

# Applicant Appeal



## State Decision and the Sponsor

The State Board of Education will remand the application to the sponsor with its written decision that the sponsor approve or deny the application. The sponsor will implement the decision of the State Board of Education.



## Appeal Rejected?

An applicant can address the issues called out in the denial and resubmit application during the next application cycle.



## Appeal Accepted?

If the appeal was accepted the sponsor has 30 days after approval of the application to provide an initial proposed charter contract to the charter school. The applicant and the sponsor have 40 days to negotiate and notice the charter contract for final approval by the sponsor unless both parties agree to an extension.

## Sponsor's Next Steps

The sponsor will act upon the decision of the State Board of Education within 30 calendar days after it is received. The State Board of Education's decision is a final action subject to judicial review in the district court of appeal.



## Commission Rejection of Appeal

The Charter School Appeal Commission may reject an appeal submission for failure to comply with procedural rules. The appellant will have 15 calendar days after notice of rejection to resubmit an appeal.



## State Board Accept or Reject Decision

The State Board of Education will by majority vote accept or reject the decision of the sponsor no later than 90 calendar days after an appeal is filed in accordance with State Board of Education rule.



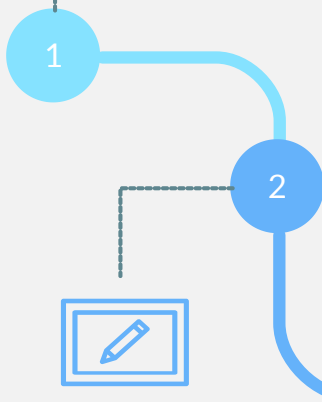
## Appeal Commission

The Charter School Appeal Commission will study and make recommendations to the State Board of Education regarding its pending decision about the appeal. The commission will forward its recommendation to the state board at least 7 calendar days before the date on which the appeal is to be heard.



## Applicant Appeals

An applicant may appeal any denial of that applicant's application or failure to act on an application to the State Board of Education no later than 30 calendar days after receipt of the sponsor's decision or failure to act and will notify the sponsor of its appeal.



## Sponsor Response

Any response of the sponsor will be submitted to the State Board of Education within 30 calendar days after notification of the appeal.

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