

ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL _____

STATE BOARD MEETING DATE December 2, 2013

SUBJECT: Consideration to approve Move On When Reading (MOWR) LEA literacy plans which have been reviewed for release of K-3 Reading Base Support funds.

SUBMITTED BY: Cindy Daniels, Director of K-3 Reading

MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

ARS §15-211 requires the Board to approve the literacy plans for specific LEAs to receive K-3 Reading Support funds. School districts/charter schools that received letter grades of A or B in Arizona's accountability system, will have their plan automatically approved and funding disbursed upon submission. For those school districts/charter schools that received a letter grade of C, D, or F, or have more than ten percent of their third grade pupils reading far below the third grade level, shall receive their K-3 reading funds only after their reading plans have been approved by the State Board of Education.

In Fall 2013, the State Board launched new software to streamline the submission process of school and district/charter literacy plans. As was done in 2012-13, a team is reviewing LEA literacy plans. Each month, the reviewers submit a list of LEAs plans which have been evaluated and contain sufficient criteria for Board approval and release of K-3 Reading Support funds. As of November 19th, 166 plans have been received, with 100 of them being A or B schools.

The LEAs below have had their reading plans reviewed as of the mailing of these materials (11/19/13), and are recommended for State Board approval.

4271	Glendale Elementary District
79947	Ariz. Community Dev. Corp
4444	Oracle Elementary District
81123	Educational Impact., Inc.
91775	The Paideia Academies
4407	Sunnyside Unified District
4208	Globe Unified District
4201	Pine Forest Educ. Association, Inc.
90506	Ed Ahead
6375	Employ-Ability Unlimited, Inc.
4396	Kayenta Unified School District
4265	Murphy Elementary District
6361	BASIS School, Inc.

4263	Creighton Elementary District
81076	Heritage Elementary School
90535	Kaizen Educ. Found. dba/ Havasu Prep Academy
79233	Kaizen Educ. Found. dba/South Pointe Elementary
90330	Kaizen Educ. Found. dba/Vista Grove Prep
81050	EdKey, Inc./Sequoia School for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
6446	EdKey, Inc./Sequoia Charter School
79211	EdKey, Inc./Sequoia Village School

81052	EdKey, Inc./Sequoia Ranch School
81043	EdKey, Inc./Sequoia Redwood Academy
4329	Sequoia Choice Schools, LLLP
90906	Happy Valley, Inc. –East Campus
79985	Sierra Vista Charter School, Inc.
6446	EdKey, Inc.-Sequoia Charter School
90317	Vector School District, Inc.
79061	Highland Free School
4438	Ray Unified District

90541	Sonoran Science Academy-Phoenix Metro
4440	Superior Unified School District

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

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ATTACHMENTS: YES [] NO[X]