



Notice of Petition to Amend Charter:
Goals and Academic Achievement Expectations – **Elsie Whitlow Stokes PCS**

ACTION: Open for Public Comment

PUBLIC COMMENT ACCEPTED UNTIL: **April 18, 2016**

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (“DC PCSB”) announces an opportunity for the public to submit comment on a request to amend its goals and academic achievement expectations by Elsie Whitlow Stokes Public Charter School (“EW Stokes PCS”) on March 1, 2016.

EW Stokes PCS is petitioning the Board to elect to adopt the Performance Management Framework (“PMF”) as its goals and student achievement expectations. The school is up for its 20-year charter review in school year 2017-2018.

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 goals and academic achievement expectations.

DATES:

- Comments must be submitted on or before April 18, 2016.
- Public hearing will be held on April 18, 2016, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check www.dcpcsb.org.
- Vote will be held on May 16, 2016, at 6:30 pm. For location, please check www.dcpcsb.org.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by “EW Stokes PCS - Notice of Petition to Amend Charter – Goals and Academic Achievement Expectations,” 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 18th, by emailing a request to public.comment@dcpcsb.org by no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, April 14, 2016.

*Please select only one of the actions listed above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Laterica (Teri) Quinn, Equity and Fidelity Specialist, at (202) 328-2660; email: lquinn@dcpcsb.org.

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