



Agenda Item #8: SPCSA Organizational Performance Framework Ratings Recommendations

2022-2023 School Year

January 26, 2024



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Presentation Objectives

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| 1 | Briefly reiterate goals of the Organizational Framework. |
| 2 | Present results and recommendation for SPCSA Schools for the 2022 – 2023 school year. |

Organizational Framework Principles

1	Enable SPCSA to fulfill its mission as authorizer and regulator
2	Fulfill NRS 388A.273 requirements for performance indicators, measures and metrics for the organization category
3	Fulfill public school obligations , provide transparent reporting
4	Convey SPCSA expectations of charter schools
5	Streamline work for staff and schools

What does each framework measure?

Academic

- Is the educational program a success?

Financial

- Is the school financially viable?

Organizational

- Is the organization effective and well run?

Organizational Framework: Areas of Focus

	Category/Indicator	How is this evaluated by the Authorizer?	Points
1	Education Program	<i>Adherence to the material terms of its program and the responsibility to serve all students</i>	20
2	Financial Management and Oversight	<i>Audit completion, results and audit findings</i>	20
3	Governance and Reporting	<i>Board compliance with governance-related laws</i>	20
4	Students and Employees	<i>Adherence to state and federal laws and regulations</i>	20
5	School Environment	<i>Compliance with facility, transportation, food and health service requirements</i>	20
		<i>Total Points</i>	100

Ratings

Meets Standard

- Schools earning this rating are performing well and are generally compliant.
- The targets for this rating category set the minimum expectations for charter school performance.

Does Not Meet Standard

- Schools in this rating category failed to meet minimum expectations.
- At a minimum, they should be subject to closer monitoring, and their status for renewal is in question.

Scoring: How Points are Awarded (Example)

Ratings Breakdown (EXAMPLE)(Meets Standards \geq 80%)

	Category	Points Possible	Points Earned	% Earned
1	Education Program	20	20	100%
2	Financial Management and Oversight	20	18	90%
3	Governance and Reporting	20	15	75%
4	Students and Employees	20	20	100%
5	School Environment	20	20	100%
	Total	100	93	93%

SYE 23 and Historical Results

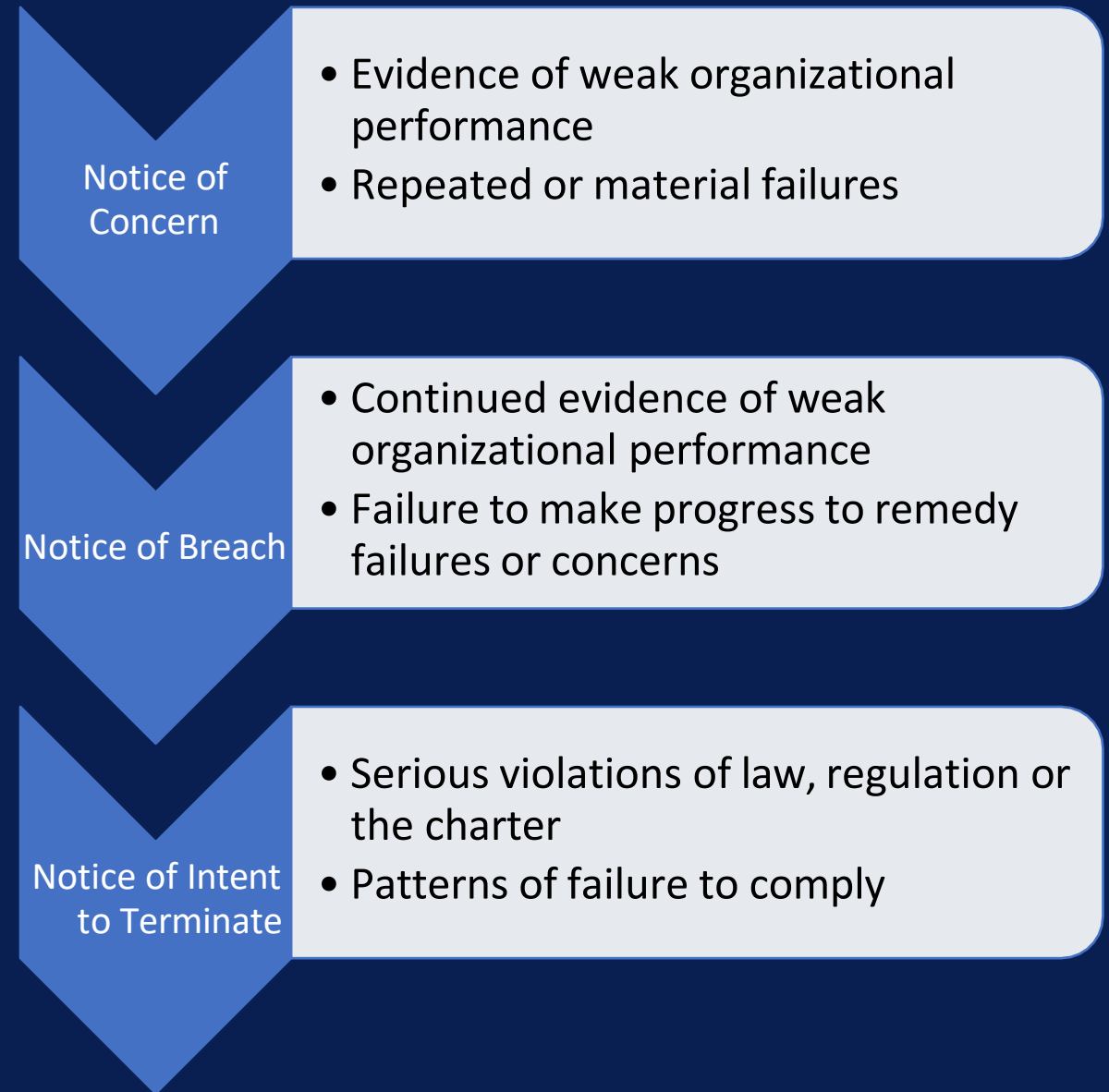
	Category/Indicator	Average Score SYE 23	Average Score SYE 22	Average Score SYE 21	Average Score SYE 20	Available Points
1	Education Program	19.8	19.7	19.6	19.8	20
2	Financial Management and Oversight	17.5	18.4	19.9	20	20
3	Governance and Reporting	18.3	19.4	20	19.9	20
4	Students and Employees	19.6	19.9	19.9	20	20
5	School Environment	19.6	20	19.8	20	20

- All schools, but for two, earned at least 80 points out of a possible 100 in SYE23.
- A complete list of schools and their ratings can be found in the Organizational Performance Framework Ratings Report.

Interventions

“Occasionally, the routine Performance Framework process will result in adverse findings. Charter schools may fall out of compliance on important legal or contractual requirements. Academic standards may not be met. Financial sustainability may become an issue. When these situations occur, the Authority may respond in a number of ways.”

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Staff Recommendation

Accept the 2022 – 2023 Organizational Framework results as presented, and delegate to SPCSA staff the authority to provide final results to governing boards of each charter in the coming weeks.



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Comments?

Agenda Item 7b. Issuance of Notices of Concern

Interventions

Statutory Authority:

• NRS 388A.273 requires the adoption of the performance framework and that it be incorporated into the charter contract.

• NRS 388A.330 identifies committing a material breach of the terms and conditions of the charter contract (which includes the performance framework) as grounds for terminating a charter contract.

• Any school that materially fails to comply with the organizational performance framework may trigger revocation proceedings in the next 3-5 years should organizational performance not improve. Any school identified as such should be issued a formal Notice to ensure the school and its governing board are aware of the concerns

