

**ELMIRA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
ELMIRA, NEW YORK**

February 15, 2017

TO: Board of Education
FROM: Hillary Austin
SUBJECT: Approval of 2016-17 Tuition Rates for Non-Resident Students

Pertinent Information:

Consistent with Board of Education policy and in accordance with regulations of the Commissioner of Education, tuition rates for non-resident students are calculated for the Elmira City School District on an annual basis. The rates are based on estimated state aid, local taxes and estimated expenditures of the current budget. As per State Education Department guidelines, the methodology utilized is the “Seneca Falls” formula.

Evaluation/Analysis:

According to the State Education Department formula, the estimated tuition rates for non-resident students of the Elmira City School District for the 2016-17 school year are as follows:

Full Day Kindergarten and Grades 1-6	\$ 2,145
Grades 7-12	\$ 4,424
Handicapped K-6	\$ 16,159
Handicapped 7-12	\$ 18,438

Recommendation:

That the Board of Education approves the above-stated tuition rates for the 2016-17 school year.

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