



CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL HEARING

Southern Avenue Charter Middle School

Wednesday, May 18, 2016 at 4:15pm (CDT)
Shelby County Board of Education Auditorium
160 South Hollywood Street, Memphis, TN 38112

4:15PM CDT	Call to Order Introduction	Dr. Sara Heyburn, Hearing Officer Executive Director Tennessee State Board of Education
	Shelby County (15 min.)	Cecilia Barnes, Associate Senior Counsel William E. White II, Director, Planning & Accountability Shelby County Schools
	Southern Avenue (15 min.)	Walter L. Evans, II, Esq. Elise Evans Southern Avenue Charter Middle School
	Public Comments (20 min.)	Your name will be called. Please state name and affiliation.
	Closing (20 min.)	Shelby County (10 min.) Southern Avenue (10 min.)
	Adjourn	

REGISTRATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT: If you wish to make a public comment during the public hearing, you must sign up prior to the public hearing date, and each individual who signs up will be given two (2) minutes to comment. You can sign up to comment by completing [this online form](#) OR by calling the State Board of Education offices at (615) 741-2966 between 8am and 4pm CDT. **Only individuals who have signed up by noon (12pm) CDT on Tuesday, May 17 may speak during the public hearing, and the sign up will close after the first ten (10) people are signed up.**

NOTE: In lieu of making a public comment during the hearing, written comments may be given to a member of the State Board staff before or after the hearing. Written comments must be received in the State Board of Education office by 4:30 p.m. CDT on Tuesday, May 24, 2016, to be considered. All comments will be provided to the State Board of Education and will be weighed equally. Submit written comments to:

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