## CULDESAC JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT #342

600 Culdesac Avenue, Culdesac ID 83524

## 2016 - 2017 PROPOSED FEE INCREASE PUBLICATION NOTICE

	BREAKFAST						LUNCH					
		Federal						Federal				
FEDERAL FUNDING	Current	Reimburse	TOTAL	Proposed	Increase	2016-2017	Current	Reimburse	TOTAL	Proposed	Increase	2016-2017
Food Service Program	Meal Price	Rate		Increase	Percentage	Meal Price	Meal Price	Rate		Increase	Percentage	Meal Price
Elementary (PK - 8th grades)	\$1.75	.29 cents	\$2.04	.25 cents	14%	\$2.00	\$2.75	.31 cents	\$3.06	.25 cents	9%	\$3.00
Secondary (9th - 12th grades)	\$2.00	.29 cents	\$2.29	n/a	n/a	\$2.00	\$3.00	.31 cents	\$3.31	.25 cents	8%	\$3.25
Adult Meal Prices	\$2.50	n/a	\$2.50	.50 cents	20%	\$3.00	\$6.00	n/a	\$6.00	n/a	n/a	\$6.00
Qualified Reduced Participants	.30 cents	\$1.69	\$1.99	n/a	n/a	.30 cents	.40 cents	\$2.69	\$3.09	n/a	n/a	.40 cents
Qualified Free Meal Participants	FREE	\$1.99	\$1.99	n/a	n/a	FREE	FREE	\$3.09	\$3.09	n/a	n/a	FREE

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The Federal Food Service Program prohibits the charging of meals. Past practice of the district has allowed occassional charges. Monthly billing reminders were sent to parents informing them of the current student account balance. To facilitate the enforcement of the "NO CHARGING" policy for the 2016-2017 school year, parents need to prepurchase meals in the office. Monthly reminders will be sent home with the students of the current account balance to avoid running out of prepurchased meals. Parents will need to send sack lunches for their child if meals have not been prepaid. Parents will need to provide breakfast at home before school as well, if not prepurchased ahead. Culdesac School has decided to face the challenges of providing a quality meal to students under the guidelines of the Federal Program which involves enforcement of the "NO CHARGING" policy. Other challenges that the Board of Trustees face is declined enrollment, rising cost due to food increase in price and new serving guidelines. The guidelines to be oberseved for the 2016-2017 school year include serving the appropriate portion size per age group, minimal program staffing, utilizing commodities, and increasing meal prices to cover the cost of producing the meals offered. We appreciate your participation in the Food Service Program and hope you understand why the school needs to try and balance the costs by operating under the guidelines as mandated. Please contact the school if you have any questions at (208) 843-5413.

Culdesac JSD #342 is holding a public hearing to discuss proposed 2016-2017 fee increase for meal prices in the School Library on July 13, 2016 at 7:45 p.m.