



Fulton County Voters:

How will you select the best candidates for the Fulton County Commission Race?

The July 20 primary is just around the corner.

The Committee for a Better Atlanta -- a coalition of Atlanta businesses and business organizations -- is pleased to release its *Consumer Reports*-style evaluation of the candidates running for Fulton County Commission.

A complete Voter Guide, including candidates' scores and questionnaires,
is available at **www.betteratlanta.org**.

Following are the scores for each candidate:

Candidate	Race	Rating	Score
Steve Broadbent (R)	District 1 (chair)	Well Qualified	86
John Eaves (D)	District 1 (chair)	Excellent	93
Lori Henry (R)	District 2	Excellent	88
Robb Pitts (D)	District 2	Excellent	90
Liz Hausmann (R)	District 3	Well Qualified	85
Tom Lowe (R)	District 4	Did not participate	Did not participate
Emma Darnell (D)	District 5	Did not participate	Did not participate
Joan Garner (D)	District 6	Well Qualified	85
David Holder, Sr. (D)	District 6	Did not participate	Did not participate
Sally Smith (D)	District 6	Average	70
Keisha Waites (D)	District 6	Average	78
Bill Edwards (D)	District 7	Did not participate	Did not participate

The Committee for a Better Atlanta has evaluated candidates for elected offices since 1997.

This year's committee members include:

100 Black Men of Atlanta	Atlanta Licensed Beverage Council	Georgia Beverage Association
AGL Resources, Inc.	Atlanta Urban League	Delta Air Lines, Inc.
AmericasMart	AT&T	Equifax Inc.
Atlanta & Georgia Apartment Association	Bank of America	GE Energy
Atlanta Board of Realtors	Buckhead Business Association	Georgia-Pacific
Atlanta Commercial Board of Realtors	Buckhead Coalition	Greater Atlanta Home Builders Association
Atlanta Business League	Building Owners & Managers Association	Metro Atlanta Chamber
Atlanta Convention & Visitors Bureau	Business Wise Incorporated	SunTrust Bank
Atlanta Hotel Council	Central Atlanta Progress	Turner Broadcasting
Atlanta Restaurant Council	Council for Quality Growth	

CBA strives to make the evaluation process as fair as possible across all races and only takes into account responses provided to the questionnaire and in the interview process.