RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF DOUGLAS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1

(Approving the Parker Performing Arts School Renewal Application)

WHEREAS, on June 2, 2015, pursuant to the Charter Schools Act, C.R.S. §§ 22-30.5-101 to 120 (the "Act"), the Board of Education ("Board") of Douglas County School District (the "District") approved a Conditional Resolution approving the charter application of Parker Performing Arts School ("School") to begin operations as a charter school in the fall of 2016 for the 2016-17 school year and to operate for a term of five (5) years; and

WHEREAS, on September 15, 2015 the Board approved the Parker Performing Arts School Charter Contract for a five-year period; and

WHEREAS, School began operations as a charter school in the fall of 2016 for the 2016-17 school year; and

WHEREAS, on or before September 1, 2020, the School submitted to the Board a charter school renewal application seeking renewal of its charter for a term commencing on July 1, 2021, and ending on June 30, 2026 (the "Renewal Application"); and

WHEREAS, District staff have reviewed the Renewal Application and have provided a written recommendation, including the reasons supporting the recommendation, regarding the Renewal Application; and

WHEREAS, at a public Board meeting held on December 10, 2020, the School presented additional information to the Board regarding the Renewal Application; and

WHEREAS, the Board has thoroughly considered the Renewal Application, Board policy, the Act, oral and written submissions from the School and the public and the recommendations of District staff.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board as follows:

1. That approval of the Renewal Application is in the best interests of the District, its students, and the community, and the School's charter is hereby renewed for a five-year term, subject to the conditions set forth in this Resolution.

2. That the District and the School negotiate and enter into a mutually acceptable charter school renewal contract no later than ninety (90) days after the adoption date of this Resolution, unless otherwise agreed between the District and School. Such renewal contract shall contain the District's standard terms and conditions.

3. The Board hereby authorizes the Board President, the Superintendent of Schools, or their respective designees to negotiate and execute such contract.

Adopted this 19th day of January, 2021 by a vote of ______.

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By:

David Ray, President Board of Education

Attest:

Elizabeth Hanson, Secretary Board of Education