## **State Public Charter School Commission**

## 2018 RFP Timeline

Approved: February 8, 2018

Pre-RFP Orientation	February 21, 2018
Orientation to be conducted prior to the release of the RFP. The orientation will include a general overview of the RFP and a general discussion on running a state agency.	Time: 1:00 – 3:00 PM Location: Multipurpose Room Hawaii State Art Museum 250 South Hotel Street Honolulu, HI 96813  Register for the orientation here
RFP Release	March 12, 2018
RFP posted to Commission website.	
RFP Orientation	March 16, 2018
Commission staff to conduct a mandatory orientation to	
interested applicants on the RFP and its requirements.	
Intent to Apply Packet Due to Commission	March 19, 2018
As required by Section 302D-13(c)(2), HRS, applicants	
are required to submit the intent to apply packet to the	
Commission. Applicants must meet the requirements	
defined in Section 302D-13(b), HRS in order to be	
eligible to submit a charter application.	
Applications Notified of Eligibility	March 21, 2018
Based on the intent to apply packet that was submitted	
by the applicant, Commission staff will determine	
whether the applicant meets the requirements in Section	
302D- 13(b), HRS to submit a charter application.	
Applicants will be notified on their eligibility to proceed	
with submitting a charter application.	
Applications Due to Commission	May 11, 2018
Section 302D-13(c)(3), HRS, requires the timely	
submission of a charter application to the authorizer.	
Applicants who are eligible to submit an application will	
have 60 days to submit the application to the	
Commission.	
Applications Committee—Determine Completeness	May 17, 2018
Section 302D-13(c)(4), HRS, requires the timely review of	
the charter application by the authorizer for	
completeness, and notification by the authorizer to the	
applicant governing board that the application is	
complete. The Applications Committee will conduct a	
completeness check at a scheduled Applications	
Committee meeting.	

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Application Evaluation Window	May 17 – June 19, 2018
The amount of time that the evaluation team will	
have to review the application. Evaluators will have	
up to 30 business days to	
review applications that are submitted.	
Clarification Interview	Week of June 4-8, 2018
As required by Section 302D-13(c)(5)(A), HRS the	
evaluation team will conduct an in- person interview with	
representatives from the applicant governing board.	
Commission Public Hearing on Charter Applications	June 14, 2018
Section 302D-13(c)(5)(B), HRS, requires the opportunity	
in a public forum for the public to provide input on each	
charter application	
Capacity Interview	June 15, 18, or 19, 2018
Applicants are interviewed by those with experience in	
leading a school to determine applicant capacity.	
Applicants Receive Recommendation Reports	June 22, 2018
Applicants receive the recommendation report written by	
the evaluation team	
Applications Committee Meeting	June 28, 2018
The Applications Committee will deliberate and make	
recommendations to the Commission on the approval or	
denial of charter applications. Section 302D-13(c)(6),	
HRS requires the approval or denial of a charter	
application to be made in a meeting open to the public.	
General Business Meeting – Final Decision	July 12, 2018
The Commission makes its final decision on the approval	
or denial of charter applications. Section 302D-13(c)(7),	
HRS requires the authorizer to set a final date to	
approve or deny a charter application.	
Section 302D-13(c)(6), HRS requires the approval or	
denial of a charter application to be made in a meeting	
open to the public.	