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June 22, 2026

Cris Murphy  
Business and Finance Services Department 2nd floor  
Springfield Public Schools  
1550 Main Street  
Springfield, MA. 01103-1410

Re: Springfield Federation of Paraprofessionals; Dues increase/decrease 2026-2027 School Year

Dear Cris:

The Federation has recalculated the dues deductions for Unit D employees for the 2026-2027 year, to take effect during the first pay period of 2026-2027 school year.

All Unit D Members excepts PITs: \$21.55 per pay period (from \$21.25)

Paraeducators in Training: 13.90 per pay period (from \$13.66)

The Unit D employees include: Paraeducators, Paraeducators in Training, Assistant Teachers, LPN's, Health Assistants, CNA's, Occupational Therapy Assistants and Physical Therapy Assistants

I appreciate your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Karen Carney  
President