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A. PENDER MAKIN COMMISSIONER

January 2, 2024

Cari Medd Superintendent RSU 52 486 Turner Center Road Turner, ME 04282

Dear Superintendent Medd:

The RSU 52 Nutrition Program was reviewed per Federal Regulation 7CFR 210.18 and Maine Department of Education Child Nutrition policies and procedures. On November 28 & 29, 2023 Michele Bisbee reviewed Leavitt Area High School and Leeds Central School. An exit conference with you, David Roberts and Gabrielle Krol occurred on November 29, 2023. The SY 2024 School Nutrition Program Administrative Review has been completed. There were no findings.

This is to notify you that this is the final action and the Administrative Review is now closed. Should you have any questions, please contact Michele Bisbee at 592-6076 or email michele.bisbee@maine.gov.

Sincerely,

Jane McLucas

Child Nutrition Director

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SNP Administrative Review Findings

Program Year 2024

RSU 52/MSAD 52 (847)

486 Turner Center Road Turner, ME 04282

No. of Sites / Reviewed: 6 / 2 Month of Review: October 2023

Leavitt Area High School (851)

486 Turner Center Road Turner, ME 04282

Date of Onsite Review: November 29, 2023

Food Service Contact

David Roberts Food Service Director (207) 225-1120 **Executive Contact**

RSU 52/MSAD 52 (847)

Cari Medd Superintendent (207) 225-1000

Leeds Central School (849)

486 Turner Center Road Turner, ME 04282

Date of Onsite Review: November 28, 2023

Commendations

* David Roberts runs a wonderful program across the RSU 52 school district. He does a very thorough job of tracking things from meal counts to food costs and labor costs. This allows him to see trends in the program and shows where, if any, things need to be adjusted to adapt to changing costs or student preferences. An exit meeting was held at on November 29, 2023 with David Roberts, Cari Medd and Gabrielle Krol to go over how the review went. Overall, it was a wonderful review. Thank you to you and your team for providing your students with the wonderful service.

Technical Assistance

* Due to staffing shortages the ghost trays have not been consistently kept. It was discussed to purchase a few ice cube trays due to the number of offerings at the high school during lunch. This will allow then to keep small samples on hand without taking up too much storage space in the cooler.

No Findings during Review

No Findings during Site 851 Review - Leavitt Area High School

Meal Components & Quantities - Leeds Central School (849)

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Finding 9000: Other Finding

The setup of the POS station does not provide a good view of the trays making it difficult on the person doing accountability.

Technical Assistance:

Technical Assistance was provided during lunch service in regard to altering the setup for better viewing of the trays. This will keep the staff from having to try to get the kids to come back when trying to leave the line.

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