CHEROKEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Residency Affidavit for Property Owners/Property Managers

I: **Ownership/Management Declaration**

Street/Apt.#	City	Zip Code
Telephone Number)	(Subdivision/Apt. Complex/Mobile Home Park)	
Rental/Occupancy Declaration		
□ I currently rent/lease that residence to the follo	•	
	(name)	
OR		
OR I currently allow the following to occupy that r	esidence:	

III. **Property Declaration:**

- (A) Parcel Number of Residence:
- (B) Tax Map Page Number (if available):

(three digit number) (combination of six digits/letters)

This information can be documented by (a) owner's current tax bill; (b) the property purchase/closing information (if the residence has been built/purchased prior to the publication of this year's property tax bills); or (c) by accessing the Tax Assessor's database located on the Cherokee County website at http://www.cherokeega.com, or by proceeding directly to the database at http://www.cherokeega.com/ccweb/departments/assessor/.

IV. **Additional Declarations**

I understand:

II.

- 1) all the facts contained herein are based upon my personal knowledge and are true and correct.
- 2) this affidavit is only applicable for this school year.
- 3) I have reviewed the residency requirements included in the School Admissions Policy (JBC) included on the back of this affidavit.
- 4) that representatives of the Cherokee County School District may verify my property information to establish residency of said renters/occupants.
- 5) that representatives of the Cherokee County School District may visit said renters/occupants at the address set forth above to verify the contents of this affidavit.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME,			
THIS THE	DAY OF	, 20	
Notary Public			

UNDER PENALTY OF LAW (O.C.G.A. § 16-10-71), I SWEAR THAT THE INFORMATION GIVEN ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

THIS THE DAY OF . 20

Property Owner/Manager

SCHOOL USE ONLY

RESIDENCY INFO

Tax Map Page Number

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CHEROKEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT Proof of Residency Guidelines

(A) The following are the "Residency Requirements" that are a part of the Cherokee County School District's School Admissions Policy (JBC):

Residency:

To obtain enrollment in the Cherokee County School District, students must reside in the county with their natural parent(s), or court-approved legal guardian(s). Students and their parent(s)/guardian(s) must remain residents of the county for the entire period of enrollment in the School District. For enrollment purposes, a resident is defined as an individual who is a full-time occupant of a dwelling located within the county and who, on any given school day, is likely to be at their stated address when not at work or school. A person who owns property in the county, but does not reside in the county, is not considered a resident for these purposes.

Proof of Residency:

Proof of residency is required when a student initially enrolls in a school and whenever a change of residence occurs.

<u>The following shall be accepted as proof of residency for parents/guardians considered as "home-owners":</u> a current residential property tax statement (if there is no tax bill, then the purchase/closing information for the residence can be used). The record must include the name of the parent/guardian.

The following shall be accepted as proof of residency for parents/guardians considered as "renters": (1) a lease or rental agreement consisting of the written evidence that the agreement is valid; and (2) a District-designated affidavit signed by the property owner which will allow for appropriate verification of residency.

<u>The following shall be accepted as proof of residency for parents/guardians considered as "non-renters"</u> <u>or "occupants of another person's home/residence"</u>: a District-designated affidavit signed by the parent/guardian, as well as by the home's occupants. If the occupants are renters, then the property owner's signature will also be required.

Verification of Residency:

A school system employee may visit the address given by any parent/guardian to verify residency. The property address given must be the actual location where the student and parent/guardian live full time.

(B) The school will verify residency by accessing the Tax Assessor's database located on the Cherokee County website at <u>http://www.cherokeega.com</u>, or by proceeding directly to the database at <u>http://www.cherokeega.com/ccweb/departments/assessor/</u>.