



JULY 2003 AGENDA

SUBJECT Assignment of Numbers for Charter School Petitions	X	ACTION
		INFORMATION
		PUBLIC HEARING

Recommendation:

California Department of Education (CDE) staff recommends that the State Board of Education (SBE) assign charter numbers to the charter schools identified on the attached list.

Summary of Previous State Board of Education Discussion and Action

The SBE is responsible for assigning a number to each approved charter petition. On the advice of legal counsel, CDE staff is presenting this routine request for a charter number as a standard action item.

Since the charter school law was enacted in 1992, the SBE has assigned numbers to 562 charter schools, including seven approved by the SBE after denial by the local agencies. Of these 562 schools, approximately 430 are estimated to be operating in the 2002-03 school year. In addition, the SBE has approved eight all-charter school districts containing a total of 15 charter schools.

Summary of Key Issue(s)

The law allows for the establishment of charter schools. A charter school typically is approved by a local school district or county office of education. The entity that approves a charter is also responsible for ongoing oversight. A charter school must comply with all the contents of its charter, but is otherwise exempt from most other laws governing school districts.

Education Code Section 47602 requires the SBE to assign a number to each charter school that has been approved by a local entity in the chronological order in which it was received. This numbering ensures that the state is within the cap on the total number of charter schools authorized to operate. As of July 1, 2003, the number of charter schools that may be authorized to operate in the state is 750. This cap may not be waived. This item will assign numbers to 26 more charter schools. Copies of the charter petitions are on file at the Charter Schools Office.

Fiscal Analysis (as appropriate)

N/A

Attachment(s)

Attachment 1: [Assignment of Numbers for Charter School Petitions \(Pages 1-3\)](#)

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Assignment of Numbers for Charter School Petitions

NUMBER	CHARTER SCHOOL NAME	CHARTER SCHOOL COUNTY	AUTHORIZING ENTITY	CHARTER SCHOOL CONTACT
563	Emiliano Zapata Street Academy	Alameda	Oakland USD	Betsy Schulz 417 29 th St. Oakland, CA 94609 (510) 879-3130
564	Vocational Education Academy	Stanislaus	Stanislaus COE	Judie Piscitello 1100 H St. Modesto, CA 95354 (209) 525-5093
565	Morada Lane Secondary School	San Joaquin	Lodi USD	Lane Weiss 3293 E. Morada Lane Stockton, CA 95212 (209) 607-2952
566	Grizzly ChalleNGe Charter School	San Luis Obispo	San Luis Obispo COE	Jeanne Dukes 3150 Education Dr. San Luis Obispo, CA 94305 (805) 542-0106
567	Five Keys Charter School – San Francisco Sheriff’s Department	San Francisco	San Francisco USD	Sandra Schwartz 120 14 th Street San Francisco, CA 94103 (415) 734-2307
568	Mammoth Olympic Academy for Academic Excellence	Mono	Mammoth USD	Stan Halperin P.O. Box 3509 Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546 (760) 934-6802
569	Ocean Charter School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Alex Metcalf 3456 Ashwood Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90066 (310) 636-1409

570	Crenshaw Arts and Technology High School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Pat Smith P.O. Box 561752 Los Angeles, CA 90056 (213) 624-5272
571	Crossroads Charter School	Kings	Armona Union ESD	Steve Bogan P.O. Box 368 Armona, CA 93202 (559) 583-5000
572	Granada Hills High School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Pat Givant 10535 Zelzah Avenue Granada Hills, CA 91344 (818) 360-2361
573	The Etna Academy of the Arts, Sciences, and Technology	Siskiyou	Etna Elementary Union SD	Mike McLaughlin P.O. Box 490 Etna, CA 96027 (530) 467-3320
574	Farnham Elementary School	Santa Clara	Cambrian SD	Maureen Ricketts 15711 Woodard Rd. San Jose, CA 95124 (408) 377-3321
575	Price Middle School	Santa Clara	Cambrian SD	Debra Negrete 2650 New Jersey Ave. San Jose, CA 95124 (408) 377-2532
576	Blue Oaks Charter School	Yuba	Marysville Joint USD	Max Barnes-Allan 1919 B. St. Marysville, CA 95901 (530) 741-6128
577	Institute of Business, Management, and Law Charter High School	San Joaquin	Stockton USD	Carl Toliver 701 N. Madison St. Stockton, CA 95202 (209) 933-7035
578	Edward B. Cole Academy	Orange	Santa Ana USD	Lee de Leon 2617 West 5 th St. Santa Ana, CA 92703 (909) 830-0204
579	Renaissance Arts Academy Charter School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	P.K. Candaux 3275 Tareco Dr. Los Angeles, CA 90068 (323) 874-6030

580	CHIME Middle Charter School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Renne Harvey P.O. Box 280310 Northridge, CA 91328 (818) 677-4979
581	Animo Boyle Heights Charter School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Steve Barr 1114 South Lorena Los Angeles, CA 90023 (310) 216-3278
582	Inglewood Preparatory Academy Charter School	Los Angeles	Inglewood USD	Raymond and Carolyn Wilder 830 North La Brea Ave. Inglewood, CA 90302 (310) 671-5578
583	Pacoima Elementary Charter School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Irene Smerigan 11016 Norris Ave. Pacoima, CA 91331 (818) 899-0201
584	Los Angeles Educational Achievement Partnership (LEAP) High School	Los Angeles	Los Angeles USD	Michael Moody 6227 Buffalo Ave. Van Nuys, CA 91401 (818) 382-2200
585	New Technology High School	Sacramento	Sacramento City USD	Howard Mahoney 1400 Dickson St. Sacramento, CA 95824 (916) 752-3101
586	The Met Sacramento	Sacramento	Sacramento City USD	Elizabeth Kay 4104 Martin Luther King Sacramento, CA 95824 (916) 752-3456
587	Genesis High School	Sacramento	Sacramento City USD	Darryl White 2200 John Still Dr. Sacramento, CA 95832 (916) 752-3149
588	America's Choice High School	Sacramento	Sacramento City USD	Arturo Flores c/o Small Schools Office, SCUSD 5735 47 th Ave. Sacramento, CA 95824 (916) 752-3174