

August 28, 2017

AMEND BOARD REPORT 16-1207-EX8
AUTHORIZE RENEWAL OF THE KIPP CHICAGO CHARTER SCHOOLS AGREEMENT WITH
CONDITIONS

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:

Authorizing renewal of the KIPP Chicago Charter Schools Agreement (the "Charter School Agreement")

with conditions for an additional ~~five~~seven-year period. A new Charter School Agreement applicable to
this renewal term will be negotiated. The authority granted herein shall automatically expire in the event

ending June 30, 2012, serving no more than 450 students in grades 7 through 12 (authorized by Board Report 07-0200-EX9).

services after the 2009-2010 school year for a period of no more than two years with an effective date of June 30, 2010 (authorized by Board Report 10-0526-EX4). In November 2011, ACT Charter School submitted a proposal to reinstate the operation of charter school with KIPP Chicago as an educational management organization providing comprehensive school management services at the charter school.

Board Report 16-0427-FY20: Approved the consolidation of the KIPP Ascend Primary Campus

(K-5) and the KIPP Ascend Campus (6-8) into one campus to be named the KIPP Ascend College Prep Campus with an at capacity enrollment of 949 students. Also approved the change in grades served at the KIPP #5 Campus in year one from grade 5 to grades K and 5 in the fall of

the proposal, academic results, financial performance, governance documents, parental issues, facilities surveys, and special education documentation. A public hearing was held on November 21, 2016 for all contract and charter schools going through renewals to receive public comments, including KIPP Chicago Charter Schools. The Office of Innovation and Incubation recommends that, based on the school's performance on these and other accountability criteria, as well as the school's demonstration of intent to

authorized to continue operating as a charter school.

RENEWAL TERM: The term of KIPP Chicago Charter Schools' charter and agreement is being extended for a five ~~(5)~~ seven (7) year term commencing July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2022~~4~~.

ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS: Additional terms and conditions will be communicated to the

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General - Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

~~Conflicts - The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the~~

Provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3, which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former Board members during the one-year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Indebtedness - The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted June 26, 1996 (96-0626-PO3), as amended ~~from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement~~