

Notice of Request to Amend Charter:

Facility – **Community College Preparatory Academy PCS**Open for Public Comment

Public Comment Accepted Until November 21, 2022

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (DC PCSB) announces an opportunity for the public to comment on a request from Community College Preparatory Academy Public Charter School (CC Prep PCS) to amend its charter agreement. The school proposes relocating to 1806 Woodmont Place SE ahead of school year (SY) 2023 – 24. CC Prep PCS submitted its request on October 3, 2022.¹

CC Prep PCS began operation in 2013 under authorization from DC PCSB. The school educates over 500 adult students in Ward 8. CC Prep PCS's mission is to "provide the education and skills development that will empower and prepare under-credited adults for postsecondary education success, viable employment and lifelong learning."

The school is constructing a new facility at 1806 Woodmont Place SE. CC Prep PCS intends to relocate its students from 3301 Wheeler Road SE to the new location ahead of SY 2023 – 24. Per its charter agreement amendment application, the school's proposed facility "is projected to be 41K feet and the maximum occupancy is 1,200." CC Prep PCS notes that it will continue to operate three shifts per school day. Further, "a significant number of blended learning students...will be attending [the school] virtually."

PUBLIC MEETINGS: The public hearing will be on November 21, 2022, at 6:00 pm. The vote will be on December 19, 2022 at 6:00 pm. Please check <u>www.dcpcsb.org</u> for the meeting location.

PUBLIC COMMENT INSTRUCTIONS: Comments must be submitted on or before November 21, 2022.² You may submit comments by any one of the methods listed below.

- 1. Submit a written comment identified by "CC Prep PCS Notice of Petition to Amend Charter Facility" via
 - a) E-mail: public.comment@dcpcsb.org

¹ Pursuant to the School Reform Act, D.C. Code 38-1802 et seq., a charter school must submit a petition to revise its charter.

² 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.

- b) Mail, Hand Delivery, or Courier: Attn: Public Comment, DC Public Charter School Board, 3333 14th Street NW, Suite 210, Washington, DC 20010
- 2. Sign up to testify during the public hearing by e-mailing a request to public.comment@dcpcsb.org no later than noon on November 21, 2022.
- 3. Submit voicemail testimony by phone: Call (202) 328-2660, 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.)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT: Melodi Sampson, a Director in the School Performance Department, at msampson@dcpcsb.org.