered,
12 authorized and directed to arrange for and to furnish to said election officers in ample time
13 for the holding of said election the necessary equipment, forms and other paraphernalia
14 essential to the proper holding of said election.

15 **SECTION VII.** That certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to
16 the Secretary of State, the Commissioner of Elections, the Clerk of Court and Ex-Officio
17 Parish Custodian of Voting Machines in and for the Parish of St. Tammany, State of
18 Louisiana, and the Registrar of Voters in and for said Parish, as notification of the election
19 herein called in order that each may prepare for said election and perform their respective
20 functions as required by law.

21 **SECTION VIII.** That application be and the same is hereby formally made
22 to the State Bond Commission for consent and authority to hold the aforesaid election as
23 herein provided, and that a certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the State
24 Bond Commission on behalf of this City Council, together with a letter requesting the
25 prompt consideration and approval of this application.
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27 **ADOPTED** this 8th day of June, 1999.

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32 Lionel J. Washington
33 President of the Council
34 Councilman, District A

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37 Davis Dautreuil
38 Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council

EXHIBIT A
NOTICE OF ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of resolution R99-24 adopted on June 8, 1999, by the Slidell City Council, acting as the governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City") on Saturday, October 23, 1999, at which election there will be submitted the following proposition, to-wit:

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SECTIONS 2-01, 3-02, AND 4-05
OF THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SLIDELL**

Under the Home Rule Charter of the City of Slidell, the number of consecutive terms the Mayor, the Council Members, and the Chief of Police may serve is two (2). You may vote to retain the Home Rule Charter as it is or you may vote to amend the Home Rule Charter to provide that the Mayor, the Council Members, and the Chief of Police may serve three (3) consecutive terms in their respective office.

PROPOSITION

Shall the number of terms the Mayor, the Council Members, and the Chief of Police serve be limited to three (3) consecutive terms in their respective office?

_____ YES _____ NO

The said election will be held at the following polling places situated within the corporate limits of the City, which polls will open at six (6:00) o'clock a.m. and close at eight (8:00) o'clock p.m., in compliance with the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statutes 18:541, to-wit:

POLLING PLACE	Precinct S01, First Christian Church
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S02, Slidell High School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S03, Slidell High School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S04, Bonne Ecole Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S05, First Christian Church
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S06, Carolyn Park Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S06A, Carolyn Park Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S07, Slidell High School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S07A, Slidell High School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S08, Bonne Ecole Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S10, Slidell Junior High School

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POLLING PLACE	Precinct S11, Tiki Club
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S12, Brock Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S13, Brock Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S15, First Baptist Church
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S16, Abney Elementary School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct S17, Our Lady Of Lourdes School
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 802 (in part) Clearwood Jr. High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 803 (in part) St. Tammany Levee Board Bldg. (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 805 (in part) Boyet Jr. High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 806 (in part) Boyet Jr. High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 809 Northshore High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 809A (in part) Northshore High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 809B (in part) Abney Elementary School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 810A (in part) Northshore High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 901 (in part) North Shore Square (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 902A (in part) Slidell High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 902B (in part) Alton Elementary School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 904 (in part) Carolyn Park Middle School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 904B (in part) Carolyn Park Middle School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 909 (in part) Salmen High School (no voters)
POLLING PLACE	Precinct 910 (in part) Salmen High School (no voters)

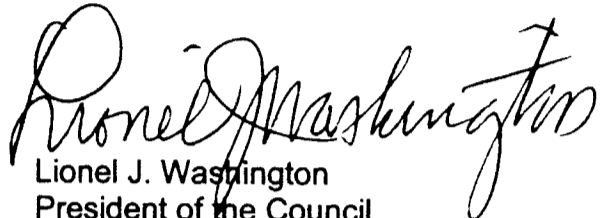
That the polling places set forth above and situated within the corporate limits of the City of Slidell be and the same are hereby designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-in-Charge and Commissioners, respectively, shall be those persons designated according to law.

The said election will be held in accordance with the applicable provisions of Chapter 5 and Chapters 6-A and 6-B of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, and the officers appointed to hold the election, as provided in this Notice of Election, or such substitutes therefore as may be selected and designated in compliance with the Louisiana Revised Statutes 18:1287 will make due returns of such election to the City Council, and NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that said City Council will meet at its regular meeting place, the Slidell City Council Chambers, City Hall, 2055 Second Street, Slidell,

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Louisiana, on Tuesday, November 9, 1999, at six-thirty (6:30) o'clock p.m., and will then and there in open and public session proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of said election. All registered voters in the City are entitled to vote at the said election, and voting machines will be used thereat.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Slidell, Louisiana, on this, the 8th day of June,
1999.



Lionel J. Washington
President of the Council
Councilman, District A



Davis Dautreuil
Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY

CITY OF SLIDELL

I, the undersigned Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), the Governing Authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution R99-24 six (6) pages constitute a true and correct copy of the proceedings taken by the Governing Authority on June 9, 1999, ordering and calling an election to be held in the City on the adoption of certain amendments to the Home Rule Charter and making application to the State Bond Commission in connection therewith and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the impress of the official seal of the City of Slidell, Louisiana, on this, the 8th day of June, 1999.

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Davis Dautreuil
Council Administrator/Clerk of the Council