



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

DATE OF MEETING: **March 11, 2014**

TITLE: **Recognition of Community Members – Ben and Bonnie Wichers**

BACKGROUND:

It is with pleasure that we recognize two community members who have shown extraordinary support for Amphitheater School District. Ben Wichers is the retired CEO of BHP Copper and Bonnie is a retired teacher. Ben has served in a leadership capacity on the Amphitheater Foundation for over seven years.

At its Gala, the Foundation will present the largest silent auction in the organization's history and Bonnie chaired this auction. Ben and Bonnie truly believe in the power of a quality public education. They continually demonstrate their commitment through their actions and their support of our schools.

RECOMMENDATION:

This is presented for the Board's information and recognition.

INITIATED BY:

Roseanne Lopez, Ed.D., Executive Director of Elementary Education

Date: March 7, 2014

Monica Nelson, Associate Superintendent

Patrick Nelson, Superintendent