

**Resolution in Support of a Moratorium on Charter School  
Expansion and Strengthening of Transparency and Oversight  
in Governance and Practice as Addressed in the Following  
Legislative Bills: AB 1505, AB 1506 and AB 1507**

WHEREAS, since the passage of the 1992 California Charter Schools Act, the number of publicly-funded and privately-operated charter schools has grown rapidly statewide resulting in a financial hardship of public school districts;

WHEREAS, current law allows the California State Board of Education and the County Boards of Education to authorize charter schools within [district] boundaries over the objections of the democratically elected School Board Members; and


WHEREAS, current law allows a charter school to operate outside the jurisdiction or geographic boundaries of the chartering school district resulting in loss of oversight by the school district in which the charter school is located,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Democratic Club of Carlsbad Oceanside (DEMCCO) supports and will work with educational and other communities to support the passage of the following legislation to better oversee California charter schools:

- AB 1505, which improves charter school accountability by returning charter school authorization and oversight to the communities where they are located while also allowing authorizers to consider the economic, facility and academic impact of new charter schools on existing neighborhood schools;
- AB 1506, which caps the unregulated growth of privately-managed charter schools;
- AB 1507, which increases local control by preventing charter schools from locating outside the district that authorized them, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Democratic Club of Carlsbad Oceanside (DEMCCO) will communicate with Assemblymember Tasha Boerner Horvath and State Senator Patricia Bates our support of AB 1505, AB 1506 and AB 1507 and urge them to vote for the passage of these bills.

Approved May 25, 2019

Signed:   
*President*