

April 21, 2015

Mrs. Carla Soto Chief Financial Officer Tucson Unified School District 1010 E. 10th St. Tucson, AZ 85719

Dear Mrs. Soto,

America's Promise Alliance has offered United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona a \$1500 grant as part of its Parent Engagement Initiative (PEI) for the purpose of hosting a parent meeting on the change in the statewide assessment for career and college ready standards. These meetings are to provide parents and guardians with direct information from trusted sources about the changes in the classroom, what these changes mean for their children and how they can help their children succeed and thrive.

Contingent on receipt of funds from America's Promise Alliance, United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona will disburse a one-time \$1500 payment to Tucson Unified School District specifically for the TUSD Mexican American Student Services Department and the TUSD Family Resource Centers upon completion of the following:

- Conducting parent outreach and handling all logistical elements of the meeting
- Allowing Expect More Arizona to conduct a 1-hour parent meeting using the materials provided to us by America's Promise Alliance with the goal of reaching 100 parents through the in-person training and other outreach methods
- Deliver a parent survey to all parents/guardians who attend the meeting and return completed surveys to Expect More Arizona or United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona.
- Submit an invoice for \$1500 to United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona upon completion of these tasks.

We are very excited to work with you on this project. Should you need any additional information please do not hesitate to contact me at 520-903-3904 or akucich@unitedwaytucson.org.

Sincerely,

Amanda Kucich

Cradle to Career Partnership, Senior Director United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona