

Legislation Text

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# Acquire Surplus CMS Property

## Action:

Approve the purchase of an 11.1 acre parcel (parcel identification number 075-105-29) located at 1209 Eureka Street for the amount of \$3,125,000.

## Staff Resource(s):

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## Explanation

- The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Board of Education owns an 11.1 acre property, currently zoned Multi-Family Residential (R-22MF), that is no longer in use as the Double Oaks School and has been designated as surplus. The site is located at 1209 Eureka Street in Council District 2.
- The property is located in an area of high-opportunity and the City would utilize the site for redevelopment. Future re-use could include the construction of affordable housing, an industrydriven career pathways center, and/or other catalytic redevelopment.
- An appraisal of the property in April 2018 established a fair market value of \$3,150,000.
- The terms of the purchase are:
  - \$3,125,000 purchase price with a five percent earnest money deposit of \$156,250,
  - 90-day due diligence period, and
  - 10-day closing period.
- As part of the mandatory referral process, the Planning Commission reviewed the transaction and voted to recommend the transaction on October 18, 2016.
- This transaction is also consistent with the Council-adopted City-Owned Real Estate and Facilities Policy.
- The Charlotte-Mecklenburg School Board approved the sale of the property to the City of Charlotte on August 14, 2018. The Mecklenburg County Board of Commissioners declined its statutory Right-of-First Refusal on September 5, 2018.

#### **Fiscal Note**

Funding: Pay-As-You-Go Funds

#### Attachment(s)

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