

1 Introduced April 12, 2011, by Councilman  
2 Cusimano, seconded by Councilwoman  
3 Harbison

4 **RESOLUTION R11-07**

5 A resolution authorizing Assistant City Prosecutors.

6 WHEREAS, Slidell Charter Section 4-03(C) provides that the City Council  
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8 may authorize Assistant City Prosecutors; and  
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10 WHEREAS, the current City Prosecutor requires assistance to perform the  
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12 duties of the office from time to time; and  
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14 WHEREAS, such assistant is appointed by and serves at the pleasure of the  
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16 City Prosecutor; and

17 WHEREAS, the appointment of an assistant presently requires no additional  
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19 funding from the City of Slidell.

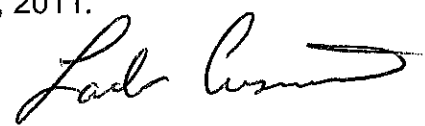
20 NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that  
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22 assistant City Prosecutors are hereby authorized in accordance with Charter Section 4-  
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24 03(C) on a pro hac vice (one appearance only) basis.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in the event additional funding by the City  
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27 is required in connection with the appointment of any Assistant City Prosecutor, specific  
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29 approval by the City Council shall be required.  
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**ADOPTED** this 12th day of April, 2011.



Landon Cusimano  
President of the Council  
Councilman-at-Large



Thomas P. Reeves  
Council Administrator

- (7) Make such other reports as the council may reasonably request to enable the council to conduct his [sic] councilmanic function.
- (8) Keep the council fully advised as to the financial condition and future needs of the City and make such recommendations to the council concerning the affairs of the City as deemed desirable.
- (9) Perform such other duties as specified in this charter or may be required by the council.

### **Section 3-08. Prohibitions.**

The mayor shall hold no other elected public office nor any compensated appointive City office or City employment during the term of office for which elected. The mayor shall not engage in any outside activity that would interfere with or detract from the performance of duties as mayor on a full-time basis.

## **ARTICLE IV. ADMINISTRATION**

### **Section 4-01. General Provisions.**

Except as otherwise provided by this charter all departments, offices and agencies shall be under the direction and supervision of the mayor, and the directors of all departments created by or under this charter shall be appointed by the mayor and shall serve at the pleasure of the mayor. Appointments by the mayor to the positions of city attorney and city prosecutor shall be subject to confirmation by the council. The city attorney and city prosecutor shall serve at the pleasure of the mayor but may also be removed by a majority vote of the council.  
(Ord. No. 1594, § 1, 1-25-1983)

### **Section 4-02. City Attorney.**

A. The city attorney shall be an attorney licensed to practice in the courts of Louisiana with at least five (5) years' experience in the practice of law.

B. The city attorney shall serve as chief legal adviser to the mayor, council and all departments, offices and agencies, shall represent the City in all legal proceedings except for criminal matters prosecuted by the City and shall perform any other duties prescribed by this charter or by ordinance.

C. Any assistant city attorneys authorized by the council shall be appointed by the city attorney and serve at the pleasure of the city attorney.

D. No special legal counsel shall be employed by the City except by written contract and approval of the council.

### **Section 4-03. City Prosecutor.**

A. The city prosecutor shall be an attorney licensed to practice in the courts of Louisiana with at least five (5) years' experience in the practice of law.

B. The city prosecutor shall have charge of all criminal matters prosecuted by the City.

C. Any assistant city prosecutors authorized by the council shall be appointed by the city prosecutor and serve at the pleasure of the city prosecutor.

D. Upon written recommendation of the mayor, subject to approval by the council by resolution, the duties and functions of the office of city prosecutor may be combined with those of the city attorney.

### **Section 4-04. Department of Finance.**

A. The head of the Department of Finance shall be the director of finance. The director of finance, at the time of appointment, either shall have at least a bachelor's degree in business administration, accounting or public administration from an accredited college or university and a minimum of two (2) years' experience in a responsible managerial or administrative fiscal position or shall have a minimum of six (6) years' experience in a responsible managerial or administrative fiscal position.