

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION – TOPIC SUMMARY****Topic: Information**—State Sponsored Charter School Annual Reports**Date:** January 21, 2016**Staff/Office:** Cindy Hunt & Kate Pattison/Deputy Superintendent's Office**Action Requested:**  **Informational Only**    **Adoption**    **Adoption/Consent****Agenda**

**ISSUE BEFORE THE BOARD:** Presentation of the State Board of Education sponsored public charter school annual reports for 2014-15.

**BACKGROUND:** The State Board of Education is the sponsor of four public charter schools in Oregon. Every year, the four schools present their annual reports to the State Board of Education. The annual report to the board is a requirement of their charter contracts and ORS 338.095. Information provided by the public charter school in the annual reports must be considered when the sponsoring board evaluates the charter school for renewal requests.

State Sponsored Charter Schools presenting include:

1. **EAGLE Charter School**, Salem – Located in the Salem-Keizer School District  
Opened in 2011 as a Microsociety school that is now serving about 140 students in grades K-5.
2. **Four Rivers Community School**, Ontario – Located in the Ontario School District  
Opened in 2003 as a dual language, Spanish/English immersion school that is now serving about 250 students in grades K-8. Starting next year, they will expand to serve high school grades.
3. **The Ivy School**, Portland – Located in Portland Public Schools  
Opened in 2009 as a Montessori school that is now serving about 180 students in grades 1-8.
4. **Southwest Charter School**, Portland – Located in Portland Public Schools  
Opened in 2007 as a science- and arts-focused, place-based school that is now serving about 200 students in grades K-8.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

EAGLE Charter School Annual Report 2014-15  
 Four Rivers Community School Annual Report 2014-15  
 The Ivy School Annual Report 2014-15  
 Southwest Charter School Annual Report 2014-15