

# ACLU-TN Right to Vote Campaign

## "Get Your Right to Vote Back" Town Meeting

### KNOXVILLE:

**Monday, August 7, 2006**

**6:30 pm—8:30 pm**

**Beck Cultural**

**Exchange Center**

**1927 Dandridge Avenue**

*Welcome: Rev. Middlebrooks,  
Caanan Baptist Church of Christ*

*In Conjunction with "The August 8th Celebration"*

*Supported by: Race Relations Center of East TN*

### JOHNSON CITY:

**Tuesday, August 8, 2006**

**6:00 pm—8:00 pm**

**Jones Meeting Center**

**Johnson City Public Library**

**100 West Millard Street**

*Welcome: Ralph Davis, NAACP-Johnson City President  
Supported by: Johnson City/Washington County NAACP*

Public Chapter 860, a new law, simplifies the process for restoring voting rights to persons with past felony convictions who have completed their sentences. What was the country's most confusing system, with six different procedures for restoration, has been streamlined into a single restoration process. Come learn about voting rights in Tennessee and how to get your right to vote back!

### **Panelists Will Include:**

#### KNOXVILLE:

Renee Paradis

*Brennan Center Democracy Program*

Mark Stephens

*Knox County Public Defender*

Greg Mackay

*Knoxville/Knox County Election Commission*

Former felon

who has lost his/her voting rights

#### JOHNSON CITY:

Renee Paradis

*Brennan Center Democracy Program*

Samuel McPeak

*Washington County Bar Association*

Sarah Bailey

*Unicoi County Election Commission*

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***The League of Women Voters has been invited to provide voter registration.***

### **Tennessee "Right to Vote Campaign" Partners:**

American Civil Liberties Union of Tennessee (ACLU-TN)

Catholic Public Policy Commission

Tennessee AFL-CIO Labor Council

Tennessee Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (TACDL)

Tennessee Bar Association

The Restoration Project



The Tennessee "Right to Vote Campaign" is a coalition of civil rights and civil liberties organizations

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