LETTER OF INTENT: NEW OPERATORS

A “new operator” is defined as an applicant group that has not previously operated a charter school, and that does not intend to contract with an Education Service Provider (ESP). Per IC § 20-24-1-6.1, ESP is defined as a “for profit education management organization, nonprofit charter management organization, school design provider, or any other partner entity with which a charter school intends to contract for educational design, implementation, or comprehensive management.”

A Letter of Intent must be completed by the team of individuals and/or the organization considering submitting a proposal to the Grace College Office of Charter to establish a charter school in Indiana.

Note: Submission of an LOI does not obligate the team and/or organization to submit a proposal. However, applicants are advised that the name of any entity that submits an LOI will be posted on the GCOC website. In addition, the LOI is subject to Indiana’s Public Access Laws, including public records requests.

Name of proposed charter school: ________________________________

Proposed charter school location:* ________________________________

*Please indicate the city/town and, if known, potential address or neighborhood of the school location. Virtual operators should indicate the relevant geographies the operator intends to serve.

School district of proposed school location: ________________________

Legal name of group applying for charter: __________________________

Applicant’s designated representative: ____________________________

Address: ______________________________________________________

Office and cell phone numbers: _________________________________

Email address: ________________________________________________

Planned opening year for the school: (Fall 2017 or later) ______________

Model or focus of proposed school: (e.g., arts, college prep, dual-language, etc.) ________________________________

Proposed grade level(s) and student enrollment: ______________________

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Target student population (if any): ________________________________
Does school expect to contract or partner with an Education Service Provider (ESP) or other organization for school management or operation?

If yes identify the ESP or other partner:

Have you applied to other Charter School authorizers?

If the applicant intends to partner with a service provider or partner that has previous experience in operating a school, the applicant should complete the Letter of Intent for Experienced Operators.