

ACTION

TITLE: Consider approving Child Nutrition Meal Prices for

2025-2026

DATE: July 21, 2025

RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR: Charles Warren, CFO

BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:

Director of Child Nutrition, Grace George, has recently reviewed the District's meal prices. In accordance with 7 CFR 210.14 (e), and guidance provided by the ADE Child Nutrition Unit, and calculations using the PLE (Paid Lunch Equity) tool it has been determined student meal pricing will need to be adjusted for the 2025-2026 school year.

Therefore, the District requests a price increase effective August 1, 2025 as follows:

| Meal Type | Current | Proposed | Increase |
|--------------------|---------|----------|----------|
| Lunch - Elementary | \$2.75 | \$3.00 | \$0.25 |
| Lunch - Secondary | \$3.00 | \$3.25 | \$0.25 |

While the first breakfast students receive are universally free, students receiving a second breakfast are charged for the meal. The District requests a price increase effective August 1, 2025 as follows:

| Meal Type | Current | Proposed | Increase |
|-----------|---------|----------|----------|
| Breakfast | \$1.50 | \$2.00 | \$0.50 |

RECOMMENDATION:

The Administration recommends the board consider approving the student meal prices from the District's Child Nutrition program as presented.

If the Board agrees, the motion would read: **move to approve the Child Nutrition student meal prices for 2025-2026 as presented.**

Current Meal Prices Effective August 1, 2025:

| Meal Type | Full Pay | Reduced | Adult | Milk |
|-----------------------|----------|---------|--------|--------|
| Breakfast | \$2.00 | \$0.00 | \$3.00 | \$0.50 |
| Lunch - Elementary | \$3.00 | \$0.00 | \$5.00 | \$0.50 |
| Lunch – Secondary | \$3.25 | \$0.00 | \$5.00 | \$0.50 |