Cherokee County School District

Agenda Request Form

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Title

Recognition of Cherokee County School District Teacher of the Year -- Chelsea Leming, Indian Knoll Elementary School

Requested Action

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Summary Explanation and Background

The Cherokee County School District recently saluted educators at the long-awaited 2021 Legacy Makers: CCSD Teachers of the Year Celebration.

The Legacy Makers event held at the Northside Hospital Cherokee Conference Center in Canton honored the Teacher of the Year for every CCSD school, including four finalists who were announced in February. Dr. Hightower opened an envelope at the event's conclusion to announce that Chelsea Leming, a fifth-grade teacher at Indian Knoll Elementary School, had been selected as the 2021 CCSD Teacher of the Year!

“Chelsea is a visionary who puts so much care into teaching and making connections,” Dr. Hightower said, noting her leadership in promoting social and emotional learning programs at her school. “She makes me proud to serve as her Superintendent.”

The Finalists and CCSD Teacher of the Year are selected by a panel of community leaders who evaluate applications from each school's Teacher of the Year; school winners are selected by their peers.

The dinner, and the long list of gifts presented to the honorees, all were made possible thanks to the generosity of sponsor donations including Presenting Sponsors: Cherokee County Educational Foundation, Credit Union of Georgia, Northside Hospital Cherokee and Shottenkirk Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep and Ram of Canton.

Priority Area

Quality Workforce

Financial Impact

N/A

Exhibits: (List)

N/A

Source of Additional Information

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