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MEMO

TO: **Bullitt County Board of Education**

CC: Ange Burnett

From: Kali Ervin

Date: January 8, 2024

Re: January 22nd Board of Education Meeting Staff Recognition: National Federation of High Schools

23-24 KY Outstanding Speech and Debate Educator

Recently, Mr. Woody Zorn of Hebron Middle School was named the 2023-2024 Kentucky Outstanding Speech and Debate Educator by the National Federation of High Schools. He received this honor for all the outstanding work he does to support our students and for his significant and on-going contributions to the field in both curricular and co-curricular service.

Mr. Zorn is the current Chair of the Board of Directors of the Kentucky High School Speech League, and has been voted the KHSSL State Coach of the Year award three times previously. His team at Hebron Middle Hebron Middle regularly places in the top five at the state tournament. He has also helped found speech/debate teams not only at Hebron but also at Bullitt County Schools' high schools North Bullitt, Bullitt Central, and Bullitt East.

Congratulations, Mr. Zorn!

