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> Tamara Paulson-Midgley Amphi Middle March 14, 2016

Dear Ms. Paulson-Midgley,

Thank you for submitting an application to our Assisteens® Helping Tucson Teens grant program. We received 22 proposals with requests totaling \$114,192.00! You may remember that we have \$20,000.00 to grant to our applicants so we had to make some tough decisions.

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()Vith best regards,

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GRANTS PROJECT COORDINATION

PROJECT PROFILE



*Forms should be submitted to Cathy Eiting,

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Amphi Middle School Assisteens Helping Tucson Teens Grant

Target population:

(Which schools, grades, staff, etc. are impacted?) Amphitheater Middle School music students in 6th, 7th, and 8th grade

Tamara Paulson-Midgley (AMS music teacher) will work with the music students.

General problem addressed by the project:

Although our school offers music electives to all grade levels at our site, these electives are not part of a specific budget plan. We do have an inventory if instruments available for student use, but availability of new and challenging music is limited and varies from year to year. It is essential that students have a quality music repertoire from which to learn and perform.

Project Synopsis:

(Please also attach the proposal abstract or any additional clarifying information needed.) The project allows all music students at AMS (approximately 170) to learn and perform from a repertoire of new and challenging music. Mrs. Midgley will plan programs for our musical performances and will select appropriate music for each program from the new repertoire this project will provide. Consequently, the music can be divided among several musical groups and performances throughout the year, and can then be filed in our music library for future use.

Students will be exposed to many musical styles, composers, and historical periods, and Mrs. Midgley will guide students through beginning, intermediate and advanced repertoire. The students will be motivated to build their musical skills and knowledge in the classroom and will then demonstrate their achievements to community members at several exciting concerts through the year.

Source and amount of funding requested:	COST REIMBURSEMENT GRANT? YES No. \$1576.00 was requested and \$760.00 was approved for the purchase of new music. The Assistance League of Tucson/Assisteens will provide the funding through the Assisteens Helping Tucson Teens grant.					
Funding will pay for: (People, equipment, materials, training, services, supplies, etc.)	Funding will pay for the purchase of new music for AMS music students up to \$760.00					
District contribution(s):	0					
Potential partners & their contributions:	Assistance League of Tucson/Assisteens through the Assisteens Helping Tucson Teens grant.					
Sustainability plan: (Explain how the project will be sustained without committing district funds)	New music will be purchased with the approved funds. The music will be used for multiple musical groups at AMS for several musical performances. The music will then be filed in our music library and can be used again for years to come.					
Principal/Department Authorization:	Signature Name, printed Date					
Submitted by:	Signature By signing this document, I acknowledge that purchases must follow the district's required bidding/purchasing process and will adhere to USFR* regulations and any other reporting requirements of the funder. All fixtures, equipment and instructional materials (or other improvements) received under this grant will become the property of the Amphitheater School District and not the applicant.					
Phone & Email:	tcall@amphi.com tmidgley@amphi.com 520-696-6298					

ASSISTEENS FUNDING PROPOSAL

School Name: Amphitheater Middle School

School Address: 315 E. Prince Rd.

Tucson, AZ 85705

NEED: Although our school offers music electives to all grade levels at our site, these electives are not part of a specific budget plan. We do have an inventory of instruments available for student use, but availability of new and challenging music is limited and varies from year to year. It is essential that students have a quality music repertoire from which to learn and perform.

PROPOSED PROJECT: To address this need, our music program would like to add a year's repertoire of music for each performing group. With these music selections, students will be motivated to build their musical skills and knowledge in the classroom and demonstrate their achievements for community members at several exciting concerts throughout the year. The music will then be filed in the music library and can be rotated as needed for years to come.

CHILDREN IMPACTED: 170 sixth, seventh, and eighth graders in band, orchestra, and chorus.

DATE OF IMPLEMENTATION: New music selections will be utilized upon their delivery through a 1 year concert cycle and will then be rotated through additional years as needed (5 +years for popular music, 10+ years for classical selections).

BUDGET:

<u>Item</u>	Quantity	Cost	<u>Total</u>
Band arrangements	10	\$60.00	\$600,00
String Orchestra arrangements	8	\$55.00	\$440.00
Chorus (set of 20 vocal parts)	8	\$40.00	\$320.00
Choral accompaniment CD's	8	\$27.00	\$216.00
			TOTAL:
			\$1576.00

All materials and equipment will be the property of the school.

The program as identified will be fully implemented and an evaluation report will be submitted as requested.

Principal Signature

Date

Teacher Signature

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