

Proclamation

WVARSE/BCARSE Week: October 4-8, 2021

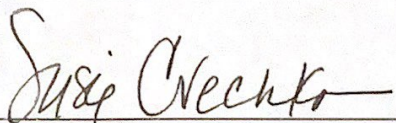
Whereas, the West Virginia Association of Retired School Employees (WVARSE) and the Barbour County Association of Retired School Employees (BCARSE) were both founded in 1957 as autonomous and self-governing volunteer organizations that are dedicated to including, supporting and promoting the welfare and needs of all state and county school employees;

Whereas, WVARSE represents more than 30,000 retirees and is the only organization in the state of West Virginia that represents all retired school employees;

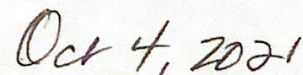
Whereas, WVARSE supports multiple Barbour County, state and national organizations in their efforts to advance education;

Whereas, members of WVARSE contributed more than 1.5 million volunteer hours, valued at some \$34,000,000, to the State of West Virginia during the year of 2020-21;

Therefore, I, Susie Cvechko, to commemorate the local organization's service to the community, do hereby, on behalf of and as the President of the Barbour County Commission, proclaim that the week of October 4-8, 2021 be recognized as "WVARSE/BCARSE Month" in Barbour County, West Virginia.



Signature



Date