

**BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION  
REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

**NO.:** BHE 20-20

**BOARD DATE:** May 5, 2020

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**STATE UNIVERSITIES**

***RESIDENT GRADUATE TUITION RATES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021***

**MOVED:** The Board of Higher Education hereby adopts the following resident graduate tuition rates for state-supported programs at the state universities for Fiscal Year 2021:

	<b>Change</b>	<b>Annual Resident Graduate Tuition</b>
Bridgewater State University	\$0	\$1,675
Fitchburg State University	\$0	\$1,675
Framingham State University	\$0	\$1,675
Massachusetts College of Art and Design	N/A	N/A
Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts	\$0	\$1,675
Massachusetts Maritime Academy	N/A	N/A
Salem State University	\$0	\$1,675
Westfield State University	\$0	\$1,675
Worcester State University	\$0	\$1,675

**VOTED:** Motion adopted by BHE 5/5/2020.

Authority: Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 15A, Section 9(i)

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Finance

## **Background**

Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 15A, Section 9(i) provides that the Board of Higher Education shall annually set tuition rates for the state universities and the community colleges. The recommendation is for all FY2021 tuition rates to remain the same as the current tuition rates.