

# THE JACKSON AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



*“To develop and maintain an economic climate, which creates and retains jobs and enhances the quality of life for all citizens of Jackson/Madison County and West Tennessee.”*

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### **Ribbon cutting for U.S. Census Bureau office in Jackson**

JACKSON, TENN. — The U.S. Census Bureau office in Jackson will have an open house event from 10 a.m. to noon on Wednesday, January 13 at 1124 Whitehall St. The program is open to the public and will include a ribbon cutting.

The event will help promote the Census by reminding residents to complete and mail back their census forms, which will be sent out in March.

The U.S. Census counts every resident in the United States and is required by the Constitution to take place every 10 years. The 2010 Census will help communities receive more than \$400 billion in federal funds for things like schools, hospitals, job training centers, senior centers, emergency services, and road maintenance.

For more information, contact Tom Aud, Jackson’s local Census Bureau office manager, at (731) 256-3462.

**About the Chamber:** The Jackson Area Chamber of Commerce was founded in 1905 – seven years prior to the United States Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber consists of a diverse and talented staff, an executive committee, dedicated volunteers, and more than 1,350 business members – all committed to growing the economy and quality of life for everyone in Madison County and the region.

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