

Agenda Request Form

Cherokee County School District

Meeting Date
October 18, 2018

Agenda Item Number
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Title
Recognition of Sequoyah High School Teacher Matt Bartula as Winner of the 2018 Yale Educator Award
Requested Action
School Board Recognition of Sequoyah High School Teacher Matt Bartula as Winner of the 2018 Yale Educator Award
Summary Explanation and Background
<p>Matt Bartula of Sequoyah High School has won the 2018 Yale Educator Award - one of only 59 teachers worldwide to be honored.</p> <p>The Award recognizes outstanding educators from around the world “who support and inspire their students to perform at high levels and to achieve excellence long before they attend Yale,” according to the University.</p> <p>Nearly 400 nominations were submitted by students entering Yale's Class of 2022; a University committee reviewed each nomination to select honorees. Mr. Bartula, who began teaching 20 years ago, was nominated by Yale freshman and Class of 2018 Sequoyah High School graduate Caleb Crayton.</p> <p>Mr. Bartula teaches Advanced Placement (AP) World History and AP Human Geography, and was named the school's Teacher of the Year in 2015. An accomplished speech and debate coach, Mr. Bartula has led the school's team to national recognition.</p>
Major System Priority
Increasing Accountability
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)

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