Cherokee County School District

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date	Agenda Item Number
April 15, 2021	A-2

Title

Recognition of Cherokee County School District 2021 Partner of the Year and Volunteer of the Year

Requested Action

School Board Recognition of Cherokee County School District 2021 Partner of the Year and Volunteer of the Year

Summary Explanation and Background

The Cherokee County School District named the winners of its eighth annual CCSD Partner of the Year and Volunteer of the Year Awards.

While the traditional recognition ceremony could not be held this year, Superintendent of Schools Dr. Brian V. Hightower surprised the overall CCSD winners. For the first time in the awards' history, both winners are from the same school: Hasty Elementary School Fine Arts Academy in Canton. This year's winners are Revolution Church, CCSD 2021 Partner of the Year and Mary Ann Laughlin, CCSD 2021 Volunteer of the Year.

The annual program recognizes a Partner of the Year and a Volunteer of the Year for each individual school and center; the overall CCSD Partner of the Year and Volunteer of the Year are selected from that pool of candidates by a committee made up of retired educators. The awards are sponsored by the Cherokee County Educational Foundation; all winners receive a recognition plaque, and the CCSD winners receive engraved plaques. Every week, a different school Partner of the Year and Volunteer of the Year will be featured on CCSD's website and social media platforms.

Priority Area

Family, Partner and Community Engagement

Financial Impact

N/A

Exhibits: (List)

N/A

Source of Additional Information

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