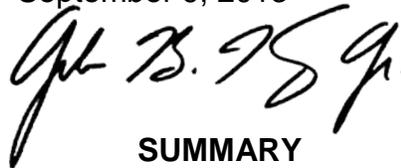




TO: The Honorable the Members of the Board of Regents
FROM: Ken Slentz 
SUBJECT: Revision to a Charter Authorized by the Board of Regents:
Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School

DATE: September 9, 2013

AUTHORIZATION(S):


SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent)

Should the Regents approve the proposed revision to the charter for Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by state statute.

Proposed Handling

This issue will be before the Full Board for action at the September 2013 meeting of the Board of Regents.

Procedural History

N/A

Background Information

The chart below provides some basic information about the school and the requested revision.

Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School

Name of Charter School	Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School
Applicant	Jerry Linder, BoT President
Management Company	N/A
Other Partner(s)	N/A
District of Location	Buffalo City School District
Address	15 Jewett Parkway, Buffalo, NY
School Opened For Instruction	September 2008
Current Grade Levels/ Number of Students	K-4, 300 students (current maximum approved enrollment)
Proposed Revision	The School has relocated and is no longer in the Fruit Belt area of the City of Buffalo. The Board of Trustees has requested that the name of the School be changed to: Aloma D. Johnson Charter School.

Recommendation

VOTED: That the Board of Regents finds that the proposed revised charter: (1) meets the requirements set out in Article 56 of the Education Law, and all other applicable laws, rules and regulations; (2) will operate in an educationally and fiscally sound manner; (3) is likely to improve student learning and achievement and materially further the purposes set out in subdivision two of section twenty-eight hundred fifty of Article 56 of the Education Law; and (4) will have a significant educational benefit to the students expected to attend the charter school, and the Board of Regents therefore approves the charter revision for the Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School and amends the provisional charter accordingly.

Timetable for Implementation

The Regents action for Aloma D. Johnson Fruit Belt Community Charter School will become effective immediately.