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## HELP IS ON THE WAY FOR LAKEFRONT RESIDENTS

The Beacon of Hope Resource Center, a nonprofit corporation established after Hurricane Katrina to help provide lakefront neighborhoods with information and resources for rebuilding, has five new sites.

The United Way, the Beacon's lead sponsor, has chipped in with \$15,000 in lawn equipment.

The new centers will help address concerns facing residents, prospective residents and homeowners who have not yet decided whether to return.

Each center acts as a communications link with city agencies charged with restoring services and utilities, such as mail delivery, electricity, sewerage, water, cable and telephone and debris and trash removal.

The organization also offers educational seminars on remediation and recovery, and develops lists of local contractors and professional service providers

such as architects, structural engineers, mold inspectors, mold remediators, plumbers, electricians, alarm and communication technicians, pool cleaners and landscapers.

The five new centers are at:

- ▶ 6118 Louisville St.,  
(504) 304-9908
- ▶ 6843 Milne St., (504) 415-5475
- ▶ 6200 Vicksburg St.,  
(504) 415-5475
- ▶ 5589 Canal Blvd.,  
(504) 488-3122
- ▶ 175 32nd St., (504) 421-7349

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