

Notice of Petition to Amend Charter: Facility Location – **Rocketship DC PCS**

ACTION: Open for Public Comment

PUBLIC COMMENT ACCEPTED UNTIL: May 22, 2017

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board ("PCSB") announces an opportunity for the public to submit comment on a request to temporarily co-locate its Ward 7 campus at two separate locations, submitted by Rocketship PCS on April 3, 2017. Under this proposal, the school's kindergarten through 2nd grade students will be served on the campus of Rocketship Rise Academy at 2335 Reynolds Place SE, while PK-3 and PK-4 students will locate at AppleTree PCS's Oklahoma Avenue site at 330 21st St NE. The PK3 and PK4 students will remain at the Oklahoma Ave site for the entirety of School Year 2017-18 and move to Rocketship DC PCS's permanent site the following school year, while the kindergarten through 2nd grade students will move to the permanent campus once construction is completed, midyear during the 2017-18 school year.

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 May 22, 2017.
- Public hearing will be held on Monday, May 22nd, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check <u>www.dcpcsb.org</u>.
- Vote will be held on Monday, June 19th, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check www.dcpcsb.org.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by "NAME," 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 May 22, by emailing a request to public.comment@dcpcsb.org by no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, May 18th.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Teri Quinn, Equity and Fidelity Senior Specialist, at (202) 328-2675; 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.

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