

**The University of North Carolina at Greensboro**  
**Board of Trustees**  
**December 7, 2017**

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**Discussion Item**

BOT-1 UNCG/Rockingham County Schools Moss Street Partnership School

**Background Information**

On Monday, October 11, the Rockingham County Board of Education passed a resolution supporting the submission of a proposal for UNCG to operate a laboratory school at Moss Street Elementary School beginning in August 2018. The proposal was submitted to UNC General Administration on October 31, and the newly formed Subcommittee on Laboratory Schools of the UNC Board of Governors will consider the proposal in early December. At its February meeting, the Rockingham County Board of Education will consider a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that will spell out the terms of the laboratory school partnership.

This initiative comes about from actions of the North Carolina Legislature in 2016 and 2017 that require the UNC Board of Governors to establish nine laboratory schools in high needs school districts across North Carolina by 2019-2020. UNC General Administration chose the Universities based on the quality and scope of their educator preparation programs and their proximity to high needs school districts.



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Dana Dunn, Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor

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