

School Operations  
Dr. John D. Pace, Chief Operating Officer

**SUBJECT: REQUEST SCHOOL BOARD APPROVAL OF NINE CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACT AMENDMENTS**

**COMMITTEE: PERSONNEL, STUDENT, SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC BLUEPRINT: RELEVANT, RIGOROUS AND INNOVATIVE ACADEMICS**

**AMENDED CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACTS**

Section 1002.33(7), F.S., states that the major issues involved in the operation of charter schools be considered in advance and written into a charter school contract between the charter school and the School Board following a public meeting. Pursuant to School Board Policy 9800, Charter Schools, (“Policy 9800”), nine charter school contract amendments are being presented for consideration in this item. Additional details for the amended contracts can be found in Attachment “A”.

Policy 9800 requires that all amendments must be negotiated in compliance with the contract negotiation process and that amendments may be considered if the school has satisfactory academic performance, fiscal management, and operational compliance. This process requires the Superintendent to convene the Contract Review Committee (CRC) to meet publicly and negotiate initial charter school contracts and significant contract amendments for presentation to the School Board for their final dispensation. The amended charter school contract recommendations are presented in the table below.

CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACT AMENDMENTS					
	Type of Amendment	Name of School	Legal Entity	Committee Recommendation	Supporting Documentation
1.	<u>Administrative Amendment:</u> School Name Change and Add an Additional Folio	Excelsior Charter Academy (MSID 5032)	Excelsior Academies, Inc.	N/A	Attachment A
2.	<u>Administrative Amendment:</u> School Name Change	Excelsior Language Academy of Hialeah (MSID 5029)		N/A	
3.	Enrollment Increase	Green Springs High School (MSID 7067)	Florida High School for Accelerated Learning- Miami Campus, Inc.	Approval	
4.	Enrollment Increase	North Park High School (MSID 7069)	Florida High School for Accelerated Learning- Miami – Dade Campus, Inc.	Approval	
5.	<u>Administrative Amendment:</u> Legal Entities Consolidation	Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102)	Miami Community Charter School, Inc.	N/A	
		Miami Community Charter School Middle School (MSID 6048)	Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc.	N/A	
		Miami Community Charter School High School (MSID 7058)	Miami Community Charter High School, Inc.	N/A	

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6.	Enrollment Increase	Sports Leadership and Management (SLAM) Charter Middle School (MSID 6015)	Sports Leadership & Management, Inc.	Approval	Attachment A
7.	<u>Administrative Amendment:</u> School Name Change	SLAM Academy Charter High School (North Campus) (MSID 7108)		N/A	

### **DUE PROCESS**

To ensure proper notice and due process, the non-profit entity was notified of the Superintendent's recommendations to the School Board and were provided a copy of the contracts prior to the School Board Meeting.

Copies of the charter school amendments can be accessed online at:

<http://attachmentManagerFiles.dadeschools.net/getFile.ashx?id=uKdCSvotLI9~!SCPgASnpEnc/DhsNib~!Vx8LD/JwNII1JI6wjKeNkt1qzsMSJEU9X&app=AttachmentManager>

and will be available for inspection by the public in the Office of Board Recording Secretary, Room 924, and in the Citizen Information Center, Room 158, 1450 N.E. Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132.

Board approval of this item does not reflect or constitute a finding of need, justification, or endorsement for any charter school as proposed in the item but only that it meets the statutory requirements for Board approval of a charter school application or contract under Section 1002.33, F.S., and Policy 9800.

### **RECOMMENDED:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve nine charter contract amendments with:

1. Excelsior Academies, Inc., d/b/a Excelsior Charter Academy (MSID 5032), to (a) add an adjacent parcel of land to be used as a play field, folio 34-2110-002-0020; and (b) to change the school name from Excelsior Charter Academy to Excelsior Prep Charter School of Miami Gardens, commencing February 11, 2021;
2. Excelsior Academies, Inc., d/b/a Excelsior Language Academy of Hialeah (MSID 5029), to change the school name from Excelsior Language Academy of Hialeah to Excelsior Prep Charter School of Hialeah commencing February 11, 2021;
3. Florida High School for Accelerated Learning - Miami Campus, Inc., d/b/a/ Green Springs High School (MSID 7067), to increase student enrollment by 40 students for a maximum enrollment of 540 students commencing July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2026;

4. Florida High School for Accelerated Learning - Miami- Dade Campus, Inc., d/b/a/ North Park High School (MSID 7069), to increase student enrollment by 50 students for a maximum student enrollment of 550 students commencing July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2026;
5. Miami Community Charter Schools, Inc., to change the names of the contracted non-profit legal entities for Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102), Miami Community Charter Middle School (MSID 6048), Miami Community Charter High School (MSID 7058) to **Miami Community Charter Schools, Inc.**, resulting from the school's legal action to merge the non-profit corporations, Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc., Miami Community Charter High School, Inc., and Miami Community Charter School, Inc., effective July 23, 2020;
6. Sports Leadership and Management Inc., d/b/a Sports Leadership and Management (SLAM) Charter Middle School (MSID 6015), to increase the student enrollment by 100 students for a maximum enrollment of 1,000 students commencing July 1, 2020, and ending June 30, 2023; and,
7. Sports Leadership and Management Inc., d/b/a SLAM Academy Charter High School (North Campus) (MSID 7108), to change the school name from SLAM Academy Charter High School (North Campus), to Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter High School (North Campus), commencing July 1, 2020.

Attachments

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### CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACT AMENDMENT(S):

1. Excelsior Academies, Inc., d/b/a/ Excelsior Charter Academy [MSID 5032];
2. Excelsior Academies, Inc., d/b/a/ Excelsior Language Academy of Hialeah [MSID 5029];
3. Florida High School for Accelerated Learning - Miami Campus, Inc., d/b/a/ Green Springs High School (MSID 7067);
4. Florida High School for Accelerated Learning - Miami- Dade Campus, Inc., d/b/a/ North Park High School (MSID 7069);
5. Miami Community Charter School, Inc., d/b/a Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102);  
Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc., d/b/a Miami Community Charter Middle School (MSID 6048);  
Miami Community Charter High School, Inc., d/b/a Miami Community Charter High School (MSID 7058);
6. Sports Leadership and Management Inc., d/b/a Sports Leadership and Management (SLAM) Charter Middle School (MSID 6015); and,
7. Sports Leadership and Management Inc., d/b/a SLAM Academy Charter High School (North Campus) (MSID 7108).

### CHARTER SCHOOL CONTRACT AMENDMENT(S)

#	School Information	School Location	Current Term	Current Grade Levels	Current Enrollment (Oct. FTE)	2019 School Grade/ Rating	Recommended Action(s) and/or Special Provisions	Geographic Area
		Feeder Pattern	Beg. / Exp.		Maximum Contract Capacity			Region
								School Board Member
1	<b>Excelsior Charter Academy (MSID 5032)</b>  Legal Entity: Excelsior Academies, Inc.  ESP: N/A	18200 NW 22 Avenue Miami Gardens, FL. 33056	5 years	K-8	408	C	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To (a) add an adjacent parcel of land to be used as a play field, folio 34-2110-002-0020; and (b) to change the school name from Excelsior Charter Academy to Excelsior Prep Charter School of Miami Gardens, commencing February 11, 2021.	Miami Gardens
		Brentwood Elem., Carol City Elem., Barbara Hawkins Elem., Lake Stevens Elem., Miami Gardens Elem., North Glade Elem., FSW/Skyway Elem., Myrtle Grove K-8, North County K-8, Carol City MS, Lake Stevens MS, Miami Carol City HS	2017-2022		600			North Region
2	<b>Excelsior Language Academy of Hialeah (MSID 5029)</b>  Legal Entity: Excelsior Academies, Inc.  ESP: N/A	369 East 10 <sup>th</sup> Street, Hialeah, FL 33010	5 years	K-8	176	B	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To change the school name from Excelsior Language Academy of Hialeah to Excelsior Prep Charter School of Hialeah commencing February 11, 2021.	Hialeah
		J. H. Bright Elem.; A. Earhart Elem.; Flamingo Elem.; Meadowlane Elem.; N. Hialeah Elem.; P. Springs Elem.; M. M. Walters Elem.; Henry H. Filer MS; Hialeah MS; Hialeah SH; and Westland Hialeah SH.	2018-2023		390			North Region
3	<b>Green Springs High School (MSID 7067)</b>  Legal Entity: Florida High School for Accelerated Learning- Miami Campus, Inc.  ESP: Accelerated Learning Solutions, Inc.	3555 NW Seventh Street Miami, Florida 33125	10 years	9-12	512	Commendable (Alt. Ed)	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To increase student enrollment by 40 students for a maximum enrollment of 540 students commencing July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2026.	City of Miami
		Lenora B. Smith Elem., Maya Angelou Elem., Comstock Elem., Santa Clara Elem., Dr. Kelsey L. Pharr, Elem., Georgia Jones-Ayers Middle, Miami Jackson Senior	2016-2026		500			Central Region
								Fraga VD 5

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4	<b>North Park High School (MSID 7069)</b>  Legal Entity: Florida High School for Accelerated Learning- Miami Dade Campus, Inc.  ESP: Accelerated Learning Solutions, Inc.	3400 NW 135 Street Opa- Locka, FL 33054	10 years	9-12	504	Commendable (Alt. Ed)	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To increase student enrollment by 50 students for a maximum student enrollment of 550 students commencing July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2026.	Opa-Locka  Central Region  Gallon VD 1
		Arcola Lake Elem., Van E. Blanton Elem., Broadmoor Elem., Lakeview Elem., Henry E.S. Reeves K-8, Benjamin Franklin K-8, Dr. Henry W. Mack/West Little River K-8, Carrie P. Meek/Westview K-8, Madison Middle, Miami Central Senior, William H. Turner Technical Arts Senior	2016-2026		500			
5	<b>Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102)</b>  Legal Entity: Miami Community Charter School, Inc.  ESP: N/A	101 S Redland Road Florida City, FL 33034	5 years	K-5	543	B	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To change the names of the contracted non-profit legal entities for Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102), Miami Community Charter Middle School (MSID 6048), Miami Community Charter High School (MSID 7058) to <b>Miami Community Charter Schools, Inc.</b> resulting from the school's legal action to merge the non-profit corporations, Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc., Miami Community Charter High School, Inc., and Miami Community Charter School, Inc., effective July 23, 2020.	Florida City  South Region  Santos VD 9
		Air Base K-8; Campbell Dr. K-8; Coconut Palm K-8; Florida City Elem; Gateway Environmental K-8; I. & B. Peskoe K-8; L. C. Saunders Elem.; Leisure City K-8; Mandarin Lakes K-8; Homestead Middle and, Homestead Senior High	2018-2023		600			
	<b>Miami Community Charter Middle School (MSID 6048)</b>  Legal Entity: Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc.  ESP: N/A	18720 SW 352 Street, Florida City, 33034	5 years	6-8	316	B	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To change the names of the contracted non-profit legal entities for Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102), Miami Community Charter Middle School (MSID 6048), Miami Community Charter High School (MSID 7058) to <b>Miami Community Charter Schools, Inc.</b> resulting from the school's legal action to merge the non-profit corporations, Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc., Miami Community Charter High School, Inc., and Miami Community Charter School, Inc., effective July 23, 2020.	Florida City  South Region  Santos VD 9
		Air Base K-8; Campbell Dr. K-8; Coconut Palm K-8; Florida City Elem; Gateway Environmental K-8; I. & B. Peskoe K-8; L. C. Saunders Elem.; Leisure City K-8; Mandarin Lakes K-8; Homestead Middle and, Homestead SHS	2018-2023		484			

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	<b>Miami Community Charter High School (MSID 7058)</b>  Legal Entity: Miami Community Charter High School, Inc.  ESP: N/A	18720 SW 352 Street, Florida City, 33034	5 years	9-12	244	B	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To change the names of the contracted non-profit legal entities for Miami Community Charter School (MSID 0102), Miami Community Charter Middle School (MSID 6048), Miami Community Charter High School (MSID 7058) to <b>Miami Community Charter Schools, Inc.</b> resulting from the school's legal action to merge the non-profit corporations, Miami Community Charter Middle School, Inc., Miami Community Charter High School, Inc. and Miami Community Charter School, Inc. effective July 23, 2020.	Florida City
		Air Base K-8; Campbell Dr. K-8; Coconut Palm K-8; FL. City Elem; Gateway Environmental K-8; I. & B. Peskoe K-8; L. C. Saunders Elem.; Leisure City K-8; Mandarin Lakes K-8; Homestead MS and, Homestead SHS	2019-2024		600			South Region Santos VD 9
6	<b>Sports Leadership and Management (SLAM) Charter Middle School (MSID 6015)</b>  Legal Entity: Sports Leadership and Management Inc.  ESP: Academica Corporation	604 NW 12 Avenue, Miami, FL 33136	5 years	6-8	916	C	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To increase the student enrollment by 100 students for a maximum enrollment of 1,000 students commencing July 1, 2020, and ending June 30, 2023.	City of Miami
		Frederick Douglass Elem., Eneida M. Hartner Elem., Riverside Elem., Southside Preparatory Academy, Phillis Wheatley Elem., Paul L Dunbar K-8, MS, Law Enforcement Officers Memorial HS, Young Women's Prep. Academy, Young Men's Prep. Academy, iPreparatory Academy, Booker T Washington Senior	2018-2023		900			Central Region Rojas VD 6
7	<b>SLAM Academy Charter High School (North Campus) (MSID 7108)</b>  Legal Entity: Sports Leadership and Management Inc.  ESP: Academica Corporation	16551 NE 16 Avenue, North Miami Beach, FL 33162	5 years	9-12	118	NG	<b>Recommended Action(s):</b> To change the school name from SLAM Academy Charter High School (North Campus), to Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter High School (North Campus), commencing July 1, 2020.	North Miami Beach
		Fulford Elem., G. K. Edelman/Sabal Palm Elem., Greynolds Park Elem., John F. Kennedy Middle, North Miami Beach Senior High	2019-2024		175			North Region Baez-Geller VD 3