
Charter Schools Rule 0520-14-01

The Background:

Public Chapter 219 of the 111th General Assembly amended the charter school application timeline requiring sponsors to submit a charter school application to the Department of Education and the appropriate local board of education by February 1. This item proposes updates to State Board rule 0520-14-01-.01 Approval of a Charter School to reflect this updated statutory deadline.

Additionally, this item updates terms and citations in State Board rule 0520-14-01-.01 Approval of a Charter School, State Board rule 0520-14-01-.03 Allocation of State and Local Funds, and State Board rule 0520-14-01-.04 Enrollment to align with Public Chapter 219 of 2019.

Changes since first reading include:

- Additional updates to the language about application deadlines in alignment with statute; and
- Reorganization of the rule to clearly delineate between application requirements applicable to all authorizers and application requirements only applicable to local boards of education.

The Recommendation:

The State Board staff recommends approval of this item on final reading.