

Agenda Request Form

Cherokee County School District

Meeting Date
July 18, 2019

Agenda Item Number
H-2

Title
School Board Attorney's Recommended Plan for SY2019-20 Local School Board Governance Training
Requested Action
School Board Consideration for Approval of School Board Attorney's Recommended Plan for SY2019-20 Local School Board Governance Training
Summary Explanation and Background
<p>The State Board of Education (SBOE) has adopted governance standards for local boards as the basis for local school board member training. Per SBOE Rules, approve Training Providers will annually conduct local school board member training utilizing curricula aligned with SBOE governance standards for local boards and which meet identified areas for improvement as submitted in local boards' training program.</p> <p>The School Board Attorney, a SBOE-approved Training Provider, has developed the proposed plan (attached) for SY2019-20 Local School Board Governance Training in accordance with State requirements. All required training will be concluded by June 30, 2020.</p>
Major System Priority
Increasing Accountability
Financial Impact
N/A
Exhibits: (List)
Local Board Training Plan

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

Source of Additional Information
Tom Roach, School Board Attorney 770.479.1406

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Approved in Open Board Meeting on: _____ (Date)

By: _____ (School Board Chairman)



Richard Woods, Georgia's School Superintendent
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Local Board Training Plan for individual board member training and whole board training resulting from an assessment identifying areas of board governance improvement.

**Cherokee County Board of Education
 (System)**

Date of approval: _____

Please remit by email to: mcardoz@doe.k12.ga.us

Board Member/ Whole Board Training	Approved Training Course(s)* and Planning Date of Completion
1. Three (3) hours of “Whole Board Training” to include all members of the Board of Education and the Superintendent of Schools	Conducted by SDOE approved trainers Thomas A. Roach, Jr., Linwood Gunn and other staff at Roach, Caudill & Gunn, LLP (RCG). Training is tentatively scheduled to occur during the School Board’s Annual Retreat on February 7 & 8, 2020.
2. Six (6) additional hours annual training.	Conducted in conjunction with Whole Board training by RCG and North Georgia RESA (NGRESA) Executive Director Dr. Sam DePaul. These sessions will be accomplished at the School Board’s Annual Retreat and additional hour-long trainings during the course of the school year. Additionally, school board members may access Georgia School Board (GSBA) events or online training opportunities.
3. Zero (0) additional hours required during SY2019-20 for New Board member Training.	
	All training will be concluded by June 30, 2020.
Whole Board Training	
Local Orientation for new member(s)	

*Required annual training: new board member = total 15 hours and veteran board members = total 9 hours; whole board governance team training of 3 hours included in total hours above. To receive required training credit hours, all training sessions must be conducted by a State Board of Education approved “training provider.”