



Inauguration of the Mayor

Members of the City Council

City Judge



Saturday, December 17, 2011

10:00 a.m.

The Jacob Building at Historic Chilhowee Park



This is an exciting time for the City of Knoxville: a time of renewal and rediscovery, serious challenges and great opportunities. It is with a grateful heart that I take the Oath of Office as your Mayor.

I know that we can take the momentum of this day and carry it forward. As we gather, I pledge to meet challenges and opportunities with an unmatched enthusiasm – fueled by your trust and confidence.

I also look ahead to the tests that are before us, knowing that we will emerge stronger, better and wiser as a community for the lessons they will teach us.

Today, let us reflect on the power of our individual and collective actions to unite our city and build an even greater Knoxville for our children and grandchildren.

Thank you for this opportunity to serve our great city.

Madeline Rogero



MUSIC PRESENTED BY THE TENNESSEE SCHMALTZ BAND

Program

WELCOME

THE HONORABLE DANIEL T. BROWN
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF KNOXVILLE
MASTER OF CEREMONIES

INVOCATION

FATHER RAGAN D. SCHRIVER
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF EAST TENNESSEE

PRESENTATION OF COLORS

KNOXVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT HONOR GUARD

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 28005
GIRL SCOUTS OF THE SOUTHERN APPALACHIANS

NATIONAL ANTHEM

MARCUS L. WALKER, JR.

INTRODUCTION

THE HONORABLE DANIEL T. BROWN
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF KNOXVILLE
MASTER OF CEREMONIES

REMARKS

THE HONORABLE BILL HASLAM
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE

PRESENTATION OF
CITY JUDGE

THE HONORABLE JOHN R. ROSSON, JR.
OATH ADMINISTERED BY
THE HONORABLE THOMAS A. VARLAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

PRESENTATION OF
CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

THE HONORABLE GEORGE WALLACE
OATH ADMINISTERED BY
THE HONORABLE THOMAS A. VARLAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

THE HONORABLE MARSHALL STAIR
OATH ADMINISTERED BY
THE HONORABLE GEOFFREY EMERY
KNOX COUNTY SESSIONS COURT JUDGE

THE HONORABLE FINBARR SAUNDERS
OATH ADMINISTERED BY
THE HONORABLE MARY BETH LEIBOWITZ
KNOX COUNTY CRIMINAL COURT JUDGE

THE HONORABLE MARK CAMPEN
OATH ADMINISTERED BY
THE HONORABLE GEOFFREY EMERY
KNOX COUNTY SESSIONS COURT JUDGE

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PRESENTATION OF THE MAYOR OF
THE CITY OF KNOXVILLE

THE HONORABLE MADELINE ROGERO
OATH ADMINISTERED BY
THE HONORABLE SHARON LEE
TENNESSEE STATE SUPREME COURT JUSTICE

INAUGURAL ADDRESS

THE HONORABLE MADELINE ROGERO
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF KNOXVILLE

SPECIAL MUSIC

RONNI CHANDLER
"WHAT ABOUT THE CHILDREN?"

BENEDICTION

PASTOR HAROLD A. MIDDLEBROOK, SR.
CANAAN BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST

City Council Members

GEORGE WALLACE, AT-LARGE SEAT A

MARSHALL STAIR, AT-LARGE SEAT B

FINBARR SAUNDERS, AT-LARGE SEAT C

NICK PAVLIS, FIRST DISTRICT

DUANE GRIEVE, SECOND DISTRICT

BRENDA PALMER, THIRD DISTRICT

NICK DELLA VOLPE, FOURTH DISTRICT

MARK CAMPEN, FIFTH DISTRICT

DANIEL T. BROWN, SIXTH DISTRICT

WE THANK THE MEMBERS OF THE KNOXVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE
KNOXVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE INAUGURATION