



STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
23 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE
04333-0023

JOHN ELIAS BALDACCI
GOVERNOR

SUSAN A. GENDRON
COMMISSIONER

June 18, 2008

Pamela Carnahan, Superintendent
MSAD 40
44 School Street
Warren, ME 04864

Dear Superintendent Carnahan:

Thank you for your letter dated June 6, 2008 in which you provided an update on the status of MSAD 40's budget approval and its non-adverse impact on the instructional programming offered in the district's schools.

Members of my staff and I have taken this into consideration in conjunction with prior submissions of your Alternative Plan and have determined that it is consistent with the Policy Objectives and Parameters set forth in the reorganization law, and it now includes all required plan elements and adequate supporting documentation. Therefore, I have determined that your plan is complete and in compliance with the law.

I appreciate the great effort that went into preparing your Alternative Plan, and I wish you continued success as you implement the elements set forth in this plan.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan A. Gendron".

Susan A. Gendron
Commissioner of Education