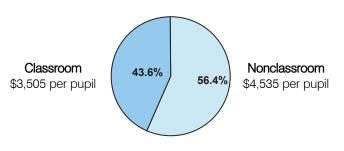
## **Classroom Dollars and Proposition 301 Results**

# Maricopa County Regional District School District Number of soft

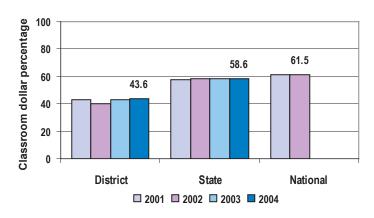
### Classroom Dollars

#### Fiscal year 2004



Total \$8,040 per pupil

#### 4-year comparison



#### Expenditures by function

	Percentage							
	District				State	National		
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004	2001		
Classroom dollars	43.3	40.4	42.8	43.6	58.6	61.5		
Nonclassroom dollars:								
Administration	23.4	22.1	23.3	26.2	9.5	10.9		
Plant operations	17.2	17.3	15.9	15.5	11.7	9.7		
Food service	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	4.7	4.0		
Transportation	8.0	10.8	7.9	7.9	4.0	4.1		
Student support	7.3	8.3	9.3	5.7	7.0	5.0		
Instruction support			0.5	0.9	4.3	4.6		
Other	0.3	0.7	0.1		0.2	0.2		

#### **Comparative Information**

		State		
	2002	2003	2004	2004
Student/teacher ratio	20.8	18.1	18.5	18.2
Average teacher salary	\$38,699	\$40,222	\$38,298	\$38,534
Average years' experience	4.8	4.9	4.6	8.7

Classroom dollar ranking: 213 of 227 districts.

## Proposition 301

#### District-reported 2004 results

Teacher pay

• On average, each teacher and speech therapist earned an additional \$4,710 in salary.

#### Performance

- The District accomplished its goals, which were based on district and school performance.
- Teachers each developed a project relating to student achievement.
- The District's teacher evaluation instrument was converted to a rating scale, and teachers were paid according to their scores.

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- Monies were used primarily to increase teacher compensation.
- Instructional aides were hired to reduce class sizes.