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**Councilmember Stacy Head
Announces Community Job Fair
To be Held this Saturday**

WHAT: District "B" Councilmember Stacy Head invites citizens to attend a local Job Fair to be held this Saturday, June 27. The City of New Orleans' Job 1 program and the Louisiana Workforce Commission are hosting the Job Fair, which will focus on employment in construction and related fields. The job fair is free and open to the public, and citizens are encouraged to attend.

Councilmember Head authored a Resolution, passed by the Council during its regular meeting last week, urging every contractor and subcontractor who has received work that is funded wholly or partially by the government to participate in the upcoming job fair.

"New Orleans is in a time of rebuilding and there are significant federal, state and locally funded construction projects throughout the City, including the redevelopment and repair of public housing, government buildings, hospitals, and schools. This is a great opportunity for the contractors and subcontractors receiving work from government funded projects to engage local contractors and workers," said Councilmember Head.

WHEN: Saturday, June 27th
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

WHERE: Dryades YMCA

2220 Oretha Castle Haley Boulevard
(Click [here](#) for a map)

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New Orleans City Council

The New Orleans City Council is the legislative branch of New Orleans city government. The Council considers and enacts all local laws that govern the City of New Orleans. The Council also approves the operating and capital budgets for the City, as recommended by the mayor, and continually monitors revenues and expenditures for local government operations. The City Council is also the regulatory body for public utilities. It also reviews and has final say on many land use and zoning matters, as well as considers major economic development projects for the City. As a Board of Review for Orleans Parish, the Council examines appeals of property tax assessments for real estate taxes, and certifies tax rolls to the Louisiana Tax Commission. Other responsibilities of the Council include overseeing the operation of the public access television in Orleans Parish.

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