



## CITY VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE FUNDRAISER

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*For Immediate Release*

Yesterday the City Volunteer Committee held a picnic in Veterans Park to benefit a local Kenner family who had recently lost everything in a house fire. The Rumbo's were sleeping when the fire started in the attic of their Kenner home. The father and two boys made it out, but the mother and five year old daughter weren't so fortunate. Not only did the family lose members, but they lost everything they had ever owned.

The picnic in the park had hamburgers, hotdogs and chips to offer that were generously donated to the CVC by the Treasure Chest Casino located in Kenner. The rest of the items were donated by the CVC members, including the homemade chili, which was donated by a recent retiree of the City of Kenner and CVC. The grill master Mark Glorioso, a City of Kenner Recreation employee, cooked over 250 plates and even had a line waiting for the hamburger patty hot off the grill at several occasions during the 3 hour event.

The City of Kenner employees enjoyed their fresh off the grill lunches on a beautiful, warm, sunny day in the park. But none of them had forgotten the reason they had all come together on this day, to help a local family who had lost so much. And because of the kind and generous hearts of the people in this community the CVC was able to raise \$3524.00 to benefit the Rumbo family.

The City Volunteer Committee would like to take this time to thank everyone for their donations and for coming out to help a local family.

Teamwork allows common people to attain uncommon results!



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