



Oak Park Elementary School District 97

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TO: Dr. Ushma Shah, Superintendent
Board of Education

FROM: Patrick King, Senior Director of Finance

RE: Food Service – Renewal of Intergovernmental Agreement

DATE: February 21, 2023

Summary

At its May 15, 2007 meeting, the Board of Education of Oak Park District 97 entered into an intergovernmental agreement with Oak Park River Forest (OPRF) High School for the provision “of cafeteria service and school meals for students attending its school facilities for the 2007-08 through 2011-12 school years”. Similarly, Oak Park River Forest High School has presented extensions of this intergovernmental agreement in subsequent school years. The proposal from OPRF for the 2023-2024 school year is to extend the contract for one year with a .05/meal increase for the middle schools. There no increase for the elementary schools.

Below are all the meal price changes:

<u>Type</u>	<u>FY23</u>	<u>FY24</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Breakfast	\$1.00	\$1.00	+0.00
K-5 Student Lunch	\$1.75	\$1.75	+0.00
6-8 Student Lunch	\$1.95	\$2.00	+0.05

The Oak Park community has been the recipient of an intergovernmental agreement that minimizes the cost of lunch service to its children while providing a quality, healthy and nutritious meal efficiently daily for the past fifteen years. Administration is currently researching the viability of other food service options beyond school year 2024 as part of D97’s sustainability initiatives. In the meantime, we are recommending a one-year renewal with Oak Park River Forest (OPRF) High School while those sustainability options are explored.

Motion

Administration is seeking a motion to extend the intergovernmental agreement with OPRF for food services for FY2024 per the attached.