



**LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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December 13, 2017

Melissa Kaplan, Lead Petitioner  
Stella Middle Charter Academy  
2636 S. Mansfield Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90230

**Sent By Email and U.S. Mail**

Dear Ms. Kaplan,

Congratulations! On December 5, 2017 the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) Board of Education voted to renew Stella Middle Academy charter for 5 years, beginning July 1, 2018, until June 30, 2023 to serve up to 750 students in grades 5-8 by the end of the charter term.

We, the LAUSD Charter Schools Division, look forward to continuing to work with you throughout the term of the charter. As your assigned administrator from our office, I will continue to keep in close contact with you in order to perform our state-mandated oversight duties. If this assignment should change, we will notify you of the change and provide contact information for your new administrator.

Again, we congratulate your accomplishment and offer our best wishes as you continue to serve the students at your school and move forward the work of providing an excellent educational opportunity for all students.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Monique Galvez". The signature is written in a cursive style and is followed by a horizontal line.

Monique Galvez  
Specialist

Attachment: Stamped Board of Education Order of Business

c: Dr. Robert Perry, Administrative Coordinator  
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