



Notice
October 11, 2013

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Chancellor

The Proposed Extension of the Co-Location P.S. X010 (75X010) with P.S. 396 (10X396) and M.S. 390 (10X390) in Building X026, Beginning in 2013-2014

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

On August 15, 2013, the Chancellor of the New York City Department of Education (“DOE”) issued an Emergency Declaration to implement the proposal to co-locate a new site of an existing District 75 school, P.S. X010 (75X010, “P010X@026X”), in building X026 (“X026”), located at 1930 Andrews Avenue, Bronx, New York 10453, in Community School District 10 (“District 10”) at the start of the 2013-2014 school year. X026 also houses P.S. 396 (10X396, “P.S. 396”), a zoned elementary school that serves kindergarten through fifth grade students and offers a full day pre-kindergarten program and an Autism Spectrum Disorders Nest (“ASD Nest”) program; and M.S. 390 (10X390, “M.S. 390”), a choice middle school that serves sixth through eighth grade students. P010X@026X currently serves students classified as autistic or learning disabled in kindergarten through fifth grades. Consistent with state law, the co-location will remain in effect for six months, or until approved by the Panel for Educational Policy (“PEP”) to continue for a longer period. Thus, PEP approval is needed for P010X@026X to remain in the building beyond February 2014.

The DOE now proposes to extend the duration of the co-location of P010X@026X. Under this proposal, P010X@026X will continue to serve students in kindergarten through fifth grades on a permanent basis at X026.

As discussed in the Emergency Declaration, in summer 2013, there was a significant, unanticipated increase in need for District 75 seats in the Bronx for the 2013-2014 school year. It was necessary to create a new P.S. X010 site to serve five additional sections of incoming District 75 students who could not be accommodated at the existing P.S. X010 sites or in other existing District 75 programs serving students with similar needs in the Bronx. Building X026 was the most sensible location for the new P.S. X010 site because there was excess space in the building, and P.S. 396, M.S. 390, and P010X@026X serve students of similar ages.

If this proposal is approved, P010X@026X will be indefinitely sited in X026, where it will continue to serve students in kindergarten through fifth grades.

X026 also houses an Adult and Continuing Education program, which operates in one classroom during school hours, in addition to offering services after school hours. This proposal is not

expected to impact the continued siting of that program in X026.

X026 also houses two community-based organizations (“CBOs”), Morris Heights Health Center and Sports and Arts in School Foundation. This proposal is not expected to impact the continued siting of those programs in X026.

According to the 2012-2013 Enrollment, Capacity, Utilization Report, X026 has a target capacity to serve 1,096 students. (The concept of “target capacity” is explained in the Educational Impact Statement). In the 2013-2014 school year, the building serves approximately 824 students, including P010X@026X’s students, for a building utilization rate of approximately 75%. This means that the building is “under-utilized.” There is sufficient space to accommodate P010X@026X, P.S. 396, and M.S. 390 with additional space for each school in excess of their respective baseline allocations, as discussed in more detail in the BUP.

If this proposal is approved, P010X@026X will be permanently sited in X026, and it will serve students in kindergarten through fifth grade.

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

The Educational Impact Statement (“EIS”) can be found on the Department of Education’s Web site:

<http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/2013-2014/Nov26SchoolProposals>.

Copies of the EIS are also available in P.S. 396’s, M.S. 390’s, and P010X@026X’s main offices.

III. Submission of public comment.

D10Proposals@schools.nyc.gov

Oral comments can be left at 212-374-5159.

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 hearings for this proposal.

Wednesday, November 13, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.
Building X026
1930 Andrews Avenue
Bronx, NY 10453

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.

November 26, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.

The High School of Fashion Industries
225 West 24th Street
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