WASHOE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Reno, Nevada

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
February 11, 2025

TITLE: REVIEW OF THE "ANNUAL CHARTER SCHOOL PERFORMANCE MONITORING" OF ENCOMPASS ACADEMY CHARTER hISCHOOL AND TO MAKE A FINDING WHETHER THE SCHOOL IS COMPLIANT WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ITS CHARTER AGREEMENT. (FOR POSSIBLE ACTION).

FROM: Troy Parks, Chief Academic Officer
Rochelle Proctor, Coordinator of Charter School/Extended Studies

PRESENTER(S) & PRESENTATION TIME/CONSENT: Consent Agenda

DATE REPORT WRITTEN: January 10, 2025

PURPOSE/SUMMARY:
In compliance with Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 388A.351, District staff conducted the annual review of Encompass Academy Charter School from October 2024 through January 2025.

For Encompass Academy Charter School, there was one area of concern/noncompliance discovered in the review process. The one area is associated with the oversight of the WCSD School Police, Emergency Management Services.

- Encompass has only entered two evacuation (one fire and one earthquake), one code red/yellow, and one code blue drill so far in the 2024-25 school year. There should be at least five evacuation drills, at least one code red, and one code yellow drill conducted so far this school year. See NRS 392.450 for drill requirements.

  https://www.leg.state.nv.us/NRS/NRS-392.html#NRS392Sec450

It is the conclusion of the District's Charter School Monitoring Team that Encompass Charter School has demonstrated compliance with the terms and conditions of its charter agreement with WCSD.

FINANCIAL: The 1.5% sponsorship fee covers the expense for charter monitoring.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Encompass Academy Charter School has students enrolled in grades 9-12 and has been a District sponsored charter school since the 2003-2004 school year.

Based on the most recent data (2023-2024 school year) from the Nevada Department of Education:

Encompass Academy Charter School has been classified on the Nevada Department of Education's Nevada Accountability Portal with a one-star rating and a total enrollment of 137 students.

PREVIOUS ACTION:
Date: Dec 10, 2024
Related Action: Approval of Consent Agenda item 2.16
The Board of Trustees approves the Charter Renewal Agreement with Encompass Academy Charter High School for 5 years.

Date: Feb 27, 2024
Related Action: Approval of Consent Agenda item 2.06
The Board of Trustees approved the Charter Performance Monitoring for Encompass Academy Charter School as compliant.

Date: Feb 14, 2023
Related Action: Approval of Consent Agenda item 2.17

ATTACHMENTS:
Attachment A: Encompass Academy Charter School Performance Monitoring Tool

STRATEGIC PLAN: This agenda item supports Goal 3, "Safety & Belonging" and Goal 4, "Academic Growth and Achievement" of the Washoe County School District Strategic Plan, 2023-2026.

BOARD POLICY:
Board Policy 6700 – Charter Schools

LEGAL: This agenda item is consistent with Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) and Nevada Administrative Code (NAC)

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees approve the Charter Performance Monitoring for Encompass Academy Charter School.