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## Notice of RI Department of Education Public Hearings

The Rhode Island Department of Education will be conducting four (4) public hearings to invite comments from the Rhode Island education community and from the general public on the submission of the Sheila C. Nowell Leadership Academy Charter School application. (<http://www.ride.ri.gov/commissioner/charterschools/DOCS/Nowell%20Charter%20School%20Application%202013.pdf>)

Date	Time	Location
Thursday, September 20, 2012	6:00 p.m.	Providence Career and Tech Academy Library - 41 Fricker Street, Providence
Monday, September 24, 2012	6:00 p.m.	Warwick Public Library 600 Sandy Lane, Warwick
Thursday, September 27, 2012	6:00 p.m.	Central Falls High School Cafeteria - 24 Summer Street, Central Falls
Wednesday, October 3, 2012	6:00 p.m.	East Providence High School - 2000 Pawtucket Avenue, East Providence

The public is invited to send comments to the Board of Regents, c/o Angela Teixeira at 255 Westminster Street, Providence, R.I. 02903 or by e-mail at [angela.teixeira@ride.ri.gov](mailto:angela.teixeira@ride.ri.gov).

Those wishing to have an interpreter for the hearing impaired or for TDD should contact Sheila Galamaga at 401-222-8462 or at [sheila.galamaga@ride.ri.gov](mailto:sheila.galamaga@ride.ri.gov). Spanish-English interpretation will be available upon request 48 hours prior to the hearing.