

**Resolution  
Atlanta Board of Education**



Atlanta

Georgia

**June 1, 2015**

**RESOLUTION TO SUBMIT CHARTER SYSTEM APPLICATION**

**WHEREAS,** in November 2014, the Atlanta Board of Education submitted a letter of intent to apply for charter system status to the Georgia Department of Education; and

**WHEREAS,** the system has completed a process to solicit community input to develop a charter system application and to receive public comments on the draft application; and

**WHEREAS,** the Atlanta Public Schools seeks the broad flexibility offered by charter system status to increase student achievement; and

**WHEREAS,** if approved for charter system status, the Atlanta Public Schools desires to build a system of distributed leadership and to maximize school level governance.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that on this 1<sup>st</sup> Day of June 2015, the Atlanta Public Schools Board of Education approves the final APS charter system application and authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to submit the APS charter system application to the Georgia Department of Education.

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Courtney D. English, Chair  
Atlanta Board of Education