

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY
INFORMATIONAL REPORT

DECISION ON SCHOOL/ORGANIZATION SPONSORED PROJECT
CHURCHVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
KATHY FIELDER LITTLE FREE LIBRARY TRIBUTE PLAQUE

SEPTEMBER 14, 2020

Background Information:

The members of Boy Scout Troop 4513 are requesting approval to construct and install a Little Free Library, to include a tribute plaque, in honor of long-time Churchville librarian, Mrs. Kathy Fielder, on the grounds of Churchville Elementary School.

The tribute plaque is being proposed per policy # 20-0043-000, *Memorials on School Grounds*. On April 8, 2013, the Board of Education of Harford County adopted policy #20-0043-000, which identifies the criteria relative to such memorials. The plaque has been approved by the Superintendent and requires the approval of the Board.

Discussion:

The tribute plaque will be donated by Boy Scout Troop 4513. A proof of the proposed plaque is provided for reference. It is a simple metal plate that will be attached to the library above the door.

The request for a memorial on school grounds, has been endorsed by the school principal, the Executive Director of Curriculum and Assessment, and the Executive Director of Elementary Education, and approved by the Superintendent.

The required documentation has been submitted, reviewed, and approved by the appropriate school system staff, with comments through the Assistant Superintendent for Operations, as required by school system procedures.

Superintendent's Recommendation:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends that the Board of Education approve the request to attach a tribute plaque on the Little Free Library, in memory of Mrs. Kathy Fielder on the campus of Churchville Elementary School. The estimated cost for this project is \$240.00.

In Memory of
Kathy Fielder
38 Years CES Librarian



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