

Continuation of Summary Explanation and Background:

Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes, authorizes the submission of applications for a new charter school. Leadership Academy of Health Science and Communications submitted a formal application to start a public charter school for the 2018-2019 school year.

The Superintendent of Schools appointed a Superintendent's Charter School Review Committee to review and analyze the charter application from Leadership Academy of Health Science and Communications. The committee is comprised of representatives from the departments of Elementary Learning, Secondary Learning, Bilingual/English Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), Exceptional Student Learning Support (ESLS), Budget, Student Assessment and Research, District Administration and other pertinent areas of the organization. Utilizing the Model Florida Charter School Application Charter School format, the Committee reviewed the application in detail.

Having reviewed Leadership Academy of Health Science and Communications, application, the Committee recommended the denial of the proposed charter school application (Exhibit 3). The Superintendent has received the Committee's recommendation and requests that The School Board of Broward County, Florida deny the application of Leadership Academy of Health Science and Communications, for the grounds specified in the attached executive summary.

A copy of all supporting documents is available at the Charter Schools Management/Support Department on the 12<sup>th</sup> floor of the K.C.W. Administration Center.

A copy of all supporting documents is available online via the Broward County Public Schools eAgenda at: <https://webappe.browardschools.com/eagenda/>.