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## ***Ravenswood City School District***

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**Date:** 3/14/2019  
**Board Meeting Date:** 3/14/2019  
**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To: Honorable Board of Trustees**

**From: Gina Sudaria, Acting Superintendent**

**Subject: Consideration to approve that Amanda Garcia, Art Teacher attend  
The National Art Education Association's National Convention**

#### **Quick Summary/Abstract:**

Our districts mission is to empower students to be participants in a 21st century global society and my professional contribution is to provide a quality arts education that incorporates rigor and 21st century thinking skills. The National Art Education Association's National Convention is the largest opportunity worldwide which focuses on up to date research and pedagogical practices. This year's conference will be hosted in Boston, Massachusetts on March 14th-March 16th. On this weekend museum educators, art educators, and art researchers will come together to share knowledge and discover Boston's art culture. My desire for attending is directly aligned with my desire to be the best teacher, colleague, and employee I can be and my belief that this conference propels me in that direction. In my time in our district I have participated in my site leadership team, TECHIE team, school site council/ ELAC, AVID, and facilitated professional development sessions. The breadth of my participation in this district stands to improve with opportunities like the National Conference.

**Dates: March 14th – March 16th**

**Location: Boston, MA**

#### **Fiscal Impact:**

**No Fiscal Impact to RCSD – Funded by REF and Philanthropic Ventures**

#### **Recommendation:**

**That the Board approve that Amanda Garcia, Art Teacher attend the The National Art Education Association's National Convention.**

**Board Approved: \_\_\_\_\_**