

RESOLUTION OF THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION REGARDING LEAD BRICK CHURCH

Whereas, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-1-614(k)(4), LEAD Brick Church ("Brick Church") submitted an application to the Tennessee Public Charter School Commission ("Commission"), which is charged with serving as an appellate authorizer beginning with the 2020-2021 school year, and;

Whereas, representatives of the operator of Brick Church participated in a public hearing on January 30, 2024 to answer questions of the Commission staff and receive comment from members of the public related Achievement School District ("ASD") transition application, and;

Whereas, the Commission's Charter Review Committee, conducted a capacity interview on January 19, 2024, at which time representatives of Brick Church provided responses to questions from members of the Review Committee, and;

Whereas, representatives of Brick Church participated in a full day site visit on January 30, 2024, at which time the Commission's staff conducted interviews with stakeholders, observed classes, and discussed data with members of Brick Church, and;

Whereas, the Commission, at a quarterly meeting on February 26, 2024, reviewed, discussed, and considered the complete application, evidence record, review committee report, and Executive Director's recommendation prior to voting on a decision;

Whereas, the Commission, determined to uphold the Executive Director's recommendation related to the application of LEAD Brick Church, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-1-614(k)(4).

Therefore, be it resolved by the Tennessee Public Charter School Commission that the application for LEAD Brick Church is denied, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-1-614(k)(4).

Commissioner Griscom moved for approval of the Resolution.

The motion was seconded by Commissioner Patterson and, upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

- 1. Commissioner Michael A. Carter, Sr. voted no;
- 2. Commissioner Thomas Griscom voted aye;
- 3. Commissioner Alan Levine voted aye;
- 4. Commissioner Terence Patterson voted aye;
- 5. Commissioner Chris Richards voted aye;
- 6. Commissioner Eddie Smith voted no;
- 7. Commissioner Lauren Smith voted aye;
- 8. Commissioner Chris Tutor voted aye; and,
- 9. Commissioner Jamie Woodson voted aye.

The Chair thereupon declared that the resolution was duly passed and adopted on this 26th day of February 2024.



In accordance with T.C.A. \S 49-1-614(k)(4) and Commission Rule 1185-01-03-.03(4)0, the decision of the Commission is final and not subject to appeal.

Christine Richards, Chair

Tennessee Public Charter School Commission