



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

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**DATE OF MEETING:**      **October 16, 2018**

**TITLE:**    **Recognition of Southern Arizona 40 Under 40 Award**

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**BACKGROUND:**

Each year, 40 outstanding men and women under the age of 40 are honored as our community's greatest future leaders.

This year, Kristin McGraw, Executive Director of Student Services, was chosen for her dedication to students and education and for providing leadership in service to children and families with special needs. Ms. McGraw manages education services for more than 2,400 students and oversees the work of about 300 staff members who strive to meet the needs of every child.

Ms. McGraw's accomplishments are impressive, and the list is long. Some highlights: At Amphitheater Middle School, she helped build the first "No Excuses University" middle school program in Arizona. This program promotes college as a viable option for low-income children attending the Title I school. She was a Rodel Aspiring Principal in 2011, and this year, she worked with health providers to develop a "Return to Learn" program for students who have experienced concussions.

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

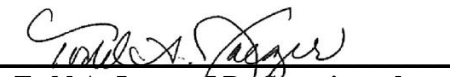
This is presented for the Board's information and recognition.

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**INITIATED BY:**

  
Michelle Valenzuela, Communications Director

**Date: October 1, 2018**

  
Todd A. Jaeger, J.D., Superintendent