

Agenda Request Form

Cherokee County School District

Meeting Date
April 18, 2019

Agenda Item Number
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Title
Recognition of Cherokee High School Sophomore Rebekah Seng as Congressional Award Silver Medal Recipient
Requested Action
School Board Recognition of Cherokee High School Sophomore Rebekah Seng as Congressional Award Silver Medal Recipient
Summary Explanation and Background
<p>Cherokee High School sophomore Rebekah Seng, who is a member of the JROTC program at Cherokee HS, is one of only 638 students to qualify for the medal in the United States this year, with only 10 recipients in Georgia.</p> <p>Rebekah earned the Bronze medal last year, and is on track to complete the Gold medal requirements this spring. JROTC Retired Colonel Eddy Stanfill is Rebekah's advisor for the awards.</p> <p>The Congressional Award is the highest voluntary award from the United States Congress that a U.S. teenager can earn; the medals are awarded at the bronze, silver and gold levels. The Congressional Award Silver Medal requires 100 hours of documented activity in Physical Fitness, 100 hours of documented time in Personal Development (learning something new), and 200 documented hours of Volunteer Service to an organization(s) that serves the greater community. In addition, applicants must complete a minimum three-day exploration/expedition activity that is completely planned and carried out by the applicant.</p> <p>The Award was presented to Rebekah by the Office of Georgia Congressman Barry Loudermilk.</p>
Major System Priority
Increasing Student Achievement
Financial Impact
N/A
Exhibits: (List)
N/A

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

Source of Additional Information				
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Approved in Open Board Meeting on: _____ (Date)

By: _____ (School Board Chairman)