





TO: The Honorable Members of the Board of Regents
FROM: Daniel Morton-Bentley 
SUBJECT: Charter Applications
DATE: September 25, 2025
AUTHORIZATION(S): 

SUMMARY

Issue for Decision

Should the Board of Regents approve the charter applications?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by State statute (Education Law §216).

Proposed Handling

This issue will come before the Full Board for action at its October meeting.

Approval in accordance with the respective recommendations prepared by the program offices which are contained in the attached summary table of charter applications.

Procedural History

Not applicable.

Background Information

Not applicable.

Related Regents Items

Not applicable.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Regents take the following action:

VOTED: Approve each application in accordance with the recommendations contained in the summary table.

Timetable for Implementation

Not applicable.

Summary Table

Name of Institution	Program Area	County (City/Town) of Location	Description of Charter Action(s)
The Cat Museum of New York City	CE	New York (New York)	Grant provisional charter for five years.
The Museum of Food and Drink	CE	Kings (Brooklyn)	Extend provisional charter for five years.
Homestead School Sullivan	P-12	Sullivan (Glen Spey/Hurleyville)	Extend provisional charter for three years.
St. John Paul II Academy of Auburn	P-12	Cayuga (Cayuga)	Extend provisional charter for three years.

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