ABSTRACT: HEBREW PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS PROGRAM FOR REPLICATION AND EXPANSION OF HIGHQUALITY CHARTER SCHOOLS

Hebrew Public, a non-profit Charter Management Organization is requesting \$4,911,004 through a Charter Schools Program Replication and Expansion grant to increase the number of educationally disadvantaged students it serves in the state of New York.

Hebrew Public is a growing network of two high-quality charter schools that combine diversity, immersive foreign language instruction, and a rigorous academic program. Hebrew Public has a proven track record of dramatically raising the performance of educationally disadvantaged students, and intends to meet the purposes of the CSP grant by meeting the following goals and project objectives:

Goal: Significantly expand two high-quality Hebrew Public schools, and open four new high-quality Hebrew Public schools, while in each school making significant progress during the 5-year grant period toward closing the achievement gap for the educationally disadvantaged students we serve.

Project Objectives

- 1. Increase the number of high quality charter schools in NY
- 2. Increase the academic achievement for all students in our schools, while progressively closing the achievement gap for educationally disadvantaged students.
- 3. Exceed GPRA Required Measures
- 4. Maintain highly diverse schools that reduce racial and economic isolation.
- 5. Prepare our students to become fully bilingual citizens who are empathic, skilled in cross-cultural communication, and civically responsible.