

DOUGLAS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE. 1

**RESOLUTION OF DENIAL**

of the Charter Application of

**Milestone Academy**

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2015, the Board of Education ("Board") of the Douglas County School District RE-1 ("District") received a charter school application from the founder of Milestone Academy, a proposed Colorado nonprofit K-12 charter school, ("Applicant"), for the establishment of Milestone Academy ("Milestone") as a district charter school; and

WHEREAS, on June 2, 2015, the Board reviewed the DCSD staff recommendation to deny the Milestone application due to significant shortfalls in a number of operational, academic, governance and financial criteria as set forth in Colorado law and the standard Charter Application and Rubric, which recommendation is attached hereto;

WHEREAS, the Board seeks to promote a healthy balance between expanding choice options and a district focus on academic excellence, the best interest of students, fiscal soundness and accountability in governance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board that the charter school application submitted by Milestone is hereby DENIED.

Approved this 2nd day of June, 2015.

DOUGLAS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1

By:   
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President, Board of Education

Attest:

By:   
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Secretary, Board of Education