



Board President Jewell would like us to consider offering free black-and-white printing to students for assignments on an ongoing basis, similar to the service we offer for those seeking employment. We put this item ahead of the Public Services Committee report since effecting this request would involve the List of Fines and Fees Policy that is already in the packet on the next agenda item. That way we could discuss and potentially approve this change along with the other changes to this policy all at once.

From September 2020 through June 2021, BDL printed 351 free student prints across all branches except for Algansee, out of 43,798 total print jobs for the public. That's 8/10 of 1% of all printing over those ten months, or a value of \$52.65—a very small financial cost with a large potential impact to the community. We endorse the idea of continuing this benefit.

If the Board approves of this change, we would propose the following note to be added to the List of Fines and Fees Policy:

* Those seeking employment may print up to 10 black-and-white copies of resumes, cover letters, job applications, or other documents related to seeking employment each day. Students living or attending school in our service area may print up to 10 black-and-white pages of school assignments or documents each day.

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