

2013 Charter School Application Cycle Timeline

as of September 6, 2013

August 22, 2013	The Commission's Application Committee reviewed the draft Request for Applications ("RFA") and referred it to the full Commission for further review and approval.
September 6, 2013	Pre-RFA Orientation
September 12, 2013	Draft RFA to be reviewed and approved by the full Commission
September 20, 2013	Release of the final version of the RFA
October 11, 2013	Post-RFA Orientation
October 28, 2013	Deadline for Applicants to submit Intent to Apply Packets
November 6, 2013	Applicants are notified of their Eligibility to Apply
January 6, 2014	Deadline for Applicants to submit completed applications
January 10, 2014	Applicants receive Completeness Determinations
January 13, 2014	Deadline for Applicants to submit missing information (if applicable)
January 17 through February 14, 2014	Application evaluation window
February 19, 2014	Requests for Clarification are distributed to Applicants
March 5, 2014	Deadline for Applicants to submit Clarification Packets
March 12, 2014	Evaluation Team interviews Applicants
March 13, 2014	Commission holds public hearings on charter school applications
March 28, 2014	Applicants receive Evaluation Team Recommendation Reports
April 4, 2014	Deadline for Applicants to submit written responses to Evaluation Team Recommendation Reports
April 15, 2014	Recommendation Packets (Evaluation Team Recommendation Report, Applicant response, Evaluation Team rebuttal) are distributed to Commissioners
April 24, 2014	Application Committee Meeting
May 8, 2014	Commission General Business Meeting
May 9, 2014	Applicants are notified of the Commission's decision
May 2014 to July 2015	New charter school start-up period for approved applications
July 2015	Opening of new charter school

NOTE: Dates and deadlines are subject to change.