

GOVERNING BOARD AGENDA ITEM AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10

DATE OF MEETING: December 10, 2013

TITLE: Re-adoption of Policies Previously Approved by the Board

BACKGROUND:

In February 2011, the Arizona School Boards Association ("ASBA") recommended, and the Superintendent directed, that staff begin a comprehensive "five-year review" of the District's policy manual. This process was intended to identify revisions that may have been required to comply with changes in the law; to create uniformity in language; and, to update or clarify language that might have been confusing or outdated.

Staff immediately began the comprehensive review in consultation with ASBA Policy Services.

On March 8, 2011, the Governing Board began reviewing staff recommendations for policy revisions. Although the policy revision process is always ongoing, as demonstrated by the other two policy-related Board items presented this evening, the Board has completed the major review process.

This agenda item is prepared to permit the Board to formally rescind all previous versions of the policy manual; then, to adopt the manual compiled during the review process. That will effectively revise the manual's adoption date as December 10, 2013.

RECOMMENDATION:

This item is presented for the Board to rescind all previous versions of the Policy Manual; then, to adopt the Manual compiled during the review process, as the Administration recommends.

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