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TENNESSEAN NAMES JW MARRIOTT NASHVILLE A WINNER OF THE MIDDLE TENNESSEE AREA TOP WORKPLACES 2022 AWARD

Luxury Hotel's Exceptional Service and Holistic Approach to Well-Being Benefit Both Guests and Staff

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE – JW Marriott Nashville, Nashville's first true luxury hotel brand has been awarded a Top Workplaces 2022 honor by The Tennessean Top Workplaces. The list is based solely on employee feedback gathered through a third-party survey administered by employee engagement technology partner [Energage](#), LLC. The anonymous survey uniquely measures 15 culture drivers that are critical to the success of any organization: including alignment, execution and connection, just to name a few.

"Companies need to authentically represent their brand to job-seekers," said Eric Rubino, Energage CEO. "The employee experience needs to be on the mission-critical list. Leaders who embrace a people-first culture will benefit greatly. By giving employees a voice and showcasing your authentic culture through employer branding, organizations can attract those job seekers who complement their culture. Culture drives performance."

Celebrating its fourth anniversary in July 2022, the JW Marriott Nashville has built a culture that provides Nashville a heightened level of guest experience. But employee feedback through the Energage survey and other resources reiterates that the staff experience is likewise elevated.

According to Fabrizio Calvo, general manager of the JW Marriott Nashville, "The JW brand is committed to well-being. But we extend that commitment beyond just our guests to also encourage connection, fulfillment, personal growth and career development within our employees. I am proud of the leadership team for providing the foundation for this culture, and I have the utmost respect for all members of our Nashville team for embracing it and living it wholeheartedly."

Calvo continued, "The hospitality industry has faced two incredibly challenging years, and industry members worldwide have navigated uncharted waters. It is even more meaningful for us to be recognized as a Top Workplace in Nashville now coming out of that challenging time because it reinforces that our company culture, beliefs and mission remained steadfast and that our employees felt engaged, rewarded and fulfilled."

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ABOUT JW MARRIOTT NASHVILLE

JW Marriott Nashville, Nashville's first true luxury hotel brand and a Marriott International "Hotel of the Year" award winner, offers the ideal location in the heart of downtown, adjacent to the state-of-the-art Music City Center. JW Marriott offers 533 guestrooms, inclusive of 37 suites, featuring stunning skyline views from floor-to-ceiling windows along with a broad array of amenities, including Nashville's top-rated restaurant and steakhouse, Bourbon Steak by Michelin Starred Chef Michael Mina. Offering a diverse setting for business, meeting

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and pleasure travel pursuits, the 33-story hotel features 77,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor function space, including a 15,000-sq. ft. Grand Ballroom, and 17,000- sq. ft. event lawn aptly named, The Green at JW. JW Marriott Nashville is conveniently situated within easy walking distance to Bridgestone Arena, Lower Broadway, Nissan Stadium, and the trendy Gulch neighborhood. Owned and operated by Turnberry Associates, JW Marriott Nashville is located at 201 8th Ave. South, Nashville, TN and officially opened its doors in July of 2018. To learn more, visit the official JW Marriott Nashville website marriott.com/BNAJW.com or follow the hotel on social media via Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

ABOUT JW MARRIOTT HOTELS & RESORTS

JW Marriott is part of Marriott International's luxury portfolio of brands and consists of beautiful properties and distinctive resort locations around the world. JW Marriott is a tribute to the founder of Marriott International, J. Willard "J.W." Marriott, who prioritized his own well-being so that he could take better care of others. Inspired by his approach to life and rooted in holistic well-being, JW Marriott properties offer a haven designed to allow guests to focus on feeling whole—present in mind, nourished in body, and revitalized in spirit—through programs and offerings that encourage them to come together and experience every moment to the fullest. Today there are more than 100 JW Marriott hotels in more than 35 countries and territories worldwide that cater to sophisticated, mindful travelers who come seeking experiences that help them be fully present, foster meaningful connections and feed the soul. Visit JW Marriott [online](#), and on [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#). JW Marriott is proud to participate in Marriott Bonvoy®, the global travel program from Marriott International. The program offers members an extraordinary portfolio of global brands, exclusive experiences on [Marriott Bonvoy Moments](#) and unparalleled benefits including free nights and Elite status recognition. To enroll for free or for more information about the program, visit marriottbonvoy.com.

ABOUT TURNBERRY

Turnberry is one of America's most dynamic real estate development groups with a fifty-year track record of creating destinations with its retail, hospitality, residential and commercial assets. The company portfolio includes the Aventura Mall, which comprises the world's most recognized brands, chef-driven restaurants, limited edition experiences and museum caliber public art and design enjoyed by almost 30 million people annually; and Destin Commons, a 500,000+ square foot lifestyle center in Northwest Florida. Under the leadership of Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Jackie Soffer, the company is collaborating with LeFrak to create Solé Mia, a 184-acre mixed use project in North Miami. Turnberry also owns and operates Town Center Aventura and an array of select services hotels like the Residence Inn by Marriott Aventura Mall and the Courtyard By Marriott Aventura. For more information, visit www.turnberry.com.

ABOUT ENERGAGE

Energage is a purpose-driven company that helps organizations turn employee feedback into useful business intelligence and credible employer recognition through Top Workplaces. Built on 14 years of culture research and the results from 23 million employees surveyed across more than 70,000 organizations, Energage delivers the most accurate competitive benchmark available. With access to a unique combination of patented analytic tools and expert guidance, Energage customers lead the competition with an engaged workforce and an opportunity to gain recognition for their people-first approach to culture. For more information or to nominate your organization, visit energage.com or topworkplaces.com.