

## **Public Notice**

### **Education**

#### **Division of Field Support and Services**

#### **Notice of Receipt of New Charter School Applications**

**Take notice** that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:36A-4(c), the New Jersey Department of Education has received two applications for charter schools. The applications eligible for consideration were submitted on or before October 16, 2023, by the following parties:

Mercer                      McCorristin Charter School

Union                        The Hillside Community Charter School

To obtain copies of these applications, please submit a completed Government Records Request Form through the [New Jersey Open Public Records Act website](#).

In accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:36A-4(c), each board of education and State superintendent is given 60 days from receipt of applications to review and submit comments to the Acting Commissioner of Education regarding the charter school application submitted for that school district, but the New Jersey Department of Education will also accept comments 60 days from the date of publication in the New Jersey Register. Applications will be reviewed, and the Acting Commissioner will announce the initial approval or denial of the applications, on or before February 15, 2024.