

## RESOLUTION

### VOYAGER PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL GOVERNING BOARD

October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**Resolution:** VPCS 2020/21-002

**Subject:** Extension of Distance-Learning-Only Period During COVID-19 Pandemic

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- Whereas* The previous Resolution of September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020 extended instruction at Voyager PCS on a distance-learning-only basis through Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020; and
- Whereas* on September 16<sup>th</sup>, the Department of Education directed its schools to determine, on a regional basis, their plans to reopen to face-to-face instruction based on local pandemic conditions and school capacity, with charter schools still at liberty to set their own reopening timelines; and
- Whereas* Voyager PCS draws students from geographic regions across the island; and
- Whereas* the community spread of COVID-19 across the regions of our enrolled families remains an existential threat; and
- Whereas* according to the OneO’ahu reopening plan, the prerequisite conditions for a Tier 3 reopening of businesses serving groups of up to 10 have not been met and are unlikely to be met for several additional weeks; and
- Whereas* A safe and successful transition to face-to-face and hybrid learning will require additional time for planning and facility preparation; and
- Whereas* January 5<sup>th</sup>, the end of Voyager’s Winter Break, provides a realistic and reasonable target date for the island to achieve Tier 3 status and for Voyager staff to prepare the campus for students, thus allowing a safe transition to face-to-face instruction according to Voyager’s hybrid/blended reopening plan;

*NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED*, the Governing Board of Voyager Public Charter School extends the distance-learning-only mode of instruction through December 11<sup>th</sup>, with planned reopening to its planned model of face-to-face and hybrid instruction on Monday, January 5<sup>th</sup>.

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Approve      Reject      Abstain

Steve Sullivan  
Sandra Bollozos-Fraticelli  
Matt Choy  
Melissa Young  
Mandy Phan  
Natalie Dotseth  
Michelle Richardson

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have duly executed this resolution on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Name: Steve Sullivan  
Title: Governance Chair

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Title: Parent Representative

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