

March 16, 2020

Simpson County School District  
Mr. Greg Paes, Superintendent  
111 Education Lane  
Mendenhall, MS 39114

Dear Mr. Paes:

The State Agency (SA) completed an Administrative Review (AR) of the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and School Breakfast Program (SBP) during the week of March 2, 2019. 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 the excellent job running the Child Nutrition Programs and following the regulations to the maximum extent. Mrs. Joanna and the staff do an excellent job for the children of Simpson County.

If you have any questions regarding this review, or would like to request additional assistance, please email me at [ccrawford@mdek12.ms.us](mailto:ccrawford@mdek12.ms.us) or call Mary Burks or me at (601) 576-5000.

Sincerely,

**Original Signed**

Charles Crawford, Division Director II  
Office of Child Nutrition, School Support Division

cc: File NSLP (AR) 2019/20

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