

# Agenda Request Form

## Cherokee County School District

Meeting Date
September 14, 2017

Agenda Item Number
A-8

Title
Proclamation in Honor of Constitution Week
Requested Action
Approval of Proclamation in Honor of Constitution Week
Summary Explanation and Background
<p>In honor of the 230th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America, and to comply with federal law in this regard, the Cherokee County School Board is issuing a proclamation in honor of Constitution Week, which is observed during the week of September 17 - 23 each year.</p> <p>[From www.dar.org] The aims of the Constitution Week celebration are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emphasize citizens' responsibilities for protecting and defending the Constitution.</li> <li>• Inform people that the Constitution is the basis for America's great heritage and the foundation for our way of life.</li> <li>• Encourage the study of the historical events which led to the framing of the Constitution in September 1787.</li> </ul> <p>As Fall Break coincides with the National observance, CCSD will observe Constitution Day on Sept. 15, and teachers are encouraged to plan activities for the week of September 11 - 15.</p>
Major System Priority
Increasing Parental and Community Involvement
Financial Impact
N/A
Exhibits: (List)
Proclamation in Honor of Constitution Week

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

Source of Additional Information				
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### OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Approved in Open Board Meeting on: \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

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

# Constitution Week 2017

*Whereas*, September 17, 2017 marks the two hundred and thirtieth 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, 2017 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 on this first day of September in the year two thousand seventeen.

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Kyla Cromer, School Board Chair

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Dr. Brian V. Hightower, Superintendent of Schools