

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Title: New Century Charter High School Name Change Request

Type of Executive Summary:

- Action
- Action on First Reading
- Discussion
- Information

Policy Implications:

- Constitution _____
- General Statute # _____
- SBE Policy # _____
- SBE Policy Amendment
- SBE Policy (New)
- APA # _____
- APA Amendment
- APA (New)
- Other Charter Agreement

Presenter(s): Mr. Jack Moyer (Director, Office of Charter Schools)

Description:

New Century Charter High School has requested a change of the school’s name. The new name for the school would be The Hawbridge School. As per G.S. 115C.238.29D(d), material changes to the charter application must have approval of the State Board of Education. A name change is considered a material change to the charter and, therefore, must be approved by the State Board of Education.

New Century Charter High School stakeholders have expressed a desire to change the name to reflect more accurately the schools direction into a school with a focus on environmental studies and location of the school near the Haw River.

Resources:

N/A

Input Process:

New Century Charter High School Board of Directors, Parents, Staff, Students, and Department of Public Instruction Staff

Stakeholders:

New Century Charter High School

Timeline For Action:

This item is presented for discussion during the August 2007 SBE meeting with action during the September 2007 SBE meeting.

Recommendations:

The Office of Charter Schools recommends that the SBE approve the name change of New Century Charter High School

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Motion By: _____ Seconded By: _____
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