

ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL

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STATE BOARD MEETING DATE May 19, 2014

SUBJECT: Accept monies from the University of Arizona for administrative support with Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS) in accordance with ARS§15-204

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MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW: May 1, 2014

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Arizona Department of Education (ADE) provided technical assistance to the University of Arizona, Native American Research and Training Center (NARTC) regarding Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS) data which assisted NARTC in receiving a grant from the American Cancer Society (ACA). NARTC included monies for ADE in the grant budget in the amount of \$7030 in support of administration of the 2015 YRBS.

The YRBS provides self-reported data on health-risk behaviors among a sample of 9th–12th grade students in Arizona, including behaviors that contribute to injuries and violence; alcohol or other drug use; tobacco use; sexual risk behaviors; unhealthy dietary behaviors; and physical inactivity. Arizona YRBS data can be compared to national data and is used to inform program implementation and to write grant applications by schools/districts, ADE and other state agencies, community based organizations, and other stakeholders, including universities.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: [] INFORMATION [X] ACTION/DESCRIBED BELOW:

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ATTACHMENTS: YES [] NO [X]