Cherokee County School District

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date	Agenda Item Number
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Title

Recognition of Boston Elementary School and Little River Elementary School -- Winners of the National PTA School of Excellence Award

Requested Action

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Summary Explanation and Background

Two Cherokee County School District schools have been honored by the National PTA for excellence!

Boston Elementary School and Little River Elementary School were recently named winners of the National PTA School of Excellence award, a two-year title that recognizes outstanding partnerships between local PTAs and schools "to build an inclusive and welcoming school-community where all families contribute to enriching the educational experience and overall well-being for all students."

They are among only 242 schools nationwide and only 12 schools from Georgia honored with this recognition. To be considered for this honor, a school and its PTA unit must commit to working together to set and meet goals for improving family engagement.

The Boston ES PTA is led by President Adam Hapeman; Meredith Combs and Brandy Sherrane serve as co-presidents for the Little River ES PTA. The schools are led by Boston ES Principal Valerie Lowery and Little River ES Principal Matt Freedman.

Boston ES and Little River ES each will receive a banner to display celebrating this national recognition.

Priority Area

Family, Partner and Community Engagement; Positive Culture and Climate; Quality Workforce

Financial Impact

N/A

Exhibits: (List)

N/A

Source of Additional Information

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