Little Singer Community School Board, Inc. - Entity ID 5178
School: Little Singer Community Junior High School

Renewal Executive Summary Update

Additional Information

At the May 14, 2012 meeting of the Arizona State Board for Charter Schools (Board), the Board voted to table item I.6 - Charter Renewal Application consideration for Little Singer Community School Board, Inc. until its June 11, 2012 meeting because the charter holder was not in attendance.

On Thursday, April 5, 2012, Board staff conducted a site visit to Little Singer Community School for a leadership team discussion of the Performance Management Plan submitted by the charter holder with the renewal application package. At the time of the meeting, staff told leadership team members, including the charter representative, that the Board would consider the charter holder's renewal application at the Board's May or June meeting. Staff informed the leadership team, including the charter representative, where the Board's agenda is posted in advance of the meeting as well as the information related to the charter's renewal that would be linked and available for public viewing. Staff encouraged those present at the leadership team discussion to check the Board's website for the meeting information. Staff also stated that the representative would be notified in advance of the meeting.

On Monday, May 7, 2012, staff sent an email notifying the charter representative that the Board would consider the renewal application for Little Singer Community School Board, Inc. at its meeting on May 14. Staff received a delivery confirmation for the email.

On Tuesday, May 15, 2012, staff left a voicemail message for the charter representative to contact staff regarding the Board's consideration of the renewal application. The charter representative returned the call on Friday, May 25.

On Friday, May 18, 2012, Executive Director DeAnna Rowe sent an email to the charter representative informing her of the Board's decision to table consideration of Little Singer Community School, Inc.'s renewal application until its June 11, 2012, meeting. Included in the email communication were directions for locating the recording of the Board's discussion at the May meeting and directions for locating the Notice and Agenda for the June meeting. Ms. Rowe requested that the charter representative contact her if she would not be attending the meeting. On Monday, May 21, Ms. Rowe received a reply from the charter representative stating that she had been waiting for notification of the Board meeting date via email or mail and did not receive it but planned to be in attendance on June 11.

The portfolio for Little Singer Community School Board, Inc., as prepared for the Board's meeting on May 14, 2012, remains as it was prepared for consideration in May with one addition to the Other Compliance Matters section:

> The Arizona Department of Education, Exceptional Student Services (ESS), reported on May 22, 2012, that Little Singer Community School Board, Inc. had submitted the corrective action plan for their ESS monitoring.