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Mayor Jacobs Shares Suicide Prevention Resources in September

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.— Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs will observe National Suicide Prevention Month in September, increasing awareness and highlighting resources for those suffering from declining mental health.

Throughout September, mental health advocates, prevention organizations, survivors, and community members unite to promote suicide prevention awareness.

“We know people are struggling right now,” said Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs. “One of the things we can do spread the word about resources and opportunities for help and let folks know that no matter how bad it seems, they are not alone.”

Throughout September, Mayor Jacobs will share phone numbers people can contact anonymously for help, highlight actions to take to prevent suicide, and touch on warning signs and resources available to help during his weekly updates.

Mayor Jacobs has continually promoted suicide prevention initiatives, and his previous public service announcements addressing the issue can be found on the Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs YouTube channel.

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