



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

DATE OF MEETING: **October 6, 2015**

TITLE: **Recognition of Tucson Breakfast Lions Club and America's Best Contacts & Eyeglasses**

BACKGROUND:

Amphitheater Public Schools is partnering with the Tucson Breakfast Lions Club Foundation to conduct free vision screening for all K-3 students in the district during the 2015-16 school year as the result of a \$20,000 grant awarded by the Community Foundation of Southern Arizona.

As part of the "Better Vision - Brighter Futures" project grant, children who show probable vision difficulties, and may have financial challenges, will be referred to America's Best Contacts & Eyeglasses for a free eye exam and two pairs of free glasses, as needed. Each child referred will also receive a free book during his or her appointment.

The Tucson Breakfast Lions Club and America's Best Contacts & Eyeglasses are valuable community partners. Through our combined efforts we will provide better vision for our underserved students and create the advantage needed for them to succeed in school and, subsequently, have brighter futures.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

INITIATED BY:

Amy Sharpe, Director of Community Relations

Date: October 1, 2015

Patrick Nelson, Superintendent