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## Chamber's Business-to-Business Expo Promises to be a Success

**August 1, 2006** – The Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce's 5<sup>th</sup> annual Business-to-Business Expo will be held on Tuesday, August 8 in the Oak Ridge City Center's Conference Center from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. and is open to all Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce members.

The Business-to-Business Expo is a networking opportunity for Chamber members. Members have the opportunity to promote and educate other members about their businesses. Participants in past Expos report that they have seen business and sales growth as a result of their participation in the event. More than sixty companies and organizations will have information booths in the exhibit hall, located in the Crown Court.

Highlights of the Expo include:

- The Chamber Coffee sponsored by Tellico West Conference Center from 8:00–9:30 a.m. in the exhibit hall
- A luncheon, to be held from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. with guest speakers Russell Biven and Beth Haynes from WBIR TV's Live at Five
- Volunteers who surpassed their goals during the recent membership campaign will be announced and acknowledged during the luncheon
- A drawing for dozens of door prizes to be held at 3:00 p.m.

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According to Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce President, Parker Hardy, “This event has proven to be a successful networking event for Chamber members over the past several years. This year’s Expo appears to be no exception. We expect that our members will make valuable business contacts with one another.”

All activities, except the luncheon, are free. The luncheon is \$25 per person.

Limited exhibit space is still available for a fee of \$200. For more information, to learn more about exhibiting at the Expo or to reserve a seat at the luncheon, contact the Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce at 483-1321 or [www.orcc.org](http://www.orcc.org).

The Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce is a Four-Star Accredited Chamber of Commerce with approximately 700 members.

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