



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

DATE OF MEETING: **December 9, 2014**

TITLE: **Approval of New Career and Technical Education Courses for 2015-16 School Year**

BACKGROUND:

Each of the following courses is designed as the culminating course in a sequence of CTE classes offered at our high schools. Each of these new courses would be available for 12th graders who have completed the first three classes of their related programs:

- The high schools currently have Sports Medicine programs as part of their Career and Technical Education offerings. The new course will be Sports Medicine III.
- Ironwood Ridge High School currently has a Software Development program. A new course, Software Design III, would be added to the sequence, if approved.
- Ironwood Ridge High School currently has a Marketing program. A new course in the sequence, Marketing IV, is proposed. The culminating experience will allow students to work on real-life projects they propose and develop using independent research and design.
- Canyon del Oro and Ironwood Ridge High School currently have Bioscience programs. BioTechnology III, if approved, would add another course to that program sequence.
- The high schools currently have Technical Theater programs as part of their CTE courses. Tech Theater IV would become the final course in the sequence.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Administration recommends the Governing Board approve this new course name.

INITIATED BY:

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Date: November 25, 2014

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