DENY RENAISSANCE 2010 SCHOOL PROPOSALS

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

That the Board deny the Renaissance 2010 school proposals identified in Appendix A.

DESCRIPTION: In May 2006 the Board made available a Request for Proposals to solicit responses from parties interested in starting schools under the Renaissance 2010 Initiative. Design Frameworks to operate new schools were submitted to the Board on July 6, 2006 and full Proposals were submitted September 5, 2006. Proposals were evaluated pursuant to the standards set forth in the Board's Renaissance 2010 School Policy 05-1026-PO2. The Office of New Schools evaluated 51 Renaissance school proposals.

Public hearings to review all school proposals were held November 6 - 9, 2006. The Renaissance 2010 school proposals indicated in Appendix A are hereby denied. School proposals listed in Appendix B were previously withdrawn by the applicants.

Approved for Consideration:

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APPENDIX A - RENAISSANCE 2010 SCHOOL PROPOSALS DENIED NOVEMBER 15, 2006

Name of Applicant/Proposed School	Proposed Site	School Type
Austin Legal Studies & Criminal Justice Academy	231 North Pine (Austin)	Contract
Cygnet Academy for Global Citizenship	4027 West Grenshaw (Frazier)	Contract
Chicago Lighthouse	4027 West Grenshaw (Frazier)	Contract
Morse Academy (Mosaica)	620 North Sawyer (Morse)	Contract
PASSPORT Academy	231 North Pine (Austin)	Contract
Starehe Preparatory Academy	6201South Stewart (Englewood)	Contract
Thriving Schools, Inc.	4027 West Grenshaw (Frazier)	Contract
Academy of Urban School Leadership	1313 South Sacramento (Collins)	Performance
Booker T. Washington	231 North Pine (Austin)	Performance
Community Leadership Academy	6325 North Hoyne	Performance
Colin Powell Leadership	231 North Pine (Austin)	Performance
CPS Montessori	4444 South Evans (Woodson South)	Performance
Englewood Agricultural	6201 South Stewart (Englewood)	Performance
International Baccalaureate Magnet School	4444 South Evans (Woodson South)	Performance
Pershing College Prep	3200 South Calumet (Pershing West)	Performance
Samuel Morse School of Communications	620 North Sawyer (Morse)	Performance
TEAM Sankofa	6201 South Stewart (Englewood)	Performance
Vivian T. Thomas	231 North Pine (Austin)	Performance

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FINAL APPENDIX B - RENAISSANCE 2010 SCHOOL PROPOSALS WITHDRAWN NOVEMBER 15, 2006

Name of Applicant/Proposed School	Proposed Site	School Type
Charter School of Entrepreneurial Practice	6310 South Claremont	Charter
Chicago Charter School Foundation	620 North Sawyer (Morse)	Charter
Chicago Charter School Foundation	4027 West Grenshaw (Frazier)	Charter
City Academy	4027 West Grenshaw (Frazier)	Charter
Health Care Consortium	1313 South Sacramento (Collins)	Charter
New Direction Outreach	620 North Sawyer (Morse)	Charter
Perspectives Charter Schools	4444 South Evans (Woodson South)	Charter
South Austin	231 North Pine (Austin)	Charter