



**DATE:** January 11, 2023

**TO:** Board of Education

**FROM:** Mrs. Carmen Ghysels, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

**SUBJECT:** Grant from Martis Camp Community Foundation for Sagehen Outdoor Education Program

**PRESENTED BY:** Mrs. Carmen Ghysels, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

Accept grant from Martis Camp Community Foundation for Sagehen Outdoor Education Program

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The Sagehen Outdoor Education Program is a partnership between TTUSD, Sagehen Creek Field Research Station, Sierra Watershed Education Program, and Shane McConkey Foundation.

This is a unique outdoor education program for several reasons. Classes are taught by outdoor educators. This program provides local students access to a standards-based learning environment that is literally in their backyard. Students learn a variety of skills and gain knowledge about many different topics. Classes may include local ecosystems, flora, and fauna of the Sierra Nevada, macro-invertebrates, water quality and issues, and plant and animal identification.

**RESOURCES REQUIRED:** \$12,000.00 – Martis Camp Community Foundation

**PREPARED BY:** Lupita Vazquez, Executive Assistant

Attachment: Grant form