

RESOLUTION OF THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION REGARDING THE KNOWLEDGE ACADEMY EMERGENCY AMENDMENT PETITION APPEAL

Whereas, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-13-101 et. seq., Knowledge Academy at the Crossings ("KA") submitted an appeal to the denial of its emergency amendment petition by the Metro Nashville Public School ("MNPS") Board of Education dated May 4, 2022 to the Tennessee Public Charter School Commission ("Commission"), which is charged with serving as an appellate authorizer beginning with the 2020-2021 school year, and;

Whereas, representatives of the sponsor of KA and the MNPS Office of Charter Schools participated virtually in a public hearing on June 8, 2022 to answer questions of the Commission staff and receive comment from members of the public in the proposed district, and;

Whereas, the Commission, at a special called meeting on June 28, 2022, reviewed, discussed, and considered the full appeal record, review committee report, final statements of the parties, and the Executive Director's recommendation prior to voting on a decision;

Therefore, be it resolved by the Tennessee Public Charter School Commission that the emergency amendment petition for Knowledge Academy at the Crossings is approved, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-13-105(a).

Commissioner Smith moved for approval of the Resolution.

The motion was seconded by Commissioner Tucker and, upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

- 1. Commissioner Griscom voted aye;
- 2. Commissioner Hanson voted aye;
- 3. Commissioner Patterson voted aye;
- Commissioner Richards voted aye;
- 5. Commissioner Sisnett voted aye;
- 6. Commissioner Smith voted aye;
- Commissioner Tucker voted aye;
- 8. Commissioner Woodson voted aye;
- 9. Commissioner Levine was absent.

The Chair thereupon declared that the resolution was duly passed and adopted on this 28th day of June 2022.

In accordance with T.C.A. § 49-13-108(5)(D), the decision of the Commission is final and not subject to appeal.

Tom Griscom Chairman

Tennessee Public Charter School Commission

6/28/2022

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