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Commissioner

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Eric Stacey, Board Chair
Community Day Charter Public School
190 Hampshire Street
Lawrence, MA 01840

Dear Mr. Stacey:

Congratulations on the renewal of the charter for Community Day Charter Public School. Based upon the evidence gathered over the past four years regarding the school's academic success, organizational viability, and faithfulness to the terms of its charter and under the authority delegated to me by the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, I have approved the renewal of the school's charter under Massachusetts General Law c. 71, § 89 and 603 CMR 1.00. The charter term is five years, beginning July 1, 2010 and expiring on June 30, 2015. The terms of the charter include the following:

Location:	Lawrence
District(s) in Region:	Lawrence
Number of students:	331
Grade levels:	K- 8

Community Day Charter Public School shall be operated in accordance with the provisions of General Laws chapter 71, section 89, and 603 CMR 1.00 and all other applicable state and federal laws and regulations and such additional conditions as the Commissioner may from time to time establish, all of which shall be deemed conditions of the charter.

The charter school initiative is a key component of education reform in Massachusetts, and your school has proved what a strong vision, high standards, and hard work can accomplish for the students of Massachusetts. I wish you great success as you continue to provide academic excellence and choice to the children of the Commonwealth.

Sincerely,

Mitchell D. Chester, Ed.D.
Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education

C: Sheila Balboni, Executive Director