

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

May 27, 2014

SUBJECT:

Increase in Meal Prices for 2014-15 School Year

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Section 205, "Equity in School Meal Pricing", of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, P.L. 111-296, requires schools to raise school meal prices to be more in line with the Federal reimbursement rates. The USDA created the paid lunch equity (PLE) tool to determine whether pricing requirements are being met and, if not met, the increase required to meet pricing requirements.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

The tool indicates a \$.05 increase for 2014-15 is needed to meet pricing requirements. Meal fees would increase as shown below.

	<u>2013-14</u> Price	<u>Proposed</u> 2014-15 Price
Elementary School Students:		
Breakfast	\$ 1.70	\$ 1.75
Lunch	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.15
Middle and High School Students:		
Breakfast	\$ 1.70	\$ 1.75
Lunch	\$ 2.25	\$ 2.30

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Approve the increase in meal prices as indicated.

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