

Charter Authorizing Panel Voting Sheet			
Premier Charter School Amendment Request			
March 20, 2025			
Motion: To approve the request by Premier High Schools to merge Premier High School of Springdale with the Premier High Schools of Arkansas Charter.			
Panel Member	Vote		Reason/Comment
Phillip Baldwin	TRUE	For	I support the Charter Amendment request. This action will not change educational quality or student experience but will allow Premiere to operate in a more efficient manner.
	FALSE	Against	
	FALSE	Abstain	
Dr. Sonja Wright-McMurray	TRUE	For	I support the Premier Charter School Amendment request to merge Springdale campus under their existing charter. This will allow for efficiency in operations and reporting.
	FALSE	Against	
	FALSE	Abstain	
Toyce Newton	FALSE	For	
	FALSE	Against	
	FALSE	Abstain	
Edie Stewart	TRUE	For	I vote to approve the Charter Amendment Request by Premier High Schools of Arkansas to merge all campuses under the Premier Arkansas Charter. This makes fiscal sense and provides continuity for their campuses across the state.
	FALSE	Against	
	FALSE	Abstain	
Dr. Tina Moore	TRUE	For	I vote to approve the Charter Amendment Request by Premier High Schools of Arkansas to merge Premier High School of Springdale with the Premier High Schools of Arkansas Charter. This logistical action is fiscally and operationally sound and should serve students, families, faculty, and staff well.
	FALSE	Against	
	FALSE	Abstain	
Dr. John Bacon	TRUE	For	

	FALSE	Against	I voted to approve the amendment as I believe the consolidation of the Premier Springdale charter with the charter covering the other Premier schools will allow for more efficiency in planning, budgeting, and operating the schools as one system. I believe these schools provide an important and necessary option for the students they serve across the state.
	FALSE	Abstain	
Dr. Crystal Beshears	TRUE	For	I vote to approve the amendment for consolidation of the Premier Springdale Charter and believe it will support efficiency overall.
	FALSE	Against	
	FALSE	Abstain	