

GOVERNING BOARD AGENDA ITEM AMPHITHEATER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10

DATE OF MEETING: October 3, 2017

TITLE: Approval of Sub-Grant Agreement with the Lutheran Social Services of the

Southwest for the Funding of Services to District Resident Refugee Students

BACKGROUND:

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Refugee School Impact Grant, through the Arizona Department of Economic Security (DES) provides grant funds to the Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest.

Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest, through a sub-grant, facilitates local school systems impacted by significant numbers of newly arrived refugee children placed within the district's attendance boundaries. The Refugee School Impact provides funding for activities that lead to the effective integration and education of refugee children through such activities as after-school tutorials, summer clubs and activities and bilingual counseling and interpretation.

The Board previously approved this Agreement on October 4, 2016. The term of this award is through September 30, 2018. A copy of the Sub-Grant Agreement is attached for the Board's review.

RECOMMENDATION:

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The Administration recommends approval of this Sub-Grant Agreement.

INITIATED BY:

Michelle H. Tong, J.D.,

Associate to the Superintendent and General Counsel

Date: September 25, 2017

Todd A. Jaeger, J.D., Superintendent