



March 3, 2025

Dr. Stefani Gray Hicswa
Chancellor
Montana State University - Billings
1500 University Drive
Billings, MT 59101-0298

Dear Chancellor Hicswa:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) at its meeting on January 28-31, 2025, concerning the Fall 2024 Policies, Regulations, and Financial Review of Montana State University - Billings.

Accreditation

Accept the Report

Status of Previous Recommendations Addressed in this Evaluation

- Recommendation 1: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review - Fulfilled

Future Evaluations

- Year 7 - Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness Fall 2025

NWCCU is committed to an accreditation process that adds value to institutions while contributing to public accountability, and we thank you for your continued support of this process. If you have questions about any of the information in this letter, please contact your staff liaison, Dr. Gita Bangera, at gbangera@nwccu.org.

Sincerely,

Jeff Fox
Interim President

cc: Ms. Kathleen Thatcher, Director of Assessment and Accreditation
Mr. Todd Buchanan, Chair
Mr. Clayton Christian, Commissioner of Higher Education, Montana University System