



Mission Statement Ideas

Existing Mission

"The mission of the Charter Commission is to provide positive academic and life outcomes for Tennessee's students through access to high-quality public charter schools. The effectiveness of these schools will be ensured through approval and support using rigorous oversight, transparency, and accountability."

Possible New Mission Statements

1. The mission of the Charter Commission is to act as a trusted partner, implementing best practices in charter school authorizing, oversight, and support. To earn trust, we operate with transparency and apply our processes consistently.
2. The mission of the Charter Commission is to provide access to innovative, excellent public charter schools using rigorous oversight, transparency, consistent processes, and accountability.
3. The mission of the Charter Commission is to provide access to excellent public charter schools by serving as a trusted authorizer and LEA using rigorous oversight, transparency, support, and accountability.
4. The mission of the Charter Commission is to provide access to excellent public charter schools by serving as a trusted partner using rigorous oversight, transparency, support, and accountability.

Next Steps

- Following Commissioner discussion at the October 2024 meeting, staff will engage stakeholders in a feedback cycle to gather input in preparation for a mission statement presentation and vote at the January 2025 Commission meeting.