

# Catalina Foothills School District Employee Tax Credit Donation

## AUTHORIZATION FOR AUTOMATIC PAYROLL DEDUCTION CALENDAR YEAR 2018 WITH NO REDUCTION TO NET EARNINGS

Catalina Foothills School District employees are being offered the opportunity to contribute to one of our many qualifying fee based extracurricular activities without a reduction to net earnings. The district will reduce AZ tax withholdings in an amount equal to the tax credit donation. This means that the **employee donation will not alter your take home pay** as long as the normal AZ tax is greater or equal to the donation.

All participants will receive a receipt for their total contribution by January 2019. Then, when you file your 2018 Arizona state return, you can subtract your contribution— up to \$400 – from what you owe in taxes. Arizona law (ARS 43-1089.01) allows taxpayers to receive a tax credit of up to \$200 (single filer) or \$400 (joint filers) if they contribute to extracurricular fee-based programs in public schools. A **tax credit** is a full refund of what you owe in state taxes, dollar-for-dollar. Please check with your tax adviser for answers to specific tax-related questions.

Just fill out this authorization and send it to the district office payroll department. Your total contribution will be equally divided between the remaining payroll periods in 2018. The last pay date available for donations is determined by your contract year.

Employee Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Badge Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Contribution: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please direct my donation as needed**

**OR** to the following school(s)<sup>1</sup> or program(s):

**Canyon View Elementary**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Program with greatest need
- \_\_\_\_\_ After school classes/Extended Day
- \_\_\_\_\_ Orchestra

**Sunrise Drive Elementary**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Program with greatest need
- \_\_\_\_\_ After school classes/Extended Day
- \_\_\_\_\_ Orchestra

**Esperero Canyon Middle School**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Program with greatest need
- \_\_\_\_\_ After school classes/Extended Day
- \_\_\_\_\_ Orchestra

**Catalina Foothills High School**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Program with greatest need
- \_\_\_\_\_ After school classes/Extended Day program

**Academic Competitions**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Academic Decathlon      \_\_\_\_\_ Science Olympiad
- \_\_\_\_\_ DECA                              \_\_\_\_\_ Speech and Debate

**Athletics**

- |                        |                           |                   |                    |                        |                 |
|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| _____ General          | _____ Cheerleading        | _____ Golf Boys   | _____ Soccer Girls | _____ Tennis Girls     | _____ Wrestling |
| _____ Baseball         | _____ Cross Country Boys  | _____ Golf Girls  | _____ Softball     | _____ Track            |                 |
| _____ Basketball Boys  | _____ Cross Country Girls | _____ Pom Line    | _____ Swimming     | _____ Volleyball Boys  |                 |
| _____ Basketball Girls | _____ Football            | _____ Soccer Boys | _____ Tennis Boys  | _____ Volleyball Girls |                 |

**Other**

- |             |                             |                      |                 |                     |
|-------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| _____ Band  | _____ Engineering           | _____ Foothills Phil | _____ Model UN  | _____ Steel Drums   |
| _____ Choir | _____ Falcon Community Club | _____ Graphic Design | _____ Orchestra | _____ Theatre/Drama |
| _____ Chess | _____ FFA                   | _____ HOSA           | _____ Photo     |                     |

<sup>1</sup>20% of all contributions will go to general support that covers equipment and supplies used by all fee-based extracurricular programs, fee waivers for students who need assistance to participate in such programs, and to those programs with the greatest need. Every dollar stays at the school(s) to which you donate.

**Note:** Your dollars cannot be designated for an individual student.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date