Resolution #2012-13-12 To Approve an Increase in District Meal/Milk Prices for 2013-14

Discussion:

An increase in District Meal Prices for the 2013-14 is necessary because the Federal "Healthy Hunger-Free Kids Act" which reauthorized the National School Lunch program requires the District to increase meal prices to meet Federal equity pricing requirements. Complying with the equity in pricing will necessitate raising the Elementary school and Junior/Senior school lunch prices from \$2.15 to \$2.25 and \$2.40 to \$2.50 respectively, milk prices increase from \$0.25 to \$0.40, Adult meal prices from \$3.00 to \$3.50.

No increase is proposed in breakfast prices at all levels. We are proposing a \$.50 increase in adult lunch prices to help offset rising food prices.

Free and reduced prices remain the same for 2013-14

Lunch	Current Price	Recommended Price
Elementary	\$2.15	\$2.25
Junior/Senior High School	\$2.40	\$2.50
Reduced Price Lunch	\$0.40*	No Change
Adult Lunch	\$3.00	No Change
Milk	\$0.25	\$0.40
Breakfast		
Elementary	\$1.00	No Change
Junior/Senior High School	\$1.25	No Change
Reduced Price Breakfast	\$0.30*	No Change*

^{*}Notes: Reduced prices are set by the Federal Government. The State is currently paying the reduced breakfast cost. We have not been informed of any changes for "Reduced" meals by either the Federal or State governments. However, if there is a change, the district will implement the Federal and State prices.

WHEREAS, the Federal "Healthy Hunger-Free Food Act" requires the district to increase elementary and Junior/Senior High school lunch prices to meet Federal equity pricing requirements, and;

WHEREAS, the fixed price for Pattern Meals and Meal Price Equivalents is increasing to offset the continuing increases in the cost of food; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors approves the recommended increase in district meal prices for the 2013-14 school year.

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