

DATE: January 20, 2021

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

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 an animal identification.

RESOURCES REQUIRED: \$11,000.00 – Martis Camp Community Foundation

PREPARED BY: Lupita Vazquez, Executive Assistant

Attachment: Grant form