

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN DOUGLAS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1
AND STEM CHARTER SCHOOL REGARDING
WAIVER AND EXTENSION OF TIMELINE FOR
BOARD TO CONSIDER CHARTER SCHOOL APPLICATION**

This Agreement is hereby entered into by and between Douglas County School District RE-1 (District”) and The Science Technology Engineering and Math (STEM) Charter School (“STEM”), also known as the STEM School Highlands Ranch, a public charter school organized as a Colorado non-profit corporation.

WHEREAS, STEM has filed an application to replicate its charter school within the Douglas County School District RE-1 (“District”) on or about March 15, 2022 and is seeking the authority and approval of the Board in order to replicate such charter school within the District; and

WHEREAS, Colorado’s Charter Schools Act at C.R.S. 22-30.5-107(2) provides that a “local board of education shall rule by resolution on the application for a charter school . . . within ninety days after receiving the application;” and

WHEREAS, Colorado’s Charter Schools Act at C.R.S. 22-30.5-107(2.5) provides that the “charter applicant and the local board of education may jointly waive the deadlines set forth in [the] section” requiring a board of education to rule by resolution on the application for a charter school within 90 days after receiving the application; and

WHEREAS, the Board and STEM desire to waive the requirement of Colorado’s Charter Schools Act which may require the Board to rule on STEM’s application for replication within 90 days of filing.

NOW THEREFORE, STEM AND THE DISTRICT WITH BOARD AUTHORIZATION AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

- The District and STEM hereby agree to waive the requirement of Colorado’s Charter Schools Act that the District’s Board of Education rule on the replication application within 90 days after the District’s receipt of the application so that the timeline for Board’s consideration and action on STEM’s charter school replication application is extended beyond 90 days.
- The District and STEM hereby agree that the District’s Board shall consider STEM’s application for replication at its regular meeting on June 21, 2022.

ATTACHMENT B

AGREED:

DOUGLAS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1

By: _____
Erin Kane, Superintendent

Date: _____

**THE SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING AND MATH (STEM)
CHARTER SCHOOL**

By: _____

(Print Name)

Date: _____