

Livonia Public Schools

Business Services Office

Date: October 10, 2011

To: Randy Liepa, Ph.D., Superintendent

From: Lisa Abbey, Director of Business Services

Re: 2011-2012 Breakfast Program

We would like to discuss the school district's breakfast program at the October 24, 2011 Finance Committee meeting. The State requires that we provide a breakfast program in schools with 20% or more free and reduced eligible students. Therefore we will provide breakfast at Cleveland, Coolidge, Cooper, Garfield, Grant, Hayes, Johnson, and Rosedale Elementary Schools; Emerson and Frost Middle Schools; Churchill, Franklin and Stevenson High Schools; Western Wayne Skill Center and the Northwest Trainable Center at Webster next year. Stevenson High School will offer a breakfast program because the staff is available to facilitate the program. These buildings are the same as last year. Attached please find a detailed memo from Kristen Hennessey, Food Service Supervisor indicating which schools will have a breakfast program next year.

In addition, part of the yearly process requires that the District opt out of a breakfast program in schools where we are not providing breakfast. A public hearing for this process is required and we will ask the Board of Education to schedule the public hearing at the next regular Board meeting (in a separate meeting scheduled prior to the regular meeting).

Please include this item on the Finance Committee agenda for Monday, October 24, 2011. Please let me know if there are any questions.

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Attachment

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Food Service Department

Memorandum

TO: Lisa Abbey, Director of Finance
FROM: Kristen Hennessey, Food Service Director
DATE: October 5, 2011
SUBJECT: Breakfast Program

In accordance with the Breakfast Mandate Section 1272a (2) of the Michigan School Code, a building is mandated to serve breakfast if the total free and reduced applications equal 20% or more of the enrollment. The October 2010 Claim for Reimbursement is used to determine this mandate. Therefore the following buildings meet the mandate to serve breakfast this school year:

- Churchill 21%
- Cleveland 36%
- Coolidge 14%
- Cooper 33%
- Emerson 35%
- Franklin 30%
- Frost 23%
- Garfield 49%
- Grant 25%
- Hayes 34%
- Johnson 26%
- Skill Center 44%
- Rosedale 26%
- Webster 53%

Stevenson High School is 11% free and reduced and has served breakfast for several years as we have the staff to facilitate the program and the building principal determined a need.

These are the same schools that had the breakfast program in 2010-11.