





TO: The Honorable the Members of the Board of Regents
FROM: Daniel Morton-Bentley 
SUBJECT: Charter Applications
DATE: January 28, 2021
AUTHORIZATION(S): 

SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent)

Should the Board of Regents approve the charter applications?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by State statute (Education Law §216).

Proposed Handling

This issue will come before the Full Board for action at its February 2021 meeting.

Approval in accordance with the respective recommendations prepared by the program offices which are contained in the attached summary table of charter applications.

Procedural History

Not applicable.

Background Information

Not applicable.

Related Regents Items

Not applicable.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Regents take the following action:

VOTED: Approve each application in accordance with the recommendations contained in the summary table.

Timetable for Implementation

Not applicable.

Summary Table

Name of Institution	Program Area	County (City/Town) of Location	Description of Charter Action(s)
Bancroft Public Library	CE	Washington (Salem)	Grant an absolute charter.
The Fulton Chocolate Works Museum	CE	Oswego (Fulton)	Grant provisional charter for five years.
Genesee Warbirds	CE	Genesee (Batavia)	Extend provisional charter for five years.
Heritage Association of Fort Covington	CE	Franklin (Fort Covington)	Grant provisional charter for five years.
John W. Jones Museum	CE	Chemung (Elmira)	Extend provisional charter for five years.
Symbols of Tribal Spirits: The Bedford Stuyvesant Museum of African Art	CE	Kings (Brooklyn)	Amend provisional charter to change the corporate name to "Museum of African Art & World Cultures (MAAWOCU)".
The Town of Veteran Historical Society	CE	Chemung (Millport)	Extend provisional charter for five years.
John S. Burke Catholic High School	P12	Orange (Goshen)	Amend charter to add authority to operate grades six through eight.
Long Island Lutheran Day School at St. Paul's	P12	Suffolk (East Northport)	Dissolve provisional charter and approval to store student records with St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church of East Northport, NY.
Reach for the Stars Learning Center	P12/OP	Kings (Brooklyn)	Amend provisional charter to change the corporate address and expand the corporate purposes and extend the charter for three years.