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Mayor Jacobs to Speak About Masks, Renew Clinic, and Outside Fun

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.— During his Weekly Update, which will post about 3 p.m. today, Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs speaks about the local mask mandate, which he lifted on Wednesday.

"I would still like to remind everyone to remain diligent, exercise good personal hygiene, and follow public health guidelines," Mayor Jacobs says. "I also strongly encourage all of us to respect the choices our neighbors make. Whether you want to wear a mask or not, no one should be ridiculing or disrespecting someone who wants to do the opposite. And if a business wants to require masks, it's their choice and all of us need to respect that decision."

In addition, the Mayor touches on the recent opening of the Renew Clinic on Western Avenue.

And, he reminds folks that the county's splashpads open this Saturday.

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