EXHIBIT A

SAMPLE BALLOT 13.5% MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION BUDGET OVERRIDE

SPECIAL ELECTION Amphitheater Unified School District No. 10 Pima County, Arizona - November 5, 2024

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Shall the Governing Board of Amphitheater Unified School District No. 10 of Pima County, Arizona (the "District"), adopt a General Maintenance and Operation Budget that includes an amount that exceeds the revenue control limit specified by statute by 13.5% for fiscal year 2025/2026 and for six subsequent years as described below? The fiscal year 2025/2026 budget override authority represents an extension of the existing budget override authority which is scheduled to phase down by one-third for fiscal year 2025/2026, by another one-third for fiscal year 2026/2027, and will terminate for fiscal year if the voters do not approve the override.

The amount of the proposed continuation of the budget increase of the proposed budget over the alternate budget for fiscal year 2025/2026 is estimated to be \$4,064,384. In fiscal years 2025/2026 through 2029/2030 the amount of the proposed increase will be 13.5% of the District's revenue control limit in each of such years, as provided in Section 15-481(P) of the Arizona Revised Statutes. In fiscal years 2030/2031 and 2031/2032, the amount of the proposed increase will be 9.0% and 4.5%, respectively, of the District's revenue control limit in each of such years, as provided in Section 15-481(P) of the Arizona Revised Statutes.

Any budget increase continuation authorized by this election shall be entirely funded by a levy of taxes on the taxable property in this school district for the year for which adopted and for six (6) subsequent years, shall not be realized from monies furnished by the state and shall not be subject to the limitation on taxes specified in Article IX, Section 18, Constitution of Arizona. Based on the current net assessed valuation used for secondary property tax purposes, to fund the proposed continuation of the increase in the school district's budget would require an estimated continuation of a tax rate of \$0.62 per one hundred dollars of assessed valuation used for secondary property tax purposes and is in addition to the school district's tax rate that will be levied to fund the school district's revenue control limit allowed by law.

BUDGET OVERRIDE CONTINUATION, YES	
BUDGET OVERRIDE CONTINUATION, NO	

[At the discretion of the County elections department, the question set forth above may be presented on the actual ballot in summary form, reading substantially as follows:]

A "yes" vote shall authorize the Amphitheater Unified School District Governing Board to continue the existing maintenance and operation budget override authority and resulting tax, which includes an amount that exceeds the District's revenue control limit.

A "no" vote shall not authorize the Amphitheater Unified School District Governing Board to extend the existing maintenance and operation budget override authority and resulting tax.

EXHIBIT B-1

[MAILED BALLOT ELECTION]

NOTICE AND CALL OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10 OF PIMA COUNTY, ARIZONA:

A special election has been called by, and will be held in, Amphitheater Unified School District No. 10 of Pima County, Arizona (the "District"), on November 5, 2024 ("Election Day"). The purpose of the election is to permit the qualified electors of the District to vote on authorizing the District to adopt a General Maintenance and Operation Budget that includes an amount of up to 13.5% in excess of the revenue control limit for the fiscal year 2025/2026 and for six subsequent years (subject to certain reductions provided by statute in years six and seven).

The District's current 13.5% budget override is by law required to be reduced by one-third in fiscal years 2025/2026 and 2026/2027. Because the existing override reduces by one third in fiscal year 2025/2026, the proposed 13.5% override budget will exceed the 2025/2026 alternate budget by \$4,064,384. The tax rate to fund that amount is \$0.21 per one hundred dollars of net assessed valuation for secondary property tax purposes. The full budget override amount is estimated to be \$12,193,151 and would be funded by an estimated tax rate of \$0.62 per one hundred dollars of net assessed valuation for secondary property tax purposes, which is approximately equal to the current tax rate levied for the existing override. In future years the amount of the increase will be as provided by law.

The election will be a mailed ballot only election. No polling places will be provided. Ballots will be mailed to qualified electors residing within the District no earlier than 27 days prior to the election and no later than 15 days before the election. Ballots must be received or dropped off at one of the designated ballot drop box locations as designated by the County Elections Department and as set forth in the informational pamphlet and/or the ballot no later than 7:00 p.m. on Election Day. The informational pamphlet will be mailed to the homes of qualified electors. If a ballot is lost, spoiled, destroyed or not received by the elector, the elector may receive a replacement ballot at the ballot replacement locations designated by the County Elections Department.

The last day to register to vote in order to be eligible to vote in this election is Monday, October 7, 2024.

For more information about the foregoing, please review A.R.S. § 15-481, or contact the Amphitheater Unified School District, 701 W. Wetmore Road, Tucson, AZ 85705; telephone: (520) 696-5000.

EXHIBIT B-2

[POLLING PLACE ELECTION]

NOTICE AND CALL OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10 OF PIMA COUNTY, ARIZONA:

A special election will be held in Amphitheater Unified School District No. 10 of Pima County, Arizona (the "District"), on November 5, 2024. The purpose of the election is to permit the qualified electors of the District to vote on authorizing the District to adopt a General Maintenance and Operation Budget that includes an amount of up to 13.5% in excess of the District's revenue control limit for the fiscal year 2025/2026 and for six subsequent years (subject to certain reductions provided by statute in years six and seven).

The District's current 13.5% budget override is by law required to be reduced by one-third in fiscal years 2025/2026 and 2026/2027. Because the existing override reduces by one third in fiscal year 2025/2026, the proposed 13.5% override budget will exceed the 2025/2026 alternate budget by \$4,064,384. The tax rate to fund that amount is \$0.21 per one hundred dollars of net assessed valuation for secondary property tax purposes. The full budget override amount is estimated to be \$12,193,151 and would be funded by an estimated tax rate of \$0.62 per one hundred dollars of net assessed valuation for secondary property tax purposes, which is approximately equal to the current tax rate levied for the existing override. In future years the amount of the increase will be as provided by law.

The election will be held at the following polling places:

Visit <u>www.recorder.pima.gov/VoterStats/PollingLocationSearch</u> for a list of Vote Centers or contact the Pima County Elections Department at (520) 724-6830.

The polls will open at 6:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

The last day to register to vote in order to be eligible to vote in this election is Monday, October 7, 2024.

Any qualified elector is eligible for early voting. Early voting materials may be obtained by contacting the Pima County Elections Department, 6550 S. Country Club Road, Tucson, AZ 85756; telephone: (520) 724-6830. For more information about the foregoing, please review A.R.S. § 15-481, or contact the Amphitheater Unified School District, 701 W. Wetmore Road, Tucson, AZ 85705; telephone: (520) 696-5000.

EXHIBIT C

REQUEST FOR ARGUMENTS "FOR" OR "AGAINST" THE SPECIAL BUDGET OVERRIDE ELECTION AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10

Amphitheater Unified School District No. 10 of Pima County, Arizona (the "District"), will hold a special 13.5% maintenance and operation budget override election on Tuesday, November 5, 2024. The total 13.5% budget override amount for the first year of the proposed continuation is estimated to be \$12,193,151 and would be funded in that year by an estimated \$0.62 tax rate per one hundred dollars of net assessed valuation used for secondary property tax purposes which is approximately equal to the current secondary tax rate for the existing budget override. The Pima County School Superintendent will be preparing an informational pamphlet that will be mailed to households containing one or more registered electors within the District. Any persons wishing to submit an argument "for" or "against" the proposed 13.5% budget override (not to exceed 200 words) may do so by mail or hand delivery of the argument to the Pima County School Superintendent's office, 200 N. Stone Avenue, Tucson, AZ 85701; telephone: (520) 724-8451.

To be included in the informational pamphlet, such argument must be received in the office of the Pima County School Superintendent on or before 5:00 p.m., 8/9/2024. Such argument must be signed and include the name of the District, the author's name, the name of any entity submitting an argument, address and telephone number. If the argument is submitted by an organization, it shall contain the sworn statement of two executive officers of the organization. If the argument is submitted by a political committee, it shall contain the sworn statement of the committee's chairperson or treasurer. If the argument is submitted by an individual and not on behalf of an organization, a political committee or any other group, the person shall submit the argument with a sworn, notarized statement. The entity and author's name will be printed in the informational pamphlet. To find fillable forms for submitting an argument, visit the Pima County School Superintendent's website at https://www.schools.pima.gov/elections. The last day to register to vote in order to be eligible to vote in this election is Monday, October 7, 2024. For more information concerning the election, please contact the Amphitheater Unified School District No. 10, 701 W. Wetmore Road, Tucson, AZ 85705; telephone: (520) 696-5000.