

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

**DATE OF MEETING:** October 3, 2023

TITLE: Report on American Heart Association Kids Heart Challenge

## **BACKGROUND:**

The American Heart Association's Kids Heart Challenge is an enduring tradition in the Amphitheater School District. Since 1989, students in the District have raised over \$600,000 dollars for heart disease research and prevention.

Through the participation of eleven schools during the 2022-2023 school year, our District raised \$36,750.00 for the American Heart Association and 546 families learned Hands Only CPR. Just as important as the benefits of the fundraising, however, is the benefit to our participating students, who learn the importance of proper nutrition, exercise and living tobacco-free lives. We are so proud of Amphitheater being one of the top fundraising districts in Southern Arizona.

We are excited to continue in this partnership with the American Heart Association and thank you to all who come together to help children learn about their health and the benefits of giving to others.

Theresa Hoge, Region VP Development and School Engagement will provide the Governing Board with an overview of the collaboration between Amphitheater and the American Heart Association.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

This item is for the Governing Board's information.

**INITIATED BY:** 

Jen Anderson, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Governing Board

Fodd A. Jaeger, J.D./ Superintendent

Date: September 26, 2023