



Charter School Review Committee

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TO: Jim Owczarski, city clerk

FROM: Cindy Zautcke, staff

RE: Charter School Review Committee Annual Reporting on Education Programs; amendment to Quest Milwaukee's starting date

The committee requests that they be put on the November 15, 2012 Steering & Rules Committee agenda to 1) present the annual education monitoring reports of currently operating schools and 2) recommend renewal of two charter school contracts, and 3) recommend a change of start date for Quest Milwaukee.

1.) At its September 19 and 24 meetings, the Charter School Review Committee moved to accept the recommend continued regular, annual academic monitoring and reporting for:

1. Darrell L. Hines Academy
2. King's Academy
3. CEO Leadership Academy
4. Milwaukee Math and Science Academy
5. Milwaukee Academy of Science*

2.) At its September 24 meeting, the CSRC moved to recommend that the following schools continue regular, annual academic monitoring and reporting, and that the Common Council renew their charter school contracts for another five-year term:

1. Central City Cyberschool
2. Downtown Montessori Academy

3.) At its August 6, 2012 meeting, the CSRC voted to recommend that Quest Milwaukee's request to begin operating in 2014 instead of 2013 be accepted by the Common Council as a technical amendment for immediate adoption.

*At its September 24 meeting, the CSRC moved to continue regular, annual academic monitoring and reporting with a decision regarding renewal to be taken up in spring, 2013 for the Milwaukee Academy of Science to gather additional data. We would like to present their educational monitoring report at the November 15 meeting and schedule a meeting to take up a renewal recommendation in spring.

Please let me know if you have any questions. I can be reached at (414) 828-6977 or at cindyzautcke@yahoo.com.