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Exhibit 1

To: Dr. Karla Guseman
From: Mrs. Tecara Parker
Date: April 29, 2025
Subject: May Board Recognition – West

The following students will be included in the Board Agenda for recognition at the Tuesday, May 20th Board of Education Meeting:

Will County Clerk's Office Student Ambassador and Election Judge Program Election Day participants:

Grace Abbott - Student Election Judge
Wonder Ankamah - Student Election Judge
Ethan Apostolovski - Student Election Night Worker
Alayna Ardaugh - Student Election Judge
Anthony Askew - Student Election Judge
Maddison Bannon - Student Election Judge
Angela Beatriz - Student Election Judge
Jaylyn Brown - Student Election Judge
Yenkhua Bui - Student Election Judge & Election Night Worker
Leslie Combs - Student Election Judge
Nathaly Cordoba Castillo - Student Election Judge
Kylie Daniels - Student Election Judge
Emily Diaz - Student Election Judge
Lino Gandara - Student Election Judge
Marisol Garcia - Student Election Judge
Yarecsi Garcia - Student Election Judge
James Gibson - Student Election Judge
Tayler Greenwood - Student Election Judge
Henry Harch - Student Election Judge & Election Night Worker
Trent Hughey - Student Election Judge
Diana Jauregui - Student Election Judge
LeeAnn Jones-Scott - Student Election Judge
Cara Konieczny - Student Election Judge
Ava Marie Laurendi - Student Election Judge
Khristian Lestz - Student Election Judge
Rebecca Lopez - Student Election Judge

Sariana Mateo - Student Election Judge
Noelle McLendon - Student Election Judge
Ashley Morales Bautista - Student Election Judge
Kameron Moreno - Student Election Judge
Janae Muhammad - Student Election Judge
Sly Nana - Student Election Judge
Sophia Nguyen - Student Election Judge & Election Night Worker
Brianna Ocampo - Student Election Judge
Wyatt O'Connor - Student Election Judge
Natalia Olivo Cruz - Student Election Judge
Grace Orth - Student Election Judge
Gabriel Orth - Student Election Judge
Jada Osei-Addo - Student Election Judge
Kevin Pantoja - Student Election Judge
Leangheng Peng - Student Election Judge
Olivia Pruitt - Student Election Judge
Jera Purchase - Student Election Judge
Gavin Rodriguez - Student Election Judge
Iris Thammavongsa - Student Election Judge & Election Night Worker
Zoila Torres - Student Election Judge



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Exhibit 2

To: Dr. Karla Guseman
From: Dr. Brett Marcum
Date: April 29, 2025
Subject: May Board Recognition – West

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IHSA Individual State Journalism – 1st Place Journalism – Advertising

Eli Pearson

Jennifer Galloy, Advisor/Sponsor



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Exhibit 3

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Karla Guseman
Superintendent

SUBJECT: 2024-2025 Student Advisory Committee

DATE: May 5, 2025

I would like to recognize the following students for being a part of the 2024-2025 Student Advisory Committee.

Daniel Bautista	Lydia Pitts
Paul Coffey	Autumn Powell
Justin Crawford	Melissa Ramos
Zoe Diaz Paredes	Abigal Schreiner
Tristan Duarte	Natalie Schuster
Alexa Encarnacion	Jordan Shell
Gianny Flores	Breidy Vazquez Lopez
Jayden Flores	Gabriel Villanueva
Lino Gandara	Haylee Wright
Emmanuel Guzman	Ernesto Zavala
Hellyne Hammer	Juan Zavala
Brynn Hertzmann	
Layla Howard	
Javian Jaramillo-Rivera	
Erick-Isai Jolomna	
Isabel Juarez	
Jesus Lara Soto	
Camila Leal	
Isac Lozano	
Bhodi Magennis	
Noah Magnuson	
Adam Martinez	
Lily McDougal	
Ana Moreno	
Grace Orth	
Nathaniel Palacios	

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Memo



Exhibit 4

To: Dr. Karla Guseman
From: Patrick O'Neill
Date: 5/20/2025
Re: Recognition of John Hall and Will County Workforce

On behalf of Joliet Township High School District 204, I would like to formally recognize and express our sincere appreciation for John Hall and the Workforce Services Division of Will County for their outstanding support and collaboration throughout the 2024-2025 school year.

Mr. Hall played a critical role in organizing and delivering impactful job fairs at both of our Community Connections events held this year. These events provided invaluable career exploration opportunities for students and families, and significantly contributed to our mission of preparing all students for post-secondary success. His leadership, commitment to community partnership, and dedication to serving the community of Joliet reflect the highest standards of public service.

We are grateful for the Workforce Services Division's continued partnership and commend John Hall for his unwavering support of our district's goals. His efforts have strengthened the bridge between education and employment, and we look forward to continuing this vital collaboration in the years ahead.

Please join me in publicly honoring Mr. Hall and the Workforce Services Division of Will County for their service to the students and families of JTHS 204.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "P. O'Neill". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.



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Exhibit 5

To: Dr. Karla Guseman

From: Mr. Shad Hallihan

Date: May 5, 2025

Subject: May Board Recognition – Central

Please include the following students in the Board Agenda for recognition at the Tuesday, May 20, Board of Education Meeting:

Will County Clerk's Office Student Ambassador and Election Judge Program

Jayce Carmine – Student Election Judge

Brody Walsh – Student Election Judge

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Exhibit 6

To: Dr. Karla Guseman

From: Mr. Chris McGuffey

Date: May 1, 2025

Subject: May Board Recognition – Student recognition for TREP safety poster contest recipients

Recognition for the following Joliet Central and Joliet West students for their outstanding achievement in the Three Rivers Education Partnership (TREP) Safety poster contest:

Congratulations to Joliet Central Student under the direction of Mr. Donovan Smith:

- Maiya Ellis (1st Place)
- Javion Davis
- Molly Nelson
- Emily Mejia

Congratulations to Joliet West students under the direction of Mr. Awais Arain & Ms. Breanna Blackmon:

- Katelyn Aguilar (Grand Prize)
- Lilia Barbosa
- Koral Flammang
- Sean Hogan
- Paulina Diaz
- David Giambagli
- Perla Hermosillo
- Sophia Sotelo
- Sofie Talarico
- Alerianis Del Valle Tamoy Zurita
- Dayana Zamudio
- Chloe Martin
- Katterine Moreno
- Isabella Renteria
- Erika Diaz
- Ava Hrvatin
- Makeyah Carter
- Javier Cruz
- Stephanie Ceballos
- Jacob Forsythe

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- Imani Herring
- Jasmine Murillo
- Lizabeth Garcia-Romagani
- Caitlin Jadron
- Gabriela Sanchez

All posters selected for recognition will be published with the student name, school, and award type, as well as, published online for electronic download. Additionally, the student will receive the printed poster, a certificate and a monetary prize.



Chris McGuffey

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To: Dr. Karla Guseman

Exhibit 7

From: Mr. Chris McGuffey

Date: May 2, 2025

Subject: May Board Recognition – Student recognition for IDEA drafting state competition

I would like to recognize the following Joliet Central students for their outstanding achievement in drafting at the Illinois Design Educators Association (IDEA) annual state championship at Illinois State University.

Congratulations to:

- Ellen Munoz (3rd Place at Regional in 3D CAD Modeling)
- Juan Rociles (3rd Place at Regional in 2D Machine CAD)
- Atlas Richey (1st Place at Regional in Intro to CAD and a State Competitor)
- Ozziel Lara (2nd Place at Regional and 2nd Place at State in 3D Machine CAD)



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Exhibit 8

To: Dr. Karla Guseman

From: Mr. Chris McGuffey

Date: May 2, 2025

Subject: May Board Recognition Central – Student recognition for SkillsUSA

Twenty-Seven CTE students from Joliet Central High School offered to test their leadership and work skills in the SkillsUSA Co-curricular Student Organization for the 24-25 school year. These students stand among their peers as tested career ready leaders. During regular after school meetings with their SkillsUSA chapter organization, these students practice their skills and plan fundraising opportunities to support their participation in the SkillsUSA events.

I would like to recognize the following students for their outstanding achievement at the following SkillsUSA events:

Regional Qualifying Event

Jaris Alvizo Velazquez

Cristian Bernal

Giovanni Buchelly

Omar Hernandez

Jasmine Martinez

Angela Montoya Aguillon

Leo Smith

State Championship Event

Elizabeth Arriaga

Fynn Bernhard

Ivan Castro

Liliana Chaparro

Mayrin Diaz - Rios

Nathaniel Gabriel

Giovanni Gonzalez

Sofia Hoyos

Adan Martinez

Riley Moon

Ellen Munoz

Brandon Perez

Camden Rande

Romeo Rojas

Isabella Sandoval

Alex Valencia

Mitchell Widlak

State Champion

Ozziel Lara

Juan Rociles Alvarado

Tyler Rolenc



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Thank you to the CTE Lead sponsors who helped prepare these students:
Mr. Ben Deuerling, Mr. Dale West, & Ms. Jessica-Christine Gunia



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