

Tennessee Public Charter School Commission

Statement from the Applicant - Nashville Collegiate Prep High School

October 6, 2023

Members of the Commission:

We are appreciative of Executive Director Stovall's recommendation and urge the Commission to support the recommendation for Nashville Collegiate Prep High School (NCPHS). We are humbled by the outpouring of support for a full K-12 option from our students and families at NCP, as well as the support felt in our community.

Construction is well underway at our 80-acre site where we will house our existing middle school and potential high school- ready to serve students in fall 2024. NCP High School will be a state-of-the-art facility that will equip students with the skills and knowledge necessary for college, career, and life. The addition of grades 9-12 will allow for the seamless transition from elementary to middle school and from middle school to high school. We are investing additional academic resources in NCP to ensure our curriculum is aligned to state standards and that our instruction is rigorous and vertically aligned across grade levels K-12.

Providing families high-quality, public choice options means ensuring that every student in the Antioch community has access to educational opportunities not currently offered in the public education sector. We know and believe education is not just a game changer; it is a life changer for students and families. Our hope is that you will support Executive Director Stovall's recommendation to approve the NCPHS amended application.

Respectfully submitted,

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