

**RESOLUTION REQUIRING ANNUAL VERIFICATION
OF STUDENT RESIDENCY**

WHEREAS, this Board of Education is required by the Illinois Constitution and the Illinois School Code to provide a free elementary level education to resident students and to certain non-resident students under specific and limited circumstances (Illinois Constitution of 1970, Art. V, Section 1; 105 ILCS 5/10-20.12); and

WHEREAS, the Illinois School Code requires this Board of Education to charge tuition under certain circumstances to non-resident students who have enrolled in this School District (105 ILCS 5/10-20.12a; 105 ILCS 5/10-20.12b); and

WHEREAS, this Board of Education finds and determines that student residency must be carefully and regularly examined and that procedures should be implemented to ensure that only resident students and those non-resident students otherwise authorized by law to attend the schools of this School District are allowed to attend said schools on a tuition-free basis; and

WHEREAS, this Board of Education finds and determines that it is necessary and in the best interests of this School District and its residents and taxpayers to make reasonable efforts to ensure that the education that is being provided and funded in large part with local tax dollars is provided only to resident students and to those non-resident students otherwise authorized by law to attend the schools of this School District;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Worth School District Number 127, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

SECTION 1: That every student who enrolls in a school operated by this Board of Education in this School District shall be required to establish residency in this School District on an annual basis.

SECTION 2: That the Superintendent be and is hereby authorized and directed to establish a program of annual residency verification for all District students, and to require each such student and/or student's family to provide such satisfactory proof of residency as allowed or required by law on an annual basis.

SECTION 3: That notice of this Board of Education's decision to require annual residency verification of students attending the schools operated by this Board of Education be provided to all students and their families in sufficient time so as to enable them to comply with the requirement of providing satisfactory proof of residency.

SECTION 4: That all applicable laws and regulations relating to student residency and the charging of tuition to non-resident students shall continue to be complied with.


SECTION 5: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

ADOPTED this 11th day of OCTOBER, 2017, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: BLANKS, ROTI, EGAN, FLORES, KEELER, SERNIUS, SISK


NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE



President, Board of Education

ATTEST:



Secretary, Board of Education