

1 Introduced November 28, 2023, by Councilman
2 Tamborella, seconded by Councilwoman
3 Haggerty, (by request of Administration)

4 **RESOLUTION R23-33**

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6 A resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Slidell to engage, on behalf of
7 the City of Slidell, the firm of Hardy, Carey, Chautin & Balkin, LLP, to provide the City with
8 counsel and legal representation on matters related to servitude/right-of-way acquisition for
9 the transmission line relocation project at the Slidell Airport.


10 WHEREAS, the City of Slidell is currently undertaking a FAA/DOTD supported
11 transmission line relocation project at the Slidell Airport, in cooperation with local electric
12 utilities, and it requires specialized legal assistance related to servitude/right-of-way
13 acquisition for said project; and
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16 WHEREAS, the firm of Hardy, Carey, Chautin & Balkin, LLP, is able and
17 competent to assist the City of Slidell in this matter at reasonable rates.
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20 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Slidell City Council that,
21 pursuant to Charter Section 4-02.D., the Mayor of the City of Slidell is hereby authorized to
22 execute a legal services contract with the firm of Hardy, Carey, Chautin & Balkin, LLP, to
23 provide the City, in consultation with the City Attorney, with counsel and legal
24 representation, including through suit, on matters related to servitude/right-of-way
25 acquisition for the transmission line relocation project at the Slidell Airport.
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30 **ADOPTED** this 28th day of November, 2023.

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36 Thomas P. Reeves
37 Council Administrator
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Kenny Tamborella
President of the Council
Councilman, District E