

# TVA Economic Development

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### **Ray Knotts** General Manager, Technical Services

Ray Knotts is a native of Nashville, Tennessee. Since joining TVA in 1997, he has held positions in economic development and government relations. He currently serves as general manager of TVA Technical Services. In this role he oversees engineers and designers who provide a wide variety of services to expanding and relocating businesses as well as communities seeking to enhance their inventory of industrial sites.

Knotts previously served as a senior advisor, regional development manager, and project manager with TVA Economic Development. His responsibilities included designing programs and regional initiatives and working with numerous prospects and existing industries throughout the seven-state region.

Knotts also served as a communications specialist in TVA's Government Relations group, where he focused on strategic relationship building with government entities, trade associations, and other organizations.

A graduate of Belmont University, Knotts earned a bachelor's degree with majors in marketing and management. He resides in Nashville with his wife and three sons.

