

**AMEND BOARD REPORT 09-1123-EX7**

**AMEND BOARD REPORT 08-0924-EX8  
AMEND BOARD REPORT 08-0602-EX7  
APPROVE THE RENEWAL OF THE CHARTER SCHOOL AGREEMENT WITH  
UNO CHARTER SCHOOL**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:**

Approve the renewal of the Charter School Agreement with UNO Charter School Network for an additional five

**CHARTER SCHOOL:** UNO Charter School Network

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**ORIGINAL AGREEMENT:** The original Charter School Agreement (authorized by Board Report 97-1217-EX2) was for a term commencing July 1, 1998 and ending June 30, 2003 and authorized the operation of a charter school serving no more than 800 students in grades K – 8 on two campuses. The campus serving grades K – 3 was located at 2651 W. 23<sup>rd</sup> Street. The campus serving grades 4 – 8 was located at 2401 W. Congress. The charter and Charter School Agreement were subsequently renewed for a term commencing July 1, 2003 and ending June 30, 2008 (authorized by Board Report 03-0225-EX7) and authorized an increase in the maximum student enrollment to permit 1060 students in grades Pre-K – 8. The charter and Charter School Agreement were subsequently amended as follows:

- Board Report 05-0622-EX2: Approved the establishment of a new campus (Rufino Tamayo Campus) located at 5157 S. California and an increase of the enrollment cap to 1310. Also approved the change in charter school name from Octavio Paz Charter School to UNO Charter School.
- Board Report 05-1026-EX2: Approved the address correction for the Rufino Tamayo Campus to 5135 S. California.
- Board Report 06-0222-EX15: Approved the establishment of 2 new elementary campuses and to increase the student enrollment of the Rufino Tamayo Campus to 207. The Portelma de Lee

CHARTER RENEWAL PROPOSAL - UNO Charter School District (UNO) submitted a renewal proposal on

October 5, 2007, to continue the operation of the UNO Charter School under a unified mission. UNO has since modified its renewal proposal to include commitments to operate the eight (8) campuses unified through the use of uniform assessment plans and performance standards, curriculum and school calendar alignment, as well as



Once the new Gage Park and Academy High Campuses anticipated to open in the fall of 2010 respectively are ready for occupancy, the Office of New Schools will process amended Board Reports providing the full address

for each of these campuses. The Charter School Agreement will be amended consistent with these amended

has been previously made, expenditures beyond FY10 are deemed to be contingent liabilities only, subject to appropriation in subsequent fiscal year budgets. The cost of this additional enrollment will be approximately

\$3,670,200.00 in 2011-2012. If JINQ Charter School applies to the Renaissance Schools Fund for funding for

the new elementary school...

Approved:

Respectfully Submitted:

*Barbara Eason-Watkins*

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Chief Education Officer

*Ron Huberman*

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Within Appropriation:

Approved as to Legal Form: *[Signature]*

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