NOTICE OF PROPOSED FINANCING BY THE CALIFORNIA SCHOOL FINANCE AUTHORITY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on July 25, 2022 at 9:00 a.m., the California School Finance Authority (the "Authority") will hold a public hearing, as required by Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code") with respect to the proposed issuance and sale of revenue bonds, pursuant to a plan of financing and in one or more series from time to time, on behalf of HSCS Facilities, LLC, a California limited liability company whose sole member is an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or a successor or related entity (the "Borrower"), in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$60,000,000 (collectively, the "Bonds").

The proceeds of the Bonds will be used to (1) finance and/or refinance (A) up to \$30,000,000 of the costs of the acquisition, construction, expansion, remodeling, renovation, improvement, furnishing and equipping of approximately 32,202 square foot educational facility known as Hawking STEAM Charter School 1, located at 489 E Street, Chula Vista, California 91910, designed to serve approximately 670 students in grades TK through 8, and (B) up to \$30,000,000 of the costs of the acquisition, construction, expansion, remodeling, renovation, improvement, furnishing and equipping of approximately 58,382 square foot educational facility known as Hawking STEAM Charter School 2, located at 1275 30th Street, San Diego, CA 92154, designed to serve approximately 762 students in grades TK through 8 (together, the "Project"); (2) pay certain expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of the Bonds; (3) pay capitalized interest on the Bonds; and (4) fund a debt service reserve fund and/or related working capital with respect to the Bonds. The Project will, upon acquisition, be owned by the Borrower, and leased and operated as a public charter school by Hawking STEAM Charter Schools, Inc., a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code, and an operator of public charter schools, for the purpose of providing students from traditionally underserved communities in south San Diego County with a high-quality educational program that combines project-based learning with a rigorous STEAM-based curriculum. The Bonds are expected to be issued as "qualified 501(c)(3) bonds" under Section 145 of the Code.

Interested persons wishing to express their views on the issuance of the Bonds or on the nature and locations of the Project proposed to be financed may attend the public hearing in person or by phone at (877) 692-8957 (participant code 1740412), or may, prior to the time of the hearing, submit written comments to Katrina M. Johantgen, Executive Director, California School Finance Authority, 915 Capitol Mall, Room 101, Sacramento, California 95814. The Authority reserves the right to limit the time available to any person presenting comments. Information concerning the Bonds and the Project is available from the Authority at the address given above.

Dated: July 18, 2022