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CHARTER REVIEW COMMITTEE

FINAL SUMMARY-SEPTEMBER, 2007

Sarasota Preparatory and Fitness Academy

Attached are the final findings from the Charter Review Committee (CRC) related to the application of Sarasota Preparatory and Fitness Academy. Board action is scheduled for October 2, 2007 in a regular board meeting.

This applicant submitted an initial application on August 1, 2007. The applicant made a recorded presentation to the Charter Review Committee on August 9, 2007. Committee members asked questions of the applicant at that time and a School Board workshop was held on August 21, 2007 to enable the Board to ask questions. Sarasota Preparatory and Fitness Academy was initially assessed by the CRC to have partially met 9 of the 19 application criteria and failed to meet the remaining 10. That assessment was shared with Board members prior to the August 21st workshop and is included with this documentation. The applicant submitted an amended budget, revised list of governing board members, revised enrollment projections and provided clarification of items questioned by the CRC or Board members. The revised materials were received prior to the August 31, 2007 deadline and reviewed by the CRC on September 6, 2007. The committee determined that with clarification and additional information supplied by the applicant 1 of the criteria was fully met, 11 were partially met and 7 remain unmet.

The attached documents are those reviewed by the committee. The summary from the original review is included. The CRC final response to any item is found **IN BOLD** in the body of the evaluation instrument.