

April 29, 2025

ELECTRONIC DELIVERY

Columbia School District
Dr. Jason Harris, Superintendent
613 Wildcat Way
Columbia, MS 39429-3153

Dear Dr. Harris:

The State Agency (SA) completed an Administrative Review (AR) of the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), School Breakfast Program (SBP), After School Care Program (ASCP), and Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) during the week of Month 00, 2023. An exit conference was conducted on April 17, 2025. The SA is pleased to report that over the course of the Review, **no findings were identified**. We are closing the district's file for this review period. No response is necessary.

In addition to conducting the AR, one of the functions of the SA is to provide Technical Assistance (TA). During the course of the review, the SA Reviewer provided TA in several areas to the Child Nutrition Director (CND). TA is documented in MARS, specifically in the "Technical Assistance" section of the "Compliance" Module. TA is provided for the improvement of the program operations and is not considered a finding.

The SA would like to commend the SFA for being organized and having documents readily available upon request. The staff is knowledgeable and they work as a team. Keep up the good work.

If you have any questions regarding this review, or would like to request additional assistance, please email me at name@mdek12.org or call Taquasia Hicks or me at (601) 576-5000.

Sincerely,



Quatrice Hyde, Program Specialist
Office of Child Nutrition, School Support Division

cc: Mrs. Nicole Bass
Food Service Administrator
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