



## State Charter Schools Commission of Georgia

### State Charter School Commission of Georgia Board Meeting

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#### Date and Time

Wednesday June 24, 2026 at 10:00 AM EDT

#### Location

#### Virtual Access Information

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84427916648?pwd=Sb7CtaC1vb3hWrKWFyQFAa4GCXlh2.1>

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#### Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter
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#### I. Opening Items

- A. Call the Meeting to Order
- B. Record Attendance

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<b>C.</b> Approve Agenda	Vote	Cayanna Good
<b>D.</b> Approve Minutes	Approve Minutes	Cayanna Good
<b>II. State Charter School Spotlight</b>		
<b>A.</b> School Presentation: BIA Charter School Neal Christian, Superintendent, will present on behalf of BIA Charter School.	FYI	External Speaker
<b>III. Division Reports</b>		
<b>A.</b> Executive Director	FYI	Donovan Head
<b>B.</b> New Schools Division <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FY26 Start-up Petition (update)</li> <li>• Pre-Opening Schools (update)</li> </ul>	FYI	Kristen Easterbrook
<b>C.</b> Finance Division <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approved Auditor Program (update)</li> </ul>	FYI	Carmen Freemire
<b>D.</b> Operations Division <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FY26 Strategic Plan Performance Report</li> </ul>	FYI	Cerrone Lockett
<b>E.</b> School Support and Outreach Division <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An overview of progress on the CSP SE Grant and approved waivers and amendments.</li> </ul>	FYI	Michele Neely
<b>IV. Action Items</b>		
<b>A.</b> CSP SE Grant Requests for Application SCSC staff recommend that the SCSC Board of Commissioners approve three Requests for Application (RFAs) for subgrants for the CSP SE Grant as presented. The subgrants are intended for the following purposes:	Vote	Michele Neely

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1. Supporting new, replicating, and expanding charter schools;
2. Supporting high-dosage tutoring at 10 charter schools; and
3. Supporting the implementation of new or expanded CTAE programming at 5 charter high schools.

- B.** CSP SE Subgrant Supplemental Fund Awards Vote Michele Neely  
SCSC staff recommend that the SCSC Board of Commissioners approve supplemental fund awards for existing CSP SE Subgrantees as presented (CSP SE Grant PR/award S282A250014).
- C.** FY27 Budget Approval Vote Carmen Freemire  
SCSC staff recommend that the SCSC Board of Commissioners approve:  
Adoption of SCSC FY2027 Administrative Withhold  
Adoption of SCSC FY2027 Operational Budget  
Approval of Return of FY2027 Administrative Withhold Funds
- D.** CPF Revisions (Finance) Vote Annie Chen  
SCSC staff recommend that the SCSC Board of Commissioners approve the adoption of the proposed changes to the Financial CPF score to a single score for both indicators.
- E.** Charter Contract Amendment - International Academy of Symrna/Jonquil Preparatory Academy Vote Erin Wright  
SCSC staff recommend that the SCSC Board of Commissioners approve an amendment to the Jonquil Preparatory Academy (formerly International Academy of Smyrna) charter contract to revise its school name, mission, essential and innovative features, mission-specific goals, and provisions related to personnel to be consistent with legal requirements.
- F.** Renewal Timeline Approval Vote Katie Manthey  
SCSC staff recommend that the SCSC Board of Commissioners approve the charter renewal timeline as presented for contracts ending on June 30, 2027.

**V. Public Comment**

**VI. Executive Session**

**VII. Closing Items**

- A.** Adjourn Meeting Vote Cayanna Good