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GPSD Named National Beta District of Distinction

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GREENVILLE, MS – – National Beta is proud to announce the Greenville Public School District as a 2020-2021 National District of Distinction. This award is given to those deserving districts who offer National Beta in all schools in their district, and who induct qualifying students in all eligible grades (4-12). GPSD is one of only 24 districts to receive this award nationwide.

Through the exceptional efforts of Superintendent Dr. Debra Dace, club sponsors and deserving Beta members, GPSD has flourished since the district's initial Beta charter. This national award speaks highly of GPSD's commitment to academic excellence, leadership development and service involvement, and illustrates their dedication to preparing students for college, and career readiness. The students in their district understand the importance of these qualities and exemplify the Beta motto, *Let Us Lead by Serving Others*.

GPSD Superintendent Dr. Debra Dace was thrilled to receive the news of a national recognition for the students, staff, and supporters of Greenville Public Schools.

"The fact that our district has been named as a National Beta District of Distinction speaks volumes and very highly of our commitment to excellence for all. We have some of the best and brightest students in GPSD. This national recognition is an example of the progress we have made thus far, and shows that we are making a positive impact in the lives of our children as we continue to move our district forward."

Award recipients received a ***National Beta District of Distinction*** award to proudly display at their district office. In addition, ***National Beta District of Distinction*** principals received a plaque to display at their school.

About National Beta: National Beta is the largest independent, non-profit, educational youth organization in America. Since its beginnings in 1934, National Beta has been committed to providing students with a positive experience in a supportive manner in grades 4-12. The organization recognizes outstanding achievement, promotes character and social responsibility, encourages service involvement to school and community, and fosters leadership skills. For more information about National Beta, visit betaclub.org

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Greenville Public School District services 4000-plus students in grades Pre-K (4) through 12th grade. INFO: (662) 334-7013.

