

Notice of Petition to Amend Charter:
Additional Facility – **The Children's Guild DC PCS**ACTION: Open for Public Comment
PUBLIC COMMENT ACCEPTED UNTIL: **May 31, 2018**

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (DC PCSB) announces an opportunity for the public to submit comment on a request submitted by The Children's Guild DC Public Charter School (Children's Guild PCS) on April 9, 2018 to operate at a second facility.

Children's Guild PCS is currently in its third year of operation serving students in grades K-8 at a single campus located in Ward 5. The school's existing facility is located at 2146 24th Place, NE. Effective for school year 2018-2019 and beyond, Children's Guild PCS requests to operate at a second facility in Ward 5 located at 2135 Queens Chapel Rd NE. The proposed new location is approximately 0.3 miles away, or a 6-minute walk, from the school's primary facility on 24th Place NE. If approved, Children's Guild PCS plans to use the proposed facility part-time to conduct its physical education and recreational programming.

Pursuant to the School Reform Act, D.C. Code 38-1802 et seq., a charter school must submit a petition to revise its charter, which includes its campus locations.

DATES:

- Comments must be submitted on or before May 31, 2018.
- Public hearing will be held on May 21, 2018, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check www.dcpcsb.org.
- Vote will be held on June 18, 2018, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check www.dcpcsb.org.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by "Children's Guild PCS - Notice of Petition to Amend Charter – Additional Facility," by any of the following methods:

- 1. Submit a written comment via:
 - (a) E-mail*: public.comment@dcpcsb.org
 - (b) Postal mail*: Attn: Public Comment, DC Public Charter School Board, 3333 14th ST. NW., Suite 210, Washington, DC 20010
 - (c) Hand Delivery/Courier*: Same as postal address above
- Sign up to testify in-person at the public hearing on May 21, 2018, by emailing a request to <u>public.comment@dcpcsb.org</u> by no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, May 17, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Laterica (Teri) Quinn, Senior Manager—School Quality and Accountability, at (202) 328-2660 or lquinn@dcpcsb.org.

DC PCSB reserves the right, but shall have no obligation, to review, pre-screen, filter, redact, refuse or remove any or all your submission that it may deem to be inappropriate for publication, such as obscene language.

^{*}Please select <u>only one</u> of the actions listed above.