

BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION
REQUEST FOR COMMITTEE AND BOARD ACTION

COMMITTEE: Fiscal Affairs and Administrative Policy **NO.:** FAAP 13-27
COMMITTEE DATE: March 5, 2013
BOARD DATE: March 12, 2013

STATE UNIVERSITIES
RESIDENT GRADUATE TUITION RATES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014

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 2014:

| | Change | Annual Resident Graduate Tuition |
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| 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 |

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

Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 15A, Section 9(i), provides that the Board of Higher Education shall annually set tuition rates for the University of Massachusetts, the state universities, and the community colleges. The recommendation is for all FY2014 tuition rates to remain the same as FY2013 tuition rates. A review of the current rate structure shall be conducted to inform FY2015 tuition rate approval.