



**To:** Facilities Committee

**From:** Kimberly Ptak

**Date:** Wednesday, October 18, 2017

**Re:** Black Box Theaters

**Background**

At the regularly scheduled May 8, 2014 board meeting, a report was presented to the Board on the numbers of students “cut” because an activity is “by audition, tryout or application.” This report followed discussions on growing enrollment and overall building capacity. Since this meeting, administration and the Board have periodically discussed Black Box Theaters; in particular the overall purpose, cost and demand. Attached is preliminary information ARCON has gathered. The cost estimate ranges from \$3.5M-\$4.1M per theater.