

**Resolution Regarding Approval of the Proposed Re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue
(75X168), a District 75 School, to Building X842**

WHEREAS, in accordance with Education Law § 2590-h(2-a), the Chancellor prepared an educational impact statement, published and filed on February 15, 2011, on the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue (75X168) (“P168X@Marion Avenue”), a District 75 school, to building X842; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Education Law § 2590-g(8), the Panel for Educational Policy (the “Panel”) undertook a public review process for review and comment on the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue to X842; and

WHEREAS, such review process included notice of the proposal via the New York City Department of Education’s (the “Department”) internet website and circulation of the notice of the proposal to all community superintendents, community district education councils, community boards, and school based management teams; and

WHEREAS, such notice further included: a) a description of the purpose and substance of the proposed re-siting; b) information regarding where the full text of the proposal could be obtained; c) the name, office, address, email and telephone number of the Department representative from whom information concerning the proposal could be obtained; d) the date, time, and place of any hearing on the proposal; e) the date, time and place of the meeting of the Panel at which the Panel will vote on the proposal; and f) information on how to submit written or oral comments regarding the proposal; and

WHEREAS, such notice and public review process commenced on February 15, 2011, at least forty-five days in advance of the April 28, 2011 meeting of the Panel at which the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue to X842 came before the Panel for a vote; and

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2011, the Department published an amended educational impact statement which corrected formatting and typographical errors, clarified that the Department’s Office of Portfolio Development approved the re-location of the Ampark Neighborhood School from X842 to the X095 addition (not the New York City Council), and corrected the attendance rates, as well as the percentage of English Language Learners and students eligible for free or reduced price lunch who attend P168X, but which did not modify or revise the proposal itself; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Education Law § 2590-h(2-a)(d-1), the Chancellor has held a joint public hearing on the proposal, in which the District 10 Community Education Council and the impacted school leadership team had an opportunity to participate, and at which all interested parties had an opportunity to present comments or concerns on the proposal; and

WHEREAS, following the public review and comment period, the Panel made available to the public, including via the Department’s internet web site, an assessment of all public comments concerning the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue to X842 received prior to twenty-four hours before the Panel meeting at which the proposal was subject to a vote; and

WHEREAS, the assessment of public comments included a summary and analysis of the issues raised and any significant suggested alternatives; a statement of the reasons why any significant alternatives were not incorporated into the proposed re-siting; a description of any changes to the proposed re-siting as a result of the public comments; and information regarding where the full text of any approved proposed re-siting may be obtained; and

WHEREAS, the Chancellor recommends that the Panel for Educational Policy approve the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue to X842; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Panel for Educational Policy to approve the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue to X842; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that in accordance with Education Law § 2590-g, the Panel for Educational Policy hereby approves the proposed re-siting of P168X@Marion Avenue (75X168), a District 75 school, to building X842.