



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

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**DATE OF MEETING:**      **April 5, 2016**

**TITLE:**            **Resolution of the Governing Board Recognizing the Contributions of Educational Support Personnel and Setting April 27, 2016 as a Date for Special Recognition**

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**BACKGROUND:**

While the fundamental nature of public education is instructional, all school district employees play a vital and valuable role in providing safe and successful schools; it takes many employees of every job description to operate a school district and provide an education to students.

The District's Educational Support Personnel (ESP), also known as "Classified Staff" serve in many crucial roles throughout the district, including but certainly not limited to: bus drivers and monitors, carpenters, groundskeepers, secretaries and clerks, food service personnel, and custodians. Each of these people serve our students and the public, and are essential in creating safe, clean, and welcoming school environments that meet student, parent and community needs.

While one day a year of recognition does not approach the level of appreciation due to these dedicated support staff members, the Governing Board has for several years set aside one day each year to shine a spotlight of sorts on their contributions. Accordingly, a resolution (attached) has been prepared for the purpose of setting April 27, 2016 this year as the date this year when the contributions of Educational Support Personnel are especially recognized.

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Administration recommends the Board's adoption and dissemination of the attached form of resolution.

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**INITIATED BY:**

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**Todd A. Jaeger, Associate to the Superintendent**

**Date: March 30, 2016**

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**Patrick Nelson, Superintendent**