



Notice
April 3, 2013

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Chancellor

The Proposed Co-Location of Brooklyn Prospect Charter School's Grades K-5 (84K707) with Existing School Andries Hudde Middle School (22K240), in Building K240 Beginning in 2014-2015

I. Description of the subject and purpose of the proposed item under consideration.

The New York City Department of Education ("DOE") is proposing to site the elementary grades of Brooklyn Prospect Charter School (84K707, "Brooklyn Prospect") in building K240 ("K240"), beginning in the 2014-2015 school year. K240 is located at 2500 Nostrand Avenue, Brooklyn, New York, 11210, in Community School District 22. Brooklyn Prospect is an existing charter school currently serving students in sixth through ninth grades in private leased space located at 3002 Fort Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn, New York, 11218, in Community School District 15. If this proposal is approved, Brooklyn Prospect would be co-located with Andries Hudde Middle School (22K240, "Andries Hudde"), an existing district middle school serving students in sixth through eighth grade in building K240. Beginning in the 2014-2015 school year, Brooklyn Prospect will begin to phase in to serve kindergarten students, and will add one grade level each year until it reaches full scale serving kindergarten through fifth grade students in K240 by the 2019-2020 school year.

Brooklyn Prospect is authorized by the State University of New York Charter Schools Institute ("SUNY-CSI") to serve students in sixth through tenth grade. It currently serves students in sixth through ninth grade in private leased space in District 15, and is phasing in to serve tenth grade students in 2013-2014. Brooklyn Prospect plans to serve students in sixth through twelfth grade in its current leased space in District 15. Brooklyn Prospect admits students through a charter lottery process with preference given to students and residents of District 15.

Brooklyn Prospect has applied to SUNY CSI to revise its charter and expand its grade span to serve kindergartenthrough twelfth grade students. Only SUNYCSI has the authority to approve or deny this request. Should SUNY-CSI deny Brooklyn Prospect's request to expand its charter, Brooklyn Prospect will only serve its approved grade span (6th to 10th grade) in its current location. If SUNYCSI grants the revision request, the school would continue to phase in its high school grades to serve grades sixth through twelfth in the private space, reaching full scale in 2015-2016, and if this proposal is approved, Brooklyn Prospect will serve kindergarten students beginning in September 2014, adding one grade each year until it reaches full scale in K240 to serve grades kindergarten through five in 2019-2020. At that time, Brooklyn Prospect would serve

approximately 270-330 students in kindergarten through fifth grade. Brooklyn Prospect will admit students via the charter lottery application process, with preference given to District 22 students. Brooklyn Prospect's elementary level students will be automatically eligible to articulate into Brooklyn Prospect's middle school grades. Additional information about Brooklyn Prospect's charter lottery process may be found in Section III.A.

Andries Hudde is an existing middle school serving students in sixth through eighth grades and admits students through the District 22 Middle School Choice Process through both a zoned program and three screened programs: (1) the Center for Intellectually Gifted ("CIG") magnet program; (2) the NOVA program; and (3) and the Center for Science, Mathematics and Computers program.

According to the 2011-2012 Enrollment, Capacity, Utilization Report (the "Blue Book"), K240 has the capacity to serve 1,550 students. If this proposal is approved, K240 is projected to serve approximately 1,140-1,230 total combined students from Brooklyn Prospect and Andries Hudde in 2019-2020, yielding an estimated building utilization rate of 74%-79%. Thus, K240 has sufficient space to accommodate the proposed co-location.

II. Information regarding where the full text of the proposed item may be obtained.

The Educational Impact Statement ("EIS") regarding the proposal can be found on the Department of Education's Web site:
<http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/2012-2013/May2013Proposals.htm>

Copies of the EIS and BUP are also available in Andries Hudde's main office.

III. Submission of public comment.

Written comments can be sent to D22Proposals@schools.nyc.gov.

Oral comments can be left at 212-374-0208.

IV. The name, office, address, email and telephone number of the city district representative, knowledgeable on the item under consideration, from whom information may be obtained concerning the item.

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V. Date, time and place of joint public hearing for this proposal.

Tuesday, May 7, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.
I.S. 240 Andries Hudde Middle School
2500 Nostrand Avenue
Brooklyn, New York, 11210

Questions about the proposal should be directed as indicated in section IV above.

Speaker sign-up will begin 30 minutes before the hearing and will close 15 minutes after the start.

VII. Date, time and place of the Panel for Educational Policy meeting at which the Panel will vote on the proposed item.

May 22, 2013 at 6:00pm

The Taft Educational Campus
240 East East 172 St.
Bronx, NY 10457