Introduced November 16, 2004, by Councilwoman Burkhalter, seconded by Councilwoman Livaudais

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A resolution providing for canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the special election held in the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, on Tuesday, November 2, 2004, to authorize the renewal of special taxes therein.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), that:

SECTION 1. <u>Canvass.</u> This Governing Authority does now proceed in open and public session to examine the official tabulations of votes cast at the special election held in the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2004, to authorize the renewal of special taxes therein, and the Governing Authority does further proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the results of the special election.

SECTION 2. <u>Procès Verbal.</u> A <u>Procès Verbal</u> of the canvass of the returns of said election shall be made and a certified copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Secretary of State, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, who shall record the same in his office; another certified copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Clerk of Court and *Ex-Officio* Recorder of Mortgages in and for the Parish of St. Tammany, who shall record the same in the Mortgage Records of said Parish; and another copy thereof shall be retained in the archives of this Governing Authority.

SECTION 3. <u>Promulgation of Election Results.</u> The results of said election shall be promulgated by publication in the manner provided by law.

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This resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as

follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT: 0

ADOPTED this 16th day of November, 2004.

Elsie Burkhalter

President of the Council Councilwoman, District A

Burkhalter

Shawn B. McManus, CMC

Clerk of the Council

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PROCÈS VERBAL AND PROCLAMATION OF THE CANVASS OF THE VOTES CAST AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF SLIDELL, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2004.

BE IT KNOWN AND REMEMBERED that on Tuesday, November 16, 2004, at six-thirty o'clock (6:30) p.m., at its regular meeting place, the City Hall, 2055 Second Street, Slidell, Louisiana, the Slidell City Council (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), and being the authority ordering the election held therein on Tuesday, November 2, 2004, with the following members present:

Elsie Burkhalter, President of the Council, Marti Livaudais, Vice President of the Council and Council Members Pearl Williams, Rickey Hursey, Landon Cusimano, Kevin Kingston, Raymond H. Canada, Kim Harbison, and Greg Cromer;

There being absent: None;

did, in open and public session, examine the official certified tabulations of votes cast at the said election, and did examine and canvass the returns of the said election, there having been submitted at said election the following propositions, to wit:

POLICE DEPARTMENT TAX RENEWAL PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY TO RENEW A TEN (10) YEAR THREE (3) MILLS PROPERTY TAX FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY, INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION OF THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT THEREFOR.

Shall the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, levy a three (3) mills tax on all property subject to taxation in said City for a period of ten (10) years, beginning with the year 2005 and ending with the year 2014, for the purpose of maintenance and operation of the municipal police department of the City, including the acquisition of the necessary equipment therefor?

SEWERAGE TAX RENEWAL PROPOSITION

<u>SUMMARY</u>: AUTHORITY TO RENEW A TEN (10) YEAR FIVE (5) MILLS PROPERTY TAX FOR MAINTAINING AND OPERATING SEWERAGE WORKS AND FACILITIES WITHIN AND FOR THE CITY.

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Shall the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, levy a five (5) mills tax on all property subject to taxation in said City for a period of ten (10) years, beginning with the year 2006 and ending with the year 2015, for the purpose of maintaining and operating sewerage works and facilities within and for the City?

GARBAGE TAX RENEWAL PROPOSITION

<u>SUMMARY</u>: AUTHORITY TO RENEW A TEN (10) YEAR FIVE (5) MILLS PROPERTY TAX FOR CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING GARBAGE DISPOSAL WORKS AND REFUSE AND GARBAGE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SYSTEMS WITHIN AND FOR THE CITY.

Shall the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana, levy a five (5) mills tax on all property subject to taxation in said City for a period of ten (10) years, beginning with the year 2006 and ending with the year 2015, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining garbage disposal works and refuse and garbage collection and disposal systems within and for the City?

There was found by said count and canvass that the following votes had been cast at the said election **IN FAVOR OF** and **AGAINST**, respectively, the propositions as hereinabove set forth at the following polling places, to-wit:

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POLLING PLACES		PROPOSITION NO. 1		PROPOSITION NO. 2		PROPOSITION NO. 3	
	POLLING PLACE	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
S01	Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 360 Robert Blvd, Slidell	561	244	540	258	534	268
S02	Slidell High School, 1 Tiger Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	303	139	293	141	278	155
S03	Slidell High School, 1 Tiger Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	470	205	456	216	444	229
S04	Bonne Ecole Elementary School, 900 Rue Verand, Slidell (IN PART)	349	154	350	149	327	171
S05	Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 360 Robert Blvd, Slidell (IN PART)	648	240	618	266	597	288
S06	Carolyn Park Elementary School, 35708 Liberty Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	461 	273	442	282	415	312
S07	Bayou Woods Elementary, 35614 Liberty Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	143	92	138	93	137	92
S08	Bonne Ecole Elementary School, 900 Rue Verand, Slidell (IN PART)	308	158	314	151	305	159
S09	Bonne Ecole Elementary School, 900 Rue Verand, Slidell	324	122	313	131	302	142
S10	Slidell Jr. High School, 333 Pennsylvania Ave., Slidell (IN PART)	459	252	441	268	423	290
S11	Slidell Jr. High School, 333 Pennsylvania Ave., Slidell	318	116	307	123	297	132
S12	Brock Elementary School, 259 Brakefield St., Slidell (IN PART)	32	24	30	26	27	29
S13	Brock Elementary School, 259 Brakefield St., Slidell (IN PART)	217	157	218	153	205	165
S14	Brock Elementary School, 259 Brakefield St., Slidell	47	28	44	33	43	33
S15	First Baptist Church, 4141 Pontchartrain Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	406	255	405	250	380	276
S16	Abney Elementary School, 825 Kostmayer St., Slidell (IN PART)	256	138	250	141	246	152
S17	Salmen High School, 4040 Berkley Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	566	361	548	374	521	406
S18	Abney Elementary School, 825 Kostmayer St., Slidell (IN PART) (NO VOTERS)	0	0	0	0	0	0
S19	Slidell High School, 1 Tiger Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	57	58	62	52	61	56
S20	Slidell Jr. High School, 333 Pennsylvania Ave., Slidell (IN PART)	5	10	6	9	5	10

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	POLLING PLACES	PROPOSITION NO. 1		PROPOSITION NO. 2		PROPOSITION NO. 3	
	POLLING PLACE	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
S21	Northshore High School, 100 Panther Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	196	146	178	156	156	181
S22	Abney Elementary School, 825 Kostmayer St., Slidell (IN PART)	21	12	18	15	18	16
S23	Slidell Junior High School, 333 Pennsylvania Ave., Slidell (IN PART)	176	75	183	67	176	78
S24	Brock Elementary School, 259 Brakefield St., Slidell	101	110	93	113	90	123
S25	Brock Elementary School, 259 Brakefield St., Slidell (IN PART)	205	145	211	136	205	143
802	Clearwood Jr. High School, 130 Clearwood Dr., Slidell (IN PART) (NO VOTERS)	0	0	0	0	0	0
803	Clearwood Jr. High School, 130 Clearwood Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	44	28	43	29	39	33
805	Little Oak Elementary, 59241 Rebel Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	0	0	0	0	0	0
806	Little Oak Elementary, 59241 Rebel Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	290	192	295	183	278	201
811	Boyet Jr. High School, 59295 Rebel Dr., Slidell (IN PART) (NO VOTERS)	34	34	35	33	30	38
813	Northshore High School, 100 Panther Drive, Slidell (IN PART)	212	183	198	194	178	214
901	Northshore Square Mall, 150 North Shore Blvd., Slidell (IN PART) (NO VOTERS)	0	0	0	0	0	0
904	Carolyn Park Middle School, 35708 Liberty Dr., Slidell (IN PART)	4	6	3	7	3	7
907	Carolyn Park Middle School, 35708 Liberty Dr., Slidell (IN PART) (NO VOTERS)	0	0	0	0	0	0
909	Salmen High School, 4040 Berkley St., Slidell (IN PART) (NO VOTERS)	0	0	0	0	0	0
915	Northshore Square Mall, 150 North Shore Blvd., Slidell (IN PART)	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ABSENTEE VOTES	592	315	611	291	577	326
	TOTAL	7,805	4,272	7,643	4,340	7,297	4,725
	MAJORITY FOR	3,5	33	3,3	03	2,	572

The polling places above specified being the only polling places designated at which to hold the said election, it was therefore shown that:

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- (i) There was a total of **7,805** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** Proposition No. 1 and a total of **4,272** votes cast **AGAINST** Proposition No. 1, as hereinabove set forth, and that there was a majority of **3,533** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** Proposition No. 1 as hereinabove set forth; and
- (ii) There was a total of **7,643** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** Proposition No. 2 and a total of **4,340** votes cast **AGAINST** Proposition No. 2, as hereinabove set forth, and that there was a majority of **3,303** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** Proposition No. 2 as hereinabove set forth; and
- (iii) There was a total of **7,297** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** Proposition No. 3 and a total of **4,725** votes cast **AGAINST** Proposition No. 3, as hereinabove set forth, and that there was a majority of **2,572** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** Proposition No. 3 as hereinabove set forth.

Therefore, the Governing Authority did declare and proclaim and does hereby declare and proclaim in open and public session that Proposition No. 1, as hereinabove set forth was duly **CARRIED**, that Proposition No. 2 as hereinabove set forth was duly **CARRIED**, and Proposition No. 3 as herein above set forth were duly **CARRIED** by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified electors voting at the said special election held in the City on Tuesday, November 2, 2004.

ADOPTED this 16th day of November, 2004.

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Elsie Burkhalter

President of the Council Councilwoman, District A

Shawn B. McManus, CMC Clerk of the Council

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PROCLAMATION

I, the undersigned President of the Council of the Slidell City Council, the governing authority of the City of Slidell, State of Louisiana (the "City"), do hereby declare, proclaim and announce that Proposition No. 1 submitted at the special election held in the City on Tuesday, November 2, 2004, was DULY CARRIED, that Proposition No. 2 was DULY CARRIED and that Proposition No. 3 was DULY CARRIED by a majority of the votes cast at the said special election, all as described and set out in the above *Procès Verbal*.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Slidell, Louisiana, on this, the 16th day of November, 2004.

Elsié Burkhalter

President of the Council Councilwoman, District A

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 eight (8) pages constitute a true and correct copy of the

proceedings and Procès Verbal made by said Governing Authority on Tuesday, November

16, 2004, providing for canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the special

election held in the City on Tuesday, November 2, 2004, to authorize the renewal of special

taxes therein.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the impress of the official

seal of the City at Slidell, Louisiana, on this, the 16th day of November, 2004.

Shawn B. McManus, CMC

Clerk of the Council

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