Petition Review Process: Education Code 47605(b)

Timelines commence when a charter school Petitioner submits a petition to the District office and certifies completeness.

First public hearing



Publication of Staff Report



- Held within 60 days of petition receipt.
- Purpose: to "consider the level of support by teachers employed by the school district, other employees of the school district, and parents."
- 15 days before the final hearing in which the Board will either grant or deny the charter, Staff must publish findings and recommendations.

- Held within 90 days of petition receipt. (*Can be extended 30 days by agreement between the Parties.*)
- Board's final decision to grant or deny.
- District Staff and Petitioner will have equal time and opportunity to present.