Knox County, TVA, UT, KCS Gather to Cut Ribbon on UT Towers

WHEN: 10 a.m., Tuesday, August 25

WHERE: TVA Plaza between the West Tower and UT Tower
Use the Wall Avenue Plaza Entrance, across from Market Square Stage

WHO: Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs with TVA President/CEO Jeff Lyash, University of Tennessee System President Randy Boyd and Knox County Schools Superintendent Bob Thomas

BACKGROUND: Leaders from Knox County, the University of Tennessee System, Knox County Schools and TVA will gather to formally cut the ceremonial ribbon on the doors of UT Tower (formerly TVA East Tower). Each will talk a little about the partnership and the future of the building and its operations.

Knox County closed on the building in late July. The facility will house the University of Tennessee System offices and Knox County Schools administrative offices.

Any media planning to attend should RSVP to abbey.harris@knoxcounty.org by noon, Monday, August 24.

COVID-19 protocols will be observed, and masks are encouraged if physical distancing cannot be maintained.

In case of rain, the event will move into UT Tower. All attendees will need a photo ID. Arrival is recommended by 9:30 a.m. to ensure enough time to go through security in the TVA West Tower.

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