



SUMMARY: The District of Columbia Public Charter School Board (DC PCSB) announces an opportunity for the public to submit comment on a request by Global Citizens Public Charter School (Global Citizens PCS) to co-locate with Friendship PCS – Collegiate Academy at 4095 Minnesota Ave. NE in Ward 7.

Global Citizens PCS received conditional approval on March 23, 2020 to establish a new public charter school. This approval is contingent on the school satisfying all the Board's conditions, which include securing a fully executed lease or license agreement for a facility. Pending its full charter approval, the school will begin operation in school year 2021-22, enrolling up to 100 students in grades PK3 through PK4. At capacity, it will serve a total of 400 students in grades PK3 through 5.

DATES:

- Comments must be submitted on or before April 19, 2021.
- The public hearing will be held on April 19, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. For meeting registration information, please visit www.dcpccb.org.
- The vote for full charter approval, including facility, is tentatively scheduled for June 21, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. For meeting registration information, please visit www.dcpccb.org.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by “Global Citizens PCS – Notice of Public Hearing,” by selecting only one of the following methods.¹

1. Submit a written comment via:
 - (a) E-mail: public.comment@dcpccb.org.
 - (b) Postal Mail, Hand Delivery, or Courier: Attn: Public Comment, DC Public Charter School Board, 3333 14th St. NW, Suite 210, Washington, DC 20010
2. Submit voicemail testimony by calling (202) 328-2660 and selecting option 2.
3. Sign up to testify at the public hearing by emailing a request to public.comment@dcpccb.org by no later than 12 p.m. on April 19, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Hannah Cousino; Manager, Equity, Audits, and Support; at (202) 328-2673 or hcousino@dcpccb.org.

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