
Charter School Authorizing Mission Policy 6.100

The Background:

The Charter School Authorizing Mission policy outlines the State Board's mission as it relates to its role as an appellate authorizer of charter schools.

A review of all the State Board's charter school authorizer policies was conducted to ensure alignment with updates to the High Quality Charter Schools Act and the development of the Tennessee state charter school authorizing standards. Additionally, now that the State Board has authorized charter schools in operation, updates have been made to better reflect current practices.

Additional changes include updates to reflect changes to the State Board's master plan, and title of the policy was updated to clarify this is the State Board's mission as it relates to charter school authorizing. There have also been minor grammatical and formatting edits.

The Recommendation:

State Board staff recommends acceptance of this item on first reading.