

RESOLUTION F20-17

APPROVAL OF AY18-19
GRADUATE TUITION AND FEES

WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Higher Education's fall 2016 Survey of Student Charges reveals that Shawnee's in-state graduate tuition and fees rank third lowest among state universities and are considerably below the average for all schools; and

WHEREAS, the same data reveal that Shawnee's out of state surcharge for graduate programs is one of the highest and is out of alignment with schools targeting comparable student markets; and

WHEREAS, it is important that Shawnee State derive sufficient revenue for instructional costs in order to continue to deliver high quality graduate degrees and to adequately respond to inflationary costs; and

WHEREAS, it is equally important that Shawnee State's out of state charges for graduate programs be competitive; and

WHEREAS, after considering the above factors, the Provost and President recommend an increase of 3.0% to the university's graduate instructional fee and a reduction of 3.0% to the graduate out of state surcharge;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Board of Trustees approves the proposed changes to the AY2018-19 graduate tuition and fees schedule.

(December 15, 2017)