

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

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**DATE OF MEETING: August 3, 2010**

**TITLE: Essential Recruitment Stipend – Physics**

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**BACKGROUND:** Beginning in May of 2004, we have recommended an Essential Recruitment Stipend for those positions for which we have had great difficulty in hiring qualified candidates. This stipend, as it has been applied to other hard to fill vacancies, has assisted us in recruiting those qualified candidates. One of those identified areas has been Physics. The Governing Board several years ago approved a stipend for Physics in the amount of \$2000. At present, and for some time, we have experienced considerable difficulty in hiring and retaining highly qualified Physics teachers.

**RECOMMENDATION:** It is the recommendation of Administration that the Essential Recruitment Stipend for Physics be increased to \$4,000 for qualified, certified, Physics teachers who hold a 9-12 Physics endorsement. If approved, this will take effect with the 2010-2011 school year.

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**ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT  
SIGNATURE:**

  

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**SUPERINTENDENT SIGNATURE:**

  

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