



CityBusiness poll: Citizens are top recovery drivers

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NEW ORLEANS - When it comes to the city's recovery, neighborhood associations are more effective than elected leaders, according to results of CityBusiness' online poll.

CityBusiness asked what community leader(s) has done the most for New Orleans' recovery.

Out of 529 votes, 35 percent, or 187 voters, chose neighborhood associations.

In second place was U.S. Attorney Jim Letten, who garnered 143 votes, or 27 percent.

In other poll results:

- Saints Coach Sean Payton received 63 votes, or 11.9 percent;
- "Other," 59 votes, or 11 percent;
- University leadership, 31 votes, or 5.9 percent;
- Mayor C. Ray Nagin, 18 votes, or 3.4 percent;
- Jefferson Parish Sheriff Harry Lee, 12 votes, or 2.3 percent;
- New Orleans City Council, 10 votes, or 1.9 percent;
- New Orleans Police Department Superintendent Warren Riley, 3 votes, or 0.6 percent; and
- Orleans Parish District Attorney Eddie Jordan, 3 votes, or 0.6 percent.

CityBusiness has posted a new poll.

Those who vote and leave a comment with their name and e-mail address will be entered into a drawing for a free lunch for two at Windsor Court.

To visit the poll, [click here](#).