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My name is Samantha Kear and (I am a relative to multiple students). Discovery Charter School will seek an amendment in Dec to increase enrollment by 99 students at our Hillpointe campus. I would like to share some things about our school that are not obvious on state reports.

**Reasons why it should be approved:**

- Demographics are and GROWING:
  - - 30% FRL
    - 16% IEP
    - 60% Non white
    - Over 37 zip codes represented
  - We provide a bus for our 35 middle schoolers from our 89121 campus to the Hillpointe campus. We keep our school community together. This 89121 campus is growing.
  - Enrollment
    - 2019-20 380
    - 2020-21 452
    - 2021-22 466

- 2022-23 499

- Facilities

- - 3 classrooms must instruct outside
  - All specialists are on a cart
  - SPED is operating out of closet/hallway/former office space
  - Cafeteria is outside
  - Every class is occupied during instructional hours
  - After school program averages 60 students per day and operates outside for the majority of the time due to after school programs Mon-Thur
  - No additional conference, office or storage for additional services such as counseling, planning

- Wait-list continues to grow for middle school and kindergarten  
Please listen and consider this request as children deserve a real education outside of the corrupt ccsc.

Thank you,  
Samantha Kear