

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date	Agenda Item Number
September 17, 2026	Action Item 1

Title
Proclamation in Honor of Constitution Week

Requested Action
School Board Approval of Proclamation in Honor of Constitution Week

Summary Explanation and Background
In honor of the 239th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America, the Cherokee County School Board is issuing a proclamation in honor of Constitution Week. The aims of the Constitution Week celebration are to: • Emphasize citizens' responsibilities for protecting and defending the Constitution. • Inform people that the Constitution is the basis for America's great heritage and the foundation for our way of life. • Encourage the study of the historical events which led to the framing of the Constitution in September 1787. Constitution Day is September 17. Schools have planned activities for students to participate in during the week of Sept. 14-17 to honor Constitution Day.

Financial Impact
N/A

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Constitution Week 2026

Whereas, September 17, 2026 marks the two hundred and thirty-ninth anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper to officially recognize this magnificent document and the anniversary of its creation; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper to officially recognize the patriotic celebrations which will commemorate the occasion; and

Whereas, public law 915 guarantees the issuing of a proclamation each year by the President of the United States of America designating September 17 through 23 as Constitution Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Cherokee County School Board, do hereby proclaim September 17 through 23, 2026 to be Constitution Week, and ask our citizens to reaffirm the ideals the Framers of the Constitution had in 1787.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Cherokee County School District to be affixed this on this seventeenth day of September in the year two thousand twenty-six.

Janet Read Welch
School Board Chair

Mary Elizabeth Davis, PhD
Superintendent of Schools