

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (DC PCSB) announces an opportunity for the public to submit comment on a charter amendment request submitted by Lee Montessori Public Charter School (Lee Montessori PCS) on February 28, 2020 for a new campus location.

Per the request, Lee Montessori PCS – East End will relocate from 2501 Martin Luther King Ave SE to 2345 R Street SE, located in the Fairlawn neighborhood of Ward 8. The school signed a five-year lease which will take effect July 1, 2020. Lee Montessori PCS - East End will operate in this facility starting in school year 2020-2021, serving 125 students in grades prekindergarten-3 through kindergarten, and ultimately growing to sixth grade. The facility can currently accommodate up to 216 students, but the school's long-term enrollment plan is for East End to educate up to 400 students, so in the future the LEA may consider upgrading the facility to provide additional space or may seek additional space at other facilities.

Lee Montessori PCS's Brookland campus will remain at its current location.

DATES:

- Comments must be submitted on or before April 20, 2020.
- Public hearing will be held on April 20, 2020, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check <u>www.dcpcsb.org</u>.
- Board vote will be held on May 19, 2020, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check <u>www.dcpcsb.org</u>

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by "Lee Montessori new location," 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 April 20, 2020 by emailing a request to public.comment@dcpcsb.org by no later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, April 15, 2020.

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

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Melodi Sampson at

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