



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

DATE OF MEETING: **March 7, 2017**

TITLE: **Approval of Out of State Travel**

BACKGROUND:

STUDENTS

Ben Bultman from Amphitheater High School requests permission to take 2 students from Student Council to the AASC Region 6 Student Council Conference in Kansas City, Missouri, June 22-27, 2017. Approximate cost of the travel is \$3,750 and will be paid for by student activity funds and tax credit donations. No school day will be missed.

Amphitheater School District has a strong tradition of participation in contests of academic challenges, including Career and Technical Student Organization's (CTSO) national competitions for FCCLA (Nashville, TN July 2-6), Skills USA (Louisville, KY June 19-25), and HOSA (Orlando, FL June 21-25). As we have done for the last several years, prior approval is granted without names. Specific information will not be known until the CTSO's state competitions that occur in April. Approval now allows our schools to begin fundraising.

Travel was previously approved at the November 15, 2016 Board meeting for Russ Granillo, Sonya Yount, Jessi Erickson, Roy Fallstrom, Lisa French, and Patti Giffney from Amphitheater High School to take 55 students from the Orchestra, Band, and Choir on a California Music Trip in Buena Park, California, March 10-12, 2017. Chaperones have changed and now include Theresa Parks.

Travel was previously approved at the November 29, 2016 Board meeting for Kathy Floyd, Kellie Britt, Jennifer Newman, Phil Tilicki, and TJ Castro from Amphitheater Middle School to take 40 students from Project Catalina to the Catalina Marine Institute in Catalina Island, California, March 7-10, 2017. Chaperones have changed and now include Treshel Gindt and David Watson.

Travel was previously approved at the January 10, 2017 Board meeting for AJ Lepore, Mark Hodge, Mary Dickson, and Stacie Davis from Ironwood Ridge High School to take 20 students from Women's Choir to the International Competition of High School A Cappella Semi-Finals in Walnut Creek, California, March 10-12, 2017. Chaperones have changed and now include Brandi Dignum and Lucinda Contreras.

Travel was previously approved at the January 10, 2017 Board meeting for AJ Lepore, Mary Dickson, Niki Tilicki, Phil Tilicki, and Dawn Lepore from Ironwood Ridge High School to take 50 students from Show Choir to the Los Alamitos Show Choir Competition in Los Alamitos, California, March 15-19, 2017. Approximate cost of the travel was \$18,750 and is now \$19,300. Chaperones have changed and now include Jasmene White and Kim Waigwa.

STAFF

Amy Sharpe and Matt Stamp from the District Offices request permission to attend the 2017 National School Public Relations Association Seminar in San Antonio, Texas, July 7-12, 2017. Approximate cost of the travel is \$6,804 and will be paid for by maintenance and operations funds designated for staff development.

Bob Hehli, Shari Lossou-Lossavi, Angela, Perrin, Flor Lopez, Coral Burrell, and one TBD from Nash Elementary School request permission to attend the AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) Summer Institute in San Antonio, Texas, July 11-14, 2017. Approximate cost of the travel is \$10,612 and will be paid for by federal funds designated for staff development. No school days will be missed.

Dianna Kuhn, Margie Hervert, Donna Varma, Crystal Estrella, Sean Taylor, Amanda Larriva, and Patricia Lindberg from Rio Vista Elementary School request permission to attend the AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) Summer Institute in San Antonio, Texas, July 11-14, 2017. Approximate cost of the travel is \$13,520 and will be paid for by federal funds designated for staff development. No school days will be missed.

BUDGET CODE KEY		
850-00-100-1001-281-6892	Student Activity	Classroom instruction, AHS, student travel
526-00-100-1001-281-6892	Tax Credit	Classroom instruction, AHS, student travel
001-00-100-2579-503-6360	M&O	Classified training, Wetmore, staff registration
001-00-100-2579-503-6582	M&O	Classified training, Wetmore, staff travel
100-17-100-2210-110-6360	Title I	Staff development, Nash, staff registration
100-17-100-2210-110-6582	Title I	Staff development, Nash, staff travel
100-17-100-2210-117-6360	Title I	Staff development, Rio Vista, staff registration
100-17-100-2210-117-6582	Title I	Staff development, Rio Vista, staff travel

RECOMMENDATION:

It is the recommendation of the administration that the above travel be approved.

INITIATED BY:

Monica Nelson

Monica Nelson, Associate Superintendent

Date: March 2, 2017

Patrick Nelson

Patrick Nelson, Superintendent