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To Board of Education

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Meeting Date June 11, 2025

Subject Material Revision to Aspire Triumph Technology Charter School’s Facility Location

Ask of the Board Vote

Background Aspire Triumph Technology Academy (“Triumph Academy”) submitted a material revision request on March 21, 2025. The material revision requests to revise the charter school’s location from a private campus at 3200 62nd Avenue, Oakland, CA 94605, to another private campus and the same location as Aspire College Academy, 8030 Atherton St, Oakland, CA 94605.

On May 14, 2025, the OUSD Board of Education held an Initial Public Hearing, where Aspire Triumph Technology Academy staff had the opportunity to present to the Board. In accordance with California Education Code, the OUSD Office of Charter Schools prepared a Staff Report which was posted publicly by May 27, 2025.

Discussion Staff evaluate charter school material revision petitions with the following criteria pursuant to Education Code §47605(c):

- I. Has the Charter School Presented a Sound Educational Program?
- II. Is the Charter School Demonstrably Likely to Successfully Implement the Proposed Educational Program?
- III. Is the Petition Reasonably Comprehensive?

Education Code §476059(c)(7-8) outlines two additional criteria for material revisions including whether the charter school is likely to serve the interests of the entire community in which the school is proposing to locate (“Criterion IV”) and whether the District is positioned to absorb the fiscal impact of the proposed change (“Criterion V”). Pursuant to Education Code §47605(a)(4), Criteria IV and V “may only be used to deny a proposed expansion constituting a material revision.”

An expansion, pursuant to Education Code §47605(a)(4), is defined as a proposal to “expand operations to one or more additional sites or grade levels”. Because Triumph Academy is not proposing to expand operations to one or more additional sites, but is only changing the location of its current site, the Material Revision does not constitute an expansion as defined by California Education Code and, thus, Criteria IV and V are not considered in this report.

OCS recommends that the OUSD Board vote to **approve** the material revision petition.

Fiscal Impact

No direct fiscal impact.

Attachment(s)

- Aspire Triumph Technology Academy Revised Petition – Redline
- Aspire Triumph Technology Academy Revised Petition – Clean
- Aspire Triumph Technology Academy – Material Revision Attachments Packet
- Aspire Triumph Technology Academy – Charter School Final Public Hearing Presentation
- Aspire Triumph Technology Academy – Material Revision Staff Presentation
- Aspire Triumph Technology Academy – Material Revision Staff Report