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To Board of Education

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Meeting Date February 9, 2022

Subject Material Revision to Lighthouse Community Charter High School’s Admission Preferences – Initial Public Hearing

Ask of the Board Initial Public Hearing of the Lighthouse Community Charter High School - Grades 9-12 - July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2025 - Material Revision Request to change lottery preferences or admission procedures in order to accommodate recruiting and accepting an unsheltered student population to meet the demands of this vulnerable student population.

Background

- Lighthouse submitted a material revision request on 12/3/21 which was deemed complete on 12/22/21. The material revision request revises the charter school’s admissions preferences to create a priority for homeless/unsheltered students and to reorder existing priorities.
- This item was introduced as a new legislative matter on January 26, 2022.
- Following the initial public hearing, the Office of Charter Schools will conduct an evaluation of the request and will present their findings and recommendation to the District Board for a vote.

Discussion This is an opportunity for the charter school staff to present about their reasons for seeking a material revision and opportunity for Board members to ask any questions.

Fiscal Impact N/A

Attachment(s)

- 22-0171 - Lighthouse Community Charter High School Presentation - Initial Public Hearing
- 22-0171 - Lighthouse Community Charter High School Revised Petition RED LINE
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