

the announcement Saturday morning at Volunteer Market #3 on Western Avenue.

"It's time somebody put Americans and Tennesseans first. They're sure not doing that in Washington," Burchett told the large crowd made up by elected officials, veterans, and citizens.

"It's time we bring our men and women home from the Middle East," he

the United States House of Representatives in Article 1 of the Constitution. The house was created before the Senate. It was created to represent the people, the farmers, the laborers, the small business owners - people we call blue collar workers. People who in 2017 go to work every day with their names on their shirts," Burchett told the supporters.

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Knox County Mayor Tim Burchett fist bumps a supporter following his announcement Saturday that he's running for U.S. Congress. A couple hundred supporters turn out for the event at Vol Market # 2 on Western Avenue.

Why are sidewalks so important to neighborhoods?

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The Metropolitan Planning Commission is urging both the city of Knoxville and Knox County to require sidewalks in any new subdivision development. Some developers are including sidewalks in the plans they present. The



School Board delays action on revising discipline policy

By Pete Gawda

After months of discussion on the topic of revising the board policy on misbehavior and disciplinary actions, the Knox County Board of Education, at their Monday evening work session, decided to delay any action at this time.

As a result of lengthy discussion, the board recognized that it would not be