BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

REQUEST FOR COMMITTEE ACTION

NO.: BHE 25-43

BOARD DATE: May 20, 2025

STATE UNIVERSITIES NON-RESIDENT GRADUATE TUITION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026

MOVED: The Board of Higher Education hereby adopts the following non-

resident graduate tuition rates for state-supported programs at the

State Universities for Fiscal Year 2026:

		Annual Non-Resident
	Change	Graduate Tuition
Bridgewater State University	\$0	\$7,050
Fitchburg State University	\$0	\$7,050
Framingham State University	\$0	\$7,050
Massachusetts College of Art and		
Design	N/A	N/A
Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts	\$0	\$9,975
Massachusetts Maritime Academy	N/A	N/A
Salem State University	\$0	\$7,050
Westfield State University	\$0	\$7,050
Worcester State University	\$0	\$7,050

VOTED: Motion adopted by the BHE on 5/20/2025.

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

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Operations

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 FY2026 tuition rates to remain the same as the current tuition rates.