# NEW BUSINESS ITEM FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION 

## SUBJECT:

FY 2023 Daily and Hourly Wage Rates

## OVERVIEW:

Section 3-413 of the Labor and Employment Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland requires employers to pay at least the minimum wage to employees. The attached schedule highlights the changes to conform to Maryland HB-166 which mandates minimum wage be paid at $\$ 13.25$ per hour.

## FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

The substitute teacher rate is changing from a daily rate to an hourly rate with a guaranteed minimum of 4 hours. The substitute rates will increase by an average of $16 \%$. For hourly employees, the minimum wage increased from $\$ 12.50$ to $\$ 13.25$, and this increase was applied proportionally to various hourly rates. The FY 2023 budget was increased by approximately $\$ 500,000$ to address the impact of the minimum wage increase. The cost of substitutes is projected to be $\$ 2.6$ million over budget. Of this cost, $\$ 600,000$ is related to the impact of the new substitute rates. Lapse salary savings will be used to offset the projected shortfall.

## RECOMMENDATION/FUTURE DIRECTION:

That the Board approve the daily and hourly rates for the upcoming fiscal year.

ATTACHMENT

| Daily and Hourly Wage Rates | FY2022 |  | FY2023 |
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| CATEGORY | FY2022 |  | FY2023 |
| Substitute Teacher |  | FY 2022 Hourly Rate |  |
| Non-Degreed Daily Rate | \$94.00 | \$12.53 per hr | \$15.50 per hr |
| Degreed Daily Rate | \$120.00 | \$16.00 per hr | \$19.25 per hr |
| Retired Teacher Daily Rate | \$126.00 | \$16.80 per hr | \$22.50 per hr |
| Non-Degreed Long Term | \$120.00 | \$16.00 per hr | \$18.50 per hr |
| Degreed Long Term | \$187.00 | \$24.93 per hr | \$26.00 per hr |
| Retired Teacher Long Term (days 61+) | \$213.00 | \$28.40 per hr | \$32.00 per hr |
| Homebound Teacher |  |  |  |
| Home and Hospital Teacher-Bachelors and/or SPC | \$25.25 |  | \$25.25 |
| Temporaries (Hourly) |  |  |  |
| AVID Tutor | \$14.00 |  | \$14.75 |
| Building Service Worker | \$12.50 |  | \$13.25 |
| Bus Attendant | \$12.50 |  | \$13.25 |
| Bus Driver | \$15.00-\$17.00 |  | \$16.10-\$18.10 |
| Computer Intern/Analyst | \$12.50-\$17.00 |  | \$13.25-\$17.50 |
| Educational Interpreter | \$34.15 |  | \$34.15 |
| ELO/Title I Tutor (48 college credits or parapro) | \$14.00 |  | \$14.75 |
| ELO/Title I Tutor (BA Degree or higher) | \$30.00 |  | \$30.00 |
| Evening High School Teacher | \$35.00 |  | \$35.00 |
| Food Service Employee 1 | \$13.75 |  | \$14.25 |
| Food Service Employee 2 | \$15.75 |  | \$16.25 |
| Food Service Substitute | \$12.50 |  | \$13.25 |
| Non-Public Tutor | \$34.15 |  | \$34.15 |
| North Point Childcare | \$12.50 |  | \$13.25 |
| Secretary/Clerical | \$12.50-\$13.40 |  | \$13.25-\$14.15 |
| Science Center Hourly Teacher | \$25.00 |  | \$25.00 |
| Science Center Lab Assistant | \$12.50 |  | \$13.25 |
| Swim Instructor (5th Grade Water <br> Safety/Summer Camp | \$12.50-\$35.00 |  | \$13.25-\$35.00 |
| Teacher Mentor | \$35.00 |  | \$35.00 |
| Temporary Instructional Assistant | \$14.00 |  | \$14.75 |



