

May 15, 2025

Dr. Frank Rodriguez
Superintendent
Beaufort County School District 80
P.O. Drawer 309
Beaufort, SC 29901-0309

Dear Dr. Rodriguez:

Pursuant to State Board of Education (SBE) Regulation 43-300, the Office of Federal and State Accountability (OFSA), within the South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE), conducts desk audits and on-site verification visits for all districts and schools following a five-year cycle (and yearly on those which have an accreditation status of accredited/warned, accredited/probation, or those districts and schools whose previous visit violations are still unresolved for the current year). Districts and schools are also monitored when directed by the State Board of Education or the State Superintendent of Education.

The OFSA recently monitored Beaufort County School District 80. The purpose of the review was to assess the District's compliance with the defined program and all current statutes and regulations as prescribed by the SBE and General Assembly for the 2024-25 school year.

I am pleased to inform you that the District is currently meeting the required elements of the Consolidated State Monitoring Protocol, resulting in an 'all clear' rating with no instances of non-compliance.

The OFSA enjoyed working with the District's staff and appreciated their efficiency and cooperation throughout the process. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at pescott@ed.sc.gov or 803-734-4040.

Sincerely,

Peggy Scott

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Education Associate, Office of Federal and State
Accountability

cc: Dr. Michael Lovecchio, Director, Beaufort County School District 80
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