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Two armories being named for Guardsmen

NASHVILLE - National Guard armories in Livingston and Winchester will be dedicated Saturday, Nov. 1, in honor of two deceased members of the Tennessee Army National Guard.

The Livingston Armory will be officially named "SGT Wes Tucker National Guard Armory" honoring Robert Wesley Tucker, a 20-year-old Guardsman from the Hilham community who was killed Oct. 13, 2005, near Ad Dujayl, Iraq.

The Overton County soldier was serving with the 3rd Squadron, 278th Regimental Combat Team. Dedicatory remarks will be delivered by Maj. Gen. Gus Hargett, Tennessee Adjutant General, and ceremonies will begin promptly at 9 a.m. The Livingston Armory is located at 2029 Cookeville Highway.

The Winchester National Guard armory is being named in honor of the late Command Sgt. Maj. Otis W. Bauer, of Winchester, who joined the military in 1943 and served 40 years, all but four of which were with the Tennessee Army National Guard. He retired from the National Guard in 1984.

The Winchester Armory is located on 313 Wilton Circle. Ceremonies are scheduled to begin at 3 p.m. with dedicatory remarks by Brig. Gen. Max Haston, Assistant Adjutant General-Army.

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