

1 Introduced July 27, 2004, by
2 Councilwoman Burkhalter, seconded by
3 Councilwoman Livaudais

4 **RESOLUTION R04-22**

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6 A resolution by the Slidell City Council (the "Governing Authority"),
7 canvassing the returns and declaring the result of the special election held in the City of
8 Slidell, State of Louisiana:

9 PROCÈS VERBAL AND PROCLAMATION OF THE CANVASS OF THE VOTES CAST
10 AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF SLIDELL, STATE OF LOUISIANA,
11 ON SATURDAY, JULY 17, 2004.
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14 BE IT KNOWN AND REMEMBERED that on Tuesday, July 27, 2004, at six-
15 thirty o'clock (6:30) p.m., at its regular meeting place, the City Hall, 2055 Second Street,
16 Slidell, Louisiana, the Slidell City Council (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the
17 governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), and being the
18 authority ordering the special election held therein on Saturday, July 17, 2004, with a
19 quorum being present, did examine the official certified tabulations of votes cast at the said
20 election, and did examine and canvass the returns of said election, there having been
21 submitted at said election the following proposition to wit:
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28 **SALES TAX PROPOSITION**

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30 SUMMARY: 1/4% SALES TAX FOR THE CITY OF SLIDELL FOR
31 PURCHASING, CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, EXTENDING,
32 IMPROVING, OPERATING, AND MAINTAINING DRAINAGE AND
33 DRAINAGE-RELATED STREET SYSTEMS AND ANY NECESSARY
34 SITES, EQUIPMENT AND FURNISHINGS THEREFOR.
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4 Shall the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), under the provisions
5 of Article VI, Section 29 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974,
6 and other constitutional and statutory authority, be authorized to levy and
7 collect a tax of one-quarter of one percent (1/4%) (the "Tax"), upon the sale
8 at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for
9 use or consumption of tangible personal property and on sales of services in
10 the City, with the proceeds of the Tax (after paying the reasonable and
11 necessary costs and expenses of collecting and administering the Tax), to
12 be dedicated and used for purchasing, constructing, acquiring, extending,
13 improving, operating, and maintaining drainage and drainage-related street
14 systems and any necessary sites, equipment and furnishings therefor.

15 The canvass of the results of the election showed that there was a total of
16 **979** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** the Proposition and a total of **2,088** votes cast **AGAINST** the
17 Proposition, and that there was a majority of **1,109** votes cast **AGAINST** the Proposition as
18 hereinabove set forth.

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20 Therefore, the Governing Authority did declare and proclaim and does
21 hereby declare and proclaim in open and public session that the Proposition as herein-
22 above set forth was duly **DEFEATED** by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified
23 electors voting at the said special election.

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27 **ADOPTED** this 27th day of July, 2004.

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30 Elsie Burkhalter
31 President of the Council
32 Councilwoman, District A

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35 Shawn B. McManus
36 Clerk of the Council
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STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Council of the Slidell City Council (the "Governing Authority"), the governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), do hereby certify that the foregoing two (2) pages constitute a true and correct copy of the proceedings and *Procès Verbal* made by said Governing Authority on Tuesday, July 27, 2004, providing for canvassing the returns and declaring the result of the special election held in the City Saturday, July 17, 2004, to authorize the levy of a sales and use tax therein.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the impress of the official seal of the City at Slidell, Louisiana, on this, the 27th day of July, 2004.



Shawn B. McManus
Clerk of the Council

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