Proposition 39: Sharing Public School Facilities Fairly

California Education Code 47614(a): “The intent of the people in amending Section 47614 is that public school facilities should be shared fairly among all public school pupils, including those in charter schools.”

The law requires LAUSD to share with each operating charter school facilities sufficient to accommodate all of the charter school’s in-district students in similar conditions – not to merely provide surplus or unused space. Through a process involving various stakeholders, LAUSD carefully considers the safety and welfare of all students when reviewing possible co-locations. The school district charges each charter school a pro rata share of facilities costs for use of the site.

State Regulatory Timeline

- November 1: Charter schools submit written requests for facilities for the following school year.
- December 1: District reviews Charter ADA projections and responds with what it considers reasonable
- January 2: Charter schools respond to District’s ADA projections
- February 1: District makes preliminary proposals of space to charter schools
- March 1: Charter schools respond to preliminary proposals
- April 1: District makes final offers
- May 1: Charter schools accept or decline the Final Offers
- Charter schools occupy sites 10 working days prior to their first day of school instruction

For More Information, Please Visit: https://achieve.lausd.net/Page/14291

Resources Provided for LAUSD Co-located Sites

- Co-Location Coordinator Stipend
- Funding for Custodial Supplies
- Operations Support Services

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Co-Location FAQ
Principal’s Resource Guide
State Board of Education Implementing Regulations
Related District Bulletins and Reference Guides

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