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GENERA ENERGY WINS NAVIGATOR AWARD

(KNOXVILLE, TN)- Genera Energy, LLC, one of the nation's leaders in clean renewable energy based in Knoxville, Tennessee, is the recipient of The Innovation Valley Technology Council's Navigator Award for small innovative company.

Genera is one of five East Tennessee companies to receive the honor.

The Oak Ridge-based Innovation Valley Technology Council's mission is to build an interactive association of businesses and entrepreneurs that will drive the East Tennessee region's economy in the 21st century. The Tech Council is a resource organization interested in helping companies prosper and promoting the use of technology to meet their business needs. More than 250 businesses are currently associated with the Tech Council.

Genera Energy is a for-profit limited liability company wholly owned by the University of Tennessee Research Foundation. Genera provides a vehicle to leverage state and federal funding with private research and development investments, strategic partnerships and collaborations to further the research, economic development, and clean energy objectives of the state and the University of Tennessee. Genera focuses on developing integrated biomass supply chain solutions and strategic partnerships to support the bioenergy industry in Tennessee. Genera's portfolio of public-private clean energy projects includes biomass, biofuels and energy crops. For more information, visit <http://www.generaenergy.net>.

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