	AGENDA ITEM 3
BOARD OF TRUSTEES AGENDA	
Workshop X Regular	Special
(A) X Report Only	Recognition
Presenter(s): SAMUEL MIJARES, ASST. SUPT. for C &	I
Briefly describe the subject of the report or recognition presenta	ation.
RECOGNITION OF ROBERT E. LEE PRINCIPAL BLANCA MUZQUI THE 2015 STATEWIDE H.E.B. EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION AWA	Z, SEMI-FINALIST OF RD.
(B) Action Item	
Presenter(s):	
Briefly describe the subject of the report or recognition presentation.	
(C) Funding Source: Identify the course of funds if any are required	
(D) Clarification: Explain any question or issues that might be raised r	regarding this item.

04-14-15

## Memorandum

To: Gilberto Gonzalez, Superintendent

From: Blanca E. Múzquiz, principal

Date: 4/1/15

Re: Recognition Awards

Mr. Gonzalez, Robert E. Lee is proud to announce the following recognition awards:

- REBEL Starlets Dance Team win first place in youth jazz and won a banner for best dance turns. Solo performances by Mia Lopez who placed first in mini lyrical dance, Megan Rodriguez who placed second in youth jazz, Nora Martinez who placed fourth in Hip-Hop, Alyssa Rodriguez who placed third in youth lyrical and Romina Garcia who placed first in junior jazz. The dance team is under the direction of Veronica Rodriguez and dance trainers Lluvia Gomez and Stephanie Clark.
- Campus Hero Award presented to Mr. Ricardo Flores from REBEL Student Council for informing the student body about drugs and danger and for teaching us about right and wrong and for being a good role model.
- Vanessa Gonzalez, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade Teacher 2015 Statewide SemiFinalist H.E.B. Excellence in Education Awards
- Blanca E. Múzquiz, Principal 2014 & 2015 Statewide SemiFinalist H.E.B. Excellence in Education Awards

We would like to recognize the groups at the April Board Meeting if possible. Thanking you in advance for your consideration.



Dear Principal,

Congratulations! You were selected as a Semi-Finalist during the preliminary judging of the 2015 H-E-B Excellence in Education Awards.

We received more than 900 applications from educators all over Texas and our judges definitely had their work cut out for them in narrowing the field. Of those applications, 150 teachers, 50 principals, 14 districts, 20 early childhood providers and 11 school boards were selected as Semi-Finalists and went on to compete in the Regional judging process. Obviously, our readers were very impressed by your written comments and your extensive professional accomplishments.

The 40 Teacher and Principal Finalists were announced through surprise school visits that started the week of February 16th. In our minds, however, you are all winners and so are your students.

We sincerely appreciate your participation in this program and enclosed is a certificate signed by our Chairman, Charles Butt, for you to keep for your records. You will also find \$500 in H-E-B Gift Cards, a small token of our gratitude for all that you do each and every day to inspire and enlighten young minds. You are helping to shape the future of Texas and we thank you for your passion and your dedication. You are an inspiration to us all.

Sincerely, ynoled)

Jill Réynolds H-E-B Public Affairs Manager



## **CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION** H-E-B is proud to honor

<u>Blanca Muzquiz</u>

as a Statewide Semi-Finalist in the

## 2015 H-E-B Excellence in Education Awards

Congratulations and thanks for all you do each day to enrich the lives of Texas Students.

"I am not a teacher. I am an awakener." -Robert Frost

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Charles Butt, Chairman and CEC