# **RESOLUTION E02-13/F02-13**

# APPROVAL OF STUDENT RESIDENTIAL HOUSING RATES (SUMMER 2013 AND AY13-14) & AY13-14 RESIDENTIAL CONNECTIVITY FEE & MEAL PLAN RATES

WHEREAS, a survey of projected AY13-14 average housing fees and meal plan rates for Ohio public universities reveals that Shawnee State University continues to remain among the most affordable in the state; and

WHEREAS, an increase of 3.5% above last academic year and summer term rates is necessary to assure the continuation of high quality accommodations for privately and University-owned facilities; and

WHEREAS, the contractually-required increase for AY2013-2014 meal plan rates is 3.85% above last year's rates; and

WHEREAS, for AY13-14 the existing Communication Fee is replaced with a Residential Connectivity Fee and set at \$120/semester (\$240/academic year) to defray costs associated with providing network connectivity and a variety of communications services for residential units;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees approves the proposed housing rates and connectivity fees for 2013-2014 academic year and 2013 summer term rates as identified on the attached schedules.

(March 19, 2013)

#### Shawnee State University Housing and Meal Plan Rates 2013-2014 Academic Year

### ► Proposed ◄ 3.5% Housing Increase 3.85% Meal Plan Increase

# **Campus View**

| Room Type           | Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Private             | \$3,396       | \$6,792       |
| Double              | \$2,835       | \$5,670       |
| Triple <sup>1</sup> | \$2,274       | \$4,548       |

### Tanner Place/BridgeView Court (Glover Street)

| Room Type | Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|-----------|---------------|---------------|
| Double    | \$2,835       | \$5,670       |

### Carriage House

| Room Type | Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|-----------|---------------|---------------|
| Double    | \$2,835       | \$5,670       |

# **Cedar House**

| Room Type            | Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Private <sup>2</sup> | \$3,087       | \$6,175       |
| Double               | \$2,576       | \$5,152       |
| Triple <sup>1</sup>  | \$2,075       | \$4,150       |

# University Townhouse

| Room Type            | Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Private <sup>2</sup> | \$2,856       | \$5,711       |
| Double               | \$2,339       | \$4,678       |
| Triple <sup>1</sup>  | \$1,823       | \$3,645       |

<sup>1</sup>Triple rooms are offered at the discretion of the University.

<sup>2</sup> Private Rooms in Cedar House and University Townhouse are only available if space permits.

# **Meal Plan Options**<sup>3</sup>

| Plan              | Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| 19 Meals per Week | \$1,729       | \$3,548       |
| 15 Meals per Week | \$1,617       | \$3,234       |
| 12 Meals per Week | \$1,429       | \$2,858       |

<sup>3</sup>All meal plans include \$25 flex dollars per semester.

Freshmen campus residents are assigned the 19 meal plan; sophomores may select any option; juniors or seniors may opt not to participate in a meal plan.

# **Residential Connectivity Fee**

| Semester Cost | Academic Year |
|---------------|---------------|
| \$120         | \$240         |

#### Shawnee State University Housing Rates 2013 Summer Term

### ► Proposed ◄ 3.5% Housing Increase

### **Campus View**

| Room Type | Full Semester | 5 Week Term |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| Private   | \$1,752       | \$876       |
| Double    | \$1,461       | \$731       |

Summer residents are typically housed in Campus View buildings only. The buildings below are used only if overflow is required:

### Tanner Place/BridgeView Court (Glover Street)

| Room Type | Full Semester | 5 Week Term |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| Double    | \$1,461       | \$731       |

# **Carriage House**

| Room Type | Full Semester | 5 Week Term |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| Double    | \$1,461       | \$731       |

### **Cedar House**

| Room Type            | Full Semester | 5 Week Term |
|----------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Private <sup>1</sup> | \$1,596       | \$798       |
| Double               | \$1,326       | \$663       |

# University Townhouse

| Room Type            | Full Semester | 5 Week Term |
|----------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Private <sup>1</sup> | \$1,470       | \$735       |
| Double               | \$1,211       | \$606       |

<sup>1</sup> Private rooms are only available if space permits in Cedar House and University Townhouse.

# **Meal Plan Options**

### No food service is provided during Summer Term.

| Institution                    | Percent            | 2013-14 Average |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
|                                | Increase           | Housing Rate    |
| Bowling Green State University | 2.4% <sup>2</sup>  | \$6,200         |
| Cleveland State University     | 3% <sup>2</sup>    | \$8,125         |
| Kent State University          | 4% <sup>2</sup>    | \$6,883         |
| Miami University               | 1.5%               | \$6,807         |
| Ohio State University          | 6% <sup>2</sup>    | \$7,651         |
| Ohio University                | 3.5%               | \$6,511         |
| Shawnee State University       | 3.5%               | \$5,690         |
| University of Akron            | Not more than 3.5% | \$7,194         |
| University of Cincinnati       | 2%                 | \$7,051         |
| University of Toledo           | 0%                 | \$8,043         |
| Wright State University        | .87%               | \$5,863         |
| Youngstown State University    | 4%                 | 7,696           |

<sup>1</sup> Central State indicated they have not yet started the process and therefore provided no data.

<sup>2</sup> Proposed or Anticipated



