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February 4, 2025

Lou Goscinski
Superintendent
Sebago Public Schools
283 Sebago Road
Sebago, ME 04029

Dear Superintendent Goscinski:

The Sebago Public Schools Nutrition Program was reviewed per Federal Regulation 7CFR 210.18 and Maine Department of Education Child Nutrition policies and procedures. On January 30, 2025 Sarah Platt reviewed Sebago Elementary. An exit conference with Morgan Theriault occurred on January 30, 2025. The SY 2025 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 Sarah Platt at 592-2410 or email sarah.d.platt@maine.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jane McLucas".

Jane McLucas
Child Nutrition Director

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SNP Administrative Review Findings

Sebago Public Schools (1996)

Program Year 2025

Sebago Public Schools (1996)
283 Sebago Road
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No. of Sites / Reviewed: 1 / 1
Month of Review: December 2024
Onsite Review: January 30, 2025

Commendations

* The National School Lunch and Breakfast Programs are operating very well at Sebago Public Schools. Morgan Therriault and her staff have done a great job adhering to the complex regulations and requirements of the Child Nutrition Programs. We acknowledge the amount of effort it takes to prepare for this review, and we appreciate your assistance. The documentation was thorough and well organized. There were no findings during this review. Keep up the great work!

General Program Compliance - Sebago Public Schools (1996)

1403. Did a review of agricultural food components indicate violations of the Buy American provision?

Finding 9992: Buy American Provision Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance:

The Buy American provision requires school food authorities to purchase, to the maximum extent practicable, domestic commodities or products. Recently, the USDA established a new threshold for school food authorities that use exceptions to this requirement. The limit on the percent of total commercial food costs from non- domestic foods will be phased in over 7 school years.

- Beginning in SY 2025-26, the non- domestic food purchases cap will be 10 percent.
• Beginning in SY 2028-29, the non- domestic food purchases cap will be 8 percent.
• Beginning in SY 2031-32, the non- domestic food purchases cap will be 5 percent.
This phased-in approach will allow schools to gradually adjust to the new requirement

Meal Components & Quantities - Sebago Elementary School (929)

403. DOR - two varieties of milk available, allowable substitutions

Finding 9000: Technical Assistance: Allowable Milk Substitutes

Technical Assistance:

Allowable milk substitutes must have the same or better nutritional criteria as cow's milk and must be accompanied by a written parental request. A request for accommodation that does not follow meal pattern guidelines must be accompanied by a completed medical statement form signed by the doctor. The form is available on our website.