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Resolution: Against New Charter Applications That Pursue Co-Location as Their Campus Facilities

WHEREAS, Community Board 10 encourages new schools to open in Districts 3 and 5 within the geographic boundaries of Community Board 10;

WHEREAS, Community Board 10 supports quality educational opportunities for its students from public, private or independent efforts;

WHEREAS, Community Board 10 recognizes the challenges incurred by co-locating schools; and

WHEREAS, this practice often pits co-located schools against each other for scarce resources;

WHEREAS, Community Board 10 understands this practice to be harmful to co-located schools by disrupting the educational processes of non-charter school students; and

WHEREAS, the non-charter school students of co-located schools can be subjected to unequal access to educational resources, including but not limited to:

- I. Libraries
- II. Computer laboratories
- III. Physical education facilities
- IV. Educational programs
- V. Extracurricular programs
- VI. Special education programs
- VII. Performing Arts spaces
- VIII. Continuous space
- IX. Flexibility of operations
- X. Meal service and times

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that on November 6, 2013, the Manhattan Borough Community Board 10 does not support new Charter applications that pursue co-location as their campus facilities with a unanimous vote of 36 in favor, 0 opposed with 0 abstentions.