



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

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**DATE OF MEETING:** March 8, 2011

**TITLE:** RECOGNITION OF ORO VALLEY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

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**BACKGROUND:**

The Oro Valley Community Foundation (OVCF) is a non-profit, community corporation created by and for the people of the greater Oro Valley region. The OVCF has established an unrestricted fund to address critical needs and to enhance and enrich lives in the Oro Valley region. Strategic grants are made from this fund to support a variety of programs, such as youth scholarships, sports activities, educational needs and school lunch subsidies. Its grant making ensures that Oro Valley residents have transportation, access to local medical facilities and food. They contribute funding for community arts, music and sciences.

In March of 2010 the OVCF announced the unveiling of a Technology Initiative, which will benefit Amphitheater Public Schools. This Foundation, in partnership with other associations, such as the Amphitheater Foundation, planned to raise funds to update technology in classroom and supply teachers with training on new software platforms.

Mr. Richard Eggerding, President of the Oro Valley Community Foundation, Ms. Kay Williams, Oro Valley Community Foundation Officer, and Mr. Ben Wichers, President of the Amphi Foundation, will be in attendance to provide an update on the Technology Initiative.

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

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

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**Vicki Balentine, Ph.D., Superintendent,  
Date: March 1, 2011**