

1 Introduced April 27, 2021, by Councilman
2 Tamborella, seconded by Councilwoman
3 Denham, (by request of Administration)

4 **Item No. 21-04-3367**

5 **ORDINANCE NO. 4028**

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7 An ordinance to impose a time-limited moratorium on the use of shipping
8 containers as structures.
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10 WHEREAS, the City of Slidell allows shipping containers to be used as
11 structures, provided they meet all building, zoning, and other applicable regulations; and
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13 WHEREAS, a shipping container is a container with strength suitable to
14 withstand shipment, storage, and handling, and may also be called an intermodal, cargo,
15 freight, sea, or ocean container; and
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18 WHEREAS, the City desires to ensure responsible development and to
19 evaluate what impact the use of cargo containers as structures may have on public health,
20 safety, and welfare.
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22 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that it does
23 hereby impose a moratorium on the issuance of any permit or approval for the use of a
24 shipping container as a structure within the City of Slidell, effective immediately upon
25 adoption of this ordinance and for eighteen (18) months from the date of its adoption,
26 unless earlier terminated or further extended.
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5 **ADOPTED** this 25th day of May, 2021.

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8 Kenny Tamborella
9 President of the Council
10 Councilman, District E

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14 Greg Cromer
15 Mayor

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17 Thomas P. Reeves
18 Council Administrator

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