

## Notice of Request to Amend Charter Grade Expansion– **Eagle Academy PCS** Open for Public Comment

## **Public Comment Accepted Until September 19, 2022**

**SUMMARY**: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (DC PCSB) announces an opportunity for the public to comment on a request from Eagle Academy Public Charter School (Eagle Academy PCS) to amend its charter agreement. The school seeks authorization to expand its program to grade 4 in school year (SY) 2023 – 24 and grade 5 in SY 2024 – 25 at both campuses. The school submitted its request on June 7, 2022.<sup>1</sup>

Currently, in its 19<sup>th</sup> year of operation, Eagle Academy PCS educates over 500students in grades prekindergarten 3 (PK3) through 3 across two campuses in Wards 6 and 8. Eagle Academy PCS's mission is "to build the foundation for a promising future for all students in a rich, robust learning environment that fosters creativity and problem-solving abilities".

**PUBLIC MEETINGS**: The public hearing will be on September 19, 2022 at 6:00 pm. The vote will be on October 17, 2022 at 6:00 pm. Please check <u>www.dcpcsb.org</u> to register for the virtual meetings.

**PUBLIC COMMENT INSTRUCTIONS**: Comments must be submitted on or before September 19, 2022. You may submit comments by any one of the methods listed below.<sup>2</sup>

- 1. Submit a written comment identified by "Eagle Academy PCS Notice of Petition to Amend Charter Expansion Request" via
  - a) E-mail: public.comment@dcpcsb.org
  - Mail, Hand Delivery, or Courier: Attn: Public Comment, DC Public Charter School Board, 3333 14<sup>th</sup> Street NW, Suite 210, Washington, DC 20010
- 2. Sign up to testify during the public hearing by e-mailing a request to <a href="mailto:public.comment@dcpcsb.org">public.comment@dcpcsb.org</a> no later than noon on September 19, 2022.
- 3. Submit voicemail testimony by phone: Call 202-328-2660 and select option 2. (You will have up to five minutes to record your testimony. Please note that all comments will be transcribed and made available to the public upon receipt.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pursuant to the School Reform Act, D.C. Code 38-1802 et seq., a charter school must submit a petition to revise its charter.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> DC PCSB reserves the right, but shall have no obligation, to review, pre-screen, filter, redact, refuse, or remove any or all of a submission that it may deem inappropriate for publication, such as obscenities.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT**: Bijon Lane, a Specialist in the School Performance Department, at <a href="mailto:blane@dcpcsb.org">blane@dcpcsb.org</a> or 202-328-2670.