

## CHARTER AMENDMENT FOR FOOTHILLS EDUCATION CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

This amendment to the charter for Foothills Education Charter High School ("Amendment") is entered into by and Foothills Education Center, Inc. and the State Charter Schools Commission of Georgia ("SCSC") to amend the accountability expectations for Foothills Education Charter High School to incorporate the SCSC Comprehensive Performance Framework as the measure of the school's academic, financial, and operational performance for the term of the charter contract.

WHEREAS, Foothills Education Center, Inc. and the SCSC entered into a charter contract on or about September 24, 2014, for the operation of Foothills Education Charter High School (the "Charter Contract");

WHEREAS, the SCSC adopted the SCSC Comprehensive Performance Framework to provide clear and transparent measures of charter school academic, financial, and operational performance; and

WHEREAS, Foothills Education Charter High School desires to be held accountable for its performance as measured by the SCSC Comprehensive Performance Framework rather than its current contractual performance goals;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, mutual agreements, and covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Foothills Education Center, Inc. and the SCSC agree as follows:

1. Paragraph 9 of the Charter Contract shall be stricken in its entirety and replaced with the following:

### Comprehensive Performance Framework and Performance Expectations.

- a. Incorporation into Charter Contract. The Comprehensive Performance Framework adopted by the SCSC shall be incorporated into the Charter as Exhibit A. The Comprehensive Performance Framework shall supersede and replace any and all assessment measures, educational goals and objectives, financial operations metrics, and organizational performance metrics set forth in the Application and not explicitly incorporated into the Comprehensive Performance Framework or this charter contract. The specific terms, form and requirements of the Comprehensive Performance Framework, including any required indicators, measures, metrics, and targets, are maintained and disseminated by the SCSC and will be binding on the Charter School. Material amendments to the Comprehensive Performance Framework shall require approval by the SCSC and shall be automatically incorporated into this Charter Contract upon SCSC approval without further amendment to the Charter Contract. In the event that such modifications or amendments are required, including modifications to address amended laws, the SCSC will use best efforts to apply expectations for school performance in a manner as consistent as possible with those set forth in the Comprehensive Performance Framework.

