Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date	Agenda Item Number
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Title

Recognition of Cherokee County School District Employees and Volunteers Honored by the PTA with State Awards

Requested Action

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Summary Explanation and Background

The Georgia PTA at its annual convention recognized outstanding PTA volunteers and school district employees from across the state, with several top honors presented to Cherokee County winners.

The Georgia PTA Outstanding Nurse Award, which honors school nurses for going above and beyond, was presented to Jenny Juneghani of Hickory Flat ES for Elementary School, more than 750 students and to Ayn McLaurin of Mill Creek MS for Middle School. They previously had earned this honor for Georgia PTA District 13.

The top state honor for PTA units, Outstanding Local Unit, recognizes success in all areas. Clark Creek ES STEM Academy PTA won for Elementary School, more than 750 students; and Woodstock HS PTSA won for High School. Both Woodstock HS and River Ridge HS also were formally recognized for earning National PTA School of Excellence honors in 2021; the recognition is for two years.

Two CCSD school PTAs earned state-level Hearst Family-School Partnership awards, which honor excellence in bringing the school and community together to support student success. Little River ES PTA was recognized for the area of Speaking up for Every Child, and R.M. Moore ES STEM Academy PTA was recognized for Communicating Effectively.

The Cherokee County Council PTA, which encompasses all of CCSD's school PTA Units, earned the top statewide honor of Georgia Outstanding Council PTA.

Priority Area

Family, Partner and Community Engagement; Positive Culture and Climate

Financial Impact

N/A

Exhibits: (List)

N/A

Source of Additional Information

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