RIVER ROAD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION AMARILLO, TEXAS

Subject: Additional Stipend Approval Date: Monday, October 20, 2014

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

At your June 9, 2014 meeting, the Board approved stipends for the 2014-2015 school year. Since that time there has been the need to change the amount of one stipend and there has been the need to create an additional stipend position.

The stipend that changed in amount is the Cheerleading Sponsor Stipend. Several years ago, there were two positions which were later combined into one. It was determined that the amount of that stipend was insufficient for the workload so the stipend amount was increased from \$2,500 per year to \$4,000. Nikki Bostock is the current Cheerleading sponsor.

A Communication Specialist stipend was created to assist in fostering communications within the school district and from the school district to the general community. Amy Holcomb is the person to receive this \$2,000 stipend in addition to her normal duties. Increased use of social media and a revised website were two of Amy's first assignments.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

We request that the Board approve the \$1,500 increase in the Cheerleading Sponsor Stipend and the creation of the \$2,000 Communication Specialist stipend.