



**GOVERNING BOARD AGENDA ITEM
AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10**

DATE OF MEETING: July 28, 2020

TITLE: Approval of Intergovernmental Agreement with the Arizona State Schools for the Deaf and the Blind to Provide Services to Students within the Amphitheater District

BACKGROUND: The Arizona State Schools for the Deaf and the Blind (“ASDB”) has requested the District renew its Intergovernmental Agreement (“IGA”) for ASDB to continue providing services to students in the Amphitheater School District through its Regional Cooperative Program. ASDB provides services to students who are deaf/hard of hearing, blind/visually impaired, multiply sensory disabled, or deaf-blind at their local schools through regional cooperatives created to help support the students within their public school setting.

Amphitheater Pubic Schools is located in the ASDB Southeast Regional Cooperative which started operating in 1993. The proposed IGA will enable the District to continue its relationship with ASDB to provide quality service to its students who require assistance from the ASDB. Exhibits B, C and D identify the fees to be paid by each party under the terms of the IGA. Once approved, the IGA will remain in place for five (5) years. It may be terminated by mutual agreement of the parties or unilaterally with ninety (90) days’ notice.

The proposed IGA has been submitted to the attorneys for each party for approval as to the form and content. It is in the proper form and is within the powers and authority granted to Amphitheater to execute as an IGA.

RECOMMENDATION: The Administration recommends that the Board approve the attached IGA with the Arizona State Schools for the Deaf and the Blind.

INITIATED BY:

Michelle H. Tong, J.D.,
Associate to the Superintendent and General Counsel

Date: July 20, 2020

Todd A. Jaeger, J.D., Superintendent