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MEMORANDUM

TO: Randolph County Board of Education
Dr. Stephen Gainey, Superintendent

FROM: Tim Moody, Public Information Officer

DATE: May 21, 2018

RE: Outstanding Secondary Math Teacher of the Year

Congratulations to Holly Grissom, 6th grade teacher at Braxton Craven School, for being selected as the "Outstanding Secondary Math Teacher of the Year" for the Randolph County School System.

The importance of mathematics instruction in our schools can not be overestimated. To emphasize this reality, the North Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCCTM) and the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction (NCDPI) strive to recognize and reward secondary school teachers who exemplify mathematics teaching excellence by nurturing students' enthusiasm through involvement with special projects and activities to supplement and enhance everyday classroom experiences. This recognition identifies teachers who succeed in motivating students to excel in mathematics.

Due to her receipt of this award, Ms. Grissom will receive a one-year membership in NCCTM, a personalized award, and recognition at the NCCTM State Conference in Greensboro. In addition, her name will appear in the Fall 2018 issue of the NCCTM journal, the *Centroid*. Furthermore, her name will be listed on the NCCTM website and the NCDPI website.