



Notice of Petition to Amend Charter: Campus Closure and Consolidation – **Cesar Chavez PCS**
ACTION: Open for Public Comment
PUBLIC COMMENT ACCEPTED UNTIL: **February 25, 2019**

SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (DC PCSB) announces an opportunity for the public to submit comments on a request submitted by Cesar Chavez Public Charter School for Public Policy (Cesar Chavez PCS) on January 18, 2019 to close the Chavez Prep Middle School campus and consolidate the Chavez Capitol Hill High School campus with the Chavez Parkside campus, both effective at the end of the current school year.

Cesar Chavez PCS is currently authorized to operate grades 6 through 12, and a school may reconfigure its campuses consistent with DC PCSB's [School, Campus, and Facility Policy](#). Further, it is within a school's exclusive control to close campuses. However, a closed campus must also be reflected in a lowered enrollment ceiling for the local education agency (LEA), and all campuses and locations must be reflected accurately in a school's charter agreement. Therefore, the DC PCSB Board must vote on a charter agreement amendment reflecting the revised campus configuration, the single campus location, and the lowered enrollment ceiling.

DATES:

- Comments must be submitted on or before February 25, 2019.
- Public hearing will be held on February 25, 2019, at 6:30 PM. For location, please check www.dcpccb.org
- Vote will be held on March 18, 2019, at 6:30 PM. For location, please check www.dcpccb.org.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by "Cesar Chavez PCS - Campus Closure and Consolidation," by any of the following methods:

1. Submit a written comment via:
 - (a) E-mail*: public.comment@dcpccb.org
 - (b) Postal mail*: Attn: Public Comment, DC Public Charter School Board, 3333 14th Street 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 February 25, 2019, by emailing a request to public.comment@dcpccb.org by no later than 4 PM on Friday, February 22, 2019.

*Please select only one of the actions listed above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Laterica (Teri) Quinn, Senior Manager—
School Quality and Accountability, at (202) 328-2660; email: lquinn@dcpcs.org.

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.