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To: David Vass, Board Chair

From: DeLaina Tonks, Board Chair, Utah State Charter School Board

# **Credit Enhancement Certification Letter for Providence Hall**

# **BASIC ELIGIBILITY**

The Utah State Charter School Board (SCSB) certifies that a valid charter is in place for Providence Hall.

The SCSB certifies that Providence Hall does not have any serious, outstanding, or unresolved concerns.

The SCSB finds insufficient data to assess Providence Hall's progress towards fulfilling the goals specified in its original charter agreement that was created about 14 years ago; therefore, the SCSB recommends that Providence Hall update its charter goals. Other than this, the SCSB does not have any known concerns with Providence Hall meeting the terms of their charter agreement.

The SCSB certifies that there are no outstanding deficiencies based on criteria outlined in R277-553.

## ENROLLMENT/STUDENT DEMAND

## **Enrollment History**

| Providence | Hall's student | enrollment by | grade. | SY2009-SY2021 |
|------------|----------------|---------------|--------|---------------|
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|  | School Year |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|--|-------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Grade  | 2009        | 2010 | 2011  | 2012  | 2013  | 2014  | 2015  | 2016  | 2017  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020  | 2021  |
| K  | 100         | 99   | 100   | 124   | 125   | 124   | 125   | 125   | 122   | 125   | 125   | 120   | 123   |
| 1st  | 101         | 101  | 100   | 126   | 126   | 126   | 125   | 125   | 124   | 121   | 124   | 125   | 121   |
| 2nd  | 100         | 100  | 101   | 125   | 125   | 127   | 125   | 127   | 125   | 124   | 123   | 125   | 121   |
| 3rd  | 101         | 100  | 99    | 127   | 126   | 126   | 125   | 125   | 125   | 130   | 129   | 129   | 129   |
| 4th  | 100         | 100  | 100   | 125   | 126   | 130   | 175   | 150   | 151   | 130   | 130   | 131   | 150   |
| 5th  | 101         | 103  | 100   | 130   | 126   | 130   | 175   | 175   | 171   | 156   | 146   | 152   | 149   |
| 6th  | 97          | 100  | 100   | 218   | 168   | 141   | 302   | 258   | 254   | 197   | 213   | 188   | 186   |
| 7th  | —           | _    | _     | 216   | 211   | 171   | 224   | 275   | 252   | 242   | 210   | 212   | 195   |
| 8th  | _           | _    | _     | 155   | 208   | 197   | 180   | 198   | 254   | 228   | 235   | 224   | 205   |
| 9th  | —           | _    | _     | 68    | 124   | 194   | 195   | 178   | 189   | 232   | 213   | 241   | 226   |
| 10th   | —           | _    | _     | _     | _     | 62    | 135   | 154   | 141   | 139   | 192   | 150   | 168   |
| 11th   | —           | _    | _     | _     | _     | 22    | 68    | 105   | 149   | 133   | 132   | 163   | 141   |
| 12th   | —           | —    | —     | —     | —     | —     | 29    | 70    | 93    | 136   | 126   | 127   | 151   |
| Total K-12   | 700         | 703  | 700   | 1,414 | 1,465 | 1,550 | 1,983 | 2,065 | 2,150 | 2,093 | 2,098 | 2,087 | 2,065 |
| Providence Hall's maximum authorized student enrollment, SY2009-SY2021 |             |      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| School Year  | 2009        | 2010 | 2011  | 2012  | 2013  | 2014  | 2015  | 2016  | 2017  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020  | 2021  |
| Maximum<br>Enrollment  | 700         | 700  | 1,450 | 1,450 | 1,550 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 2,150 | 2,150 |



#### **Retention Rate**

SCSB certifies that Providence Hall's most recent retention rate is above 80%.

|                       | SY2016 | SY2017 | SY2018 | SY2019 | SY2020 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Retention Rate</b> | 81.8%  | 82.9%  | 85.0%  | 81.5%  | 82.5%  |

## Average Daily Membership (ADM) Rate

SCSB certifies that Providence Hall's ADM rate was greater than 90% for the past 3 years.

|          | SY2018 | SY2019 | SY2020 |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| ADM Rate | 99%    | 100%   | 99%    |

# ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

The SCSB uses the Utah School Report Card to assess a school's academic performance. The Utah School Report Card measures academic performance across multiple indicators. One of such indicators is academic achievement which shows the percentage of students who demonstrated mastery of grade-level standards in each subject. Providence Hall's achievement performance is summarized below.

# Providence Hall (K8) Academic Achievement Performance

|                       |               | Providence |                                 |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------|---------------------------------|
|                       | State Average | Hall (K8)  | SCSB Assessment                 |
| English Language Arts | 47%           | 28%        | Performing below State average. |
| Mathematics           | 47%           | 31%        | Performing below State average. |
| Science               | 51%           | 39%        | Performing below State average. |

#### Providence Hall (HS) Academic Achievement Performance

|                       |               | Providence |                                 |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------|---------------------------------|
|                       | State Average | Hall (HS)  | SCSB Assessment                 |
| English Language Arts | 49%           | 45%        | Performing below State average. |
| Mathematics           | 38%           | 36%        | Performing below State average. |
| Science               | 35%           | 32%        | Performing below State average. |

Although Providence Hall is scoring below the State Average, the SCSB certifies that Providence Hall's academic performance is adequate to maintain its enrollment plans.