

# Agenda Request Form

## Cherokee County School District

<b>Meeting Date</b>
August 17, 2017

<b>Agenda Item Number</b>
A-4

<b>Title</b>
Recognition of Eight CCSD Schools Named 2017 National Beta Schools of Merit
<b>Requested Action</b>
School Board Recognition of Eight CCSD Schools Named 2017 National Beta Schools of Merit
<b>Summary Explanation and Background</b>
<p>Cherokee, Creekview and Sequoyah High Schools and Creekland, Dean Rusk, E.T. Booth, Freedom and Mill Creek Middle Schools earned this recognition by supporting the youth service organization on their campuses.</p> <p>National Beta Club, which is the largest nonprofit educational youth organization in the nation, includes Senior clubs for students in grades 9-12 and Junior clubs for students in grades 4-8. Its mission is “to promote the ideals of academic achievement, character, service and leadership among elementary and secondary school students.” The Schools of Merit honor recognizes schools' “dedication to academic excellence, leadership development and commitment to celebrating students' achievements,” according to Bob Bright, chief executive officer of the National Beta Club. The schools were recently recognized at the 2017 National Beta Convention in Orlando, Fla.</p> <p>BETA Club Sponsors: Cherokee HS: Alison Hendrix; Creekview HS: Sara Torbert and Kellie Shugart; Sequoyah HS: Elaine Dasher and Cathy Murphy; Creekland MS: Liesl New, Claudia Penland, Elizabeth Reece and Shelley Anderson; Dean Rusk MS: Misty Harper, Jennifer Jones, Amy Wallace, LaTease Drawdy, Amanda Coleman, Andrew Carwil and Jacob Pendergraft; E.T. Booth MS: Jason Yelton; Freedom MS: Stacy Gerker, Mitzi Killian and Brandi Shook; and Mill Creek MS: Miranda Gopen, Heather Hendrix and Marianela Curbelo.</p>
<b>Major System Priority</b>
Student Achievement
<b>Financial Impact</b>
N/A
<b>Exhibits: (List)</b>
N/A

<b>Board Action</b>
<i>(For Official School Board Records Only)</i>

<b>Source of Additional Information</b>	
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Approved in Open Board Meeting on: \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

By: \_\_\_\_\_ (School Board Chairman)