



Notice of Petition to Amend Charter:
Goals and Academic Expectations – **Next Step/El Proximo Paso PCS**
ACTION: Open for Public Comment

PUBLIC COMMENT ACCEPTED UNTIL: **November 17, 2014**

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (“PCSB”) announces an opportunity for the public to submit comment on a request to amend its charter by increasing its enrollment ceiling for school year 2015-16 submitted by The Next Step/ El Proximo Paso Public Charter School (“Next Step PCS”) on September 12, 2014.

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 enrollment ceiling.

DATES:

- Comments must be submitted on or before November 17th.
- Public hearing will be held on Tuesday, November 17th, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check dcpcsb.org.
- Vote will be held on Monday, December 15th, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check dcpcsb.org.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by “Next Step PCS - Notice of Petition to Amend Charter – Increase Enrollment Ceiling,” 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
2. Sign up to testify in-person at the public hearing on November 17th, by emailing a request to public.comment@dcpcsb.org by no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, November 13th.

*Please select only one of the actions listed above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Laterica (Teri) Quinn, Equity and Fidelity Specialist, at (202) 328-2660; email: lquinn@dcpcsb.org.

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

Dated: September 22, 2014

Scott Pearson, Executive Director