

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

DATE OF MEETING: June 20, 2017

**TITLE:** Adoption of Social Studies Textbooks

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The Social Studies textbook adoption process is complete and textbooks and materials have been recommended by teachers and administrators. A request for proposals was sent to vendors by the purchasing department on March 14, 2017 with a due date of March 30, 2017. Proposals were received from seven vendors. Committees met in April and May to review textbooks and materials.

On April 20, 2017 textbooks recommended by the committees were placed on display at school sites and at Wetmore Center in School Operations. Teachers, parents, and the public were invited to review the textbooks for the 60 day review period as required by Section 15-721 of Arizona Revised Statues. The 60 day review period was announced in a continuous posting on the district website and ads were placed in local newspapers.

Based on the review, the following textbooks are recommended for adoption:

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

Publisher	Subject	Title/Series	Price
Gibbs Smith Publishers/			
Arizona Historical Society	Social Studies	The Arizona Story (4 <sup>th</sup> grade only) (2009)	\$46.95
			\$53.47
Pearson	Social Studies	My World (2013) (Grades K,1,2,3,5)	\$75.97 (Grade 5)

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL

Publisher	Subject	Title/Series	Price
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	Civics	Civics (2018)	\$80.25
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	World History	World Civilizations (2018)	\$79.40
McGraw-Hill	US History	Discovering our Past: A History of the US (2018)	\$93.36

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Publisher	Subject	Title/Series	Price
McGraw-Hill	US History	United States History and Geography (2018)	\$98.55
McGraw-Hill	Government	United States Government (2018)	\$100.98
McGraw-Hill	Economics	Understanding Economics (2018)	\$100.98
McGraw-Hill	World History	World History and Geography (2018)	\$98.55

## **Elementary Committee Members:**

Nash	1	Julie Gates
Copper Creek	1	Amanda Gardner
Keeling	1	Melissa Hatt
Nash	2	Kelli McKinney
Holaway	2	Alison Knight

Wilson	3	Terri Pastor
Copper Creek	3	Susan Latin
Holaway	3	Bonnie Keene
Innovation Academy	4	Niki Tiliki
Coronado	4	Dee Easterling
Donaldson	4	Pam Barrett
Walker	4	Amy Martinez
Wilson	5	Devon Busby
Coronado	5	Liesl Scheffel
Painted Sky	5	Bri Ronnie
Coronado	K	Terry Duggan
Rio Vista	K	Linda Morris
Prince	Principal	Laurie Sheber
Mesa Verde	Principal	Carol Tracy
Walker	SPED	Caroline Rondeau
Keeling	SPED	Joyce Daigle
Painted Sky	Parent	Melissa Rawn

# **Secondary Committee Members:**

AHS	Teacher	Debra VanSice
AHS	Teacher	Kim Burrow
AHS	Teacher	Shawn Smith
AHS	Teacher	Eric Rossi
CDO	Teacher	Brent Watkins
CDO	Teacher	<b>Emily Hugues</b>
CDO	Teacher	Danielle Jennings
CDO	Teacher	Sonya Gauna
CDO/CROSS	Parent	Suzy Azerky
CDO	Teacher	Kathy Stegen
IRHS	Teacher	Erik Wolf
IRHS	Teacher	Alissa McGowan
IRHS	Teacher	Amanda Stoxen
IRHS	Teacher	April Kozubal
IRHS	Teacher	Mandi Hering
IRHS	Teacher	Michael Greenway
IRHS	Teacher	Lori Gipson
IRHS	Teacher	Marty Wensel
IRHS	Principal	Natalie Burnett
CROSS	Teacher	Jennifer Jones
AMS	Teacher	Chris Roche
AMS	Teacher	Iris Coleman
AMS	Teacher	TJ Castro
Coronado K-8	Teacher	Peggy Prentis
Coronado K-8	Teacher	Asami Whitney
Coronado K-8	Teacher	Erika Sparlin
La Cima MS	Teacher	Jeff Panneck

Wilson K-8	Teacher	Jose Obregon
Wilson K-8	Teacher	Lisa Larson
Wilson K-8	Teacher	Scott Cortese

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### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is the recommendation of the administration that the textbooks listed above be officially adopted by the Governing Board as of June 20, 2017.

**INITIATED BY:** 

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Date: June 11, 2017