



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 9.6

Meeting Date: June 20, 2024

Subject: Process Update: Charter Oversight, Investigation, and Renewal

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
- Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
- Conference/Action
- Action
- Public Hearing

Division: Office of the Deputy Superintendent

Recommendation: This is an information item. No Board action is recommended.

Background/Rationale: The Sacramento City Unified School Board authorizes 15 charter schools and directs the Superintendent and her designee, the Director of Innovative Schools, to perform the required oversight. The Director of Innovative Schools performs annual review of the authorized charter schools and reports that information to the Board. The Director will also receive, review, and bring charter renewal petitions to the board. The Board should expect to receive six charter renewal petitions in the 2024-25 school year which will need to be considered in accordance with legal requirements.

In May 2024, the Director of Innovative Schools presented an overview of the oversight and renewal processes to the board in public session. In both commentary during public session and communications sent to the board following the meeting, questions were raised about this process in general and specifically about oversight concerns regarding two charter schools (Sacramento Charter High School and St. Hope Public School 7). The purpose of this items is to inform the board of staff's process to investigate those concerns and clarify how that process relates to renewal considerations and annual oversight.

Financial Considerations: There are no financial considerations specific to this item.

LCAP Goal(s): Goal 8: Basic Services and Districtwide Operations/Supports

Documents Attached: N/A

Estimated Time of Presentation: 10 minutes

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