



NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

Dr. R. Scott Ralls, President

January 17, 2009

Dr. William S. Carver, II, President
Nash Community College
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Dear Dr. Carver:

Enclosed is the report of audit findings from the recent audit conducted at Nash Community College pursuant to NC General Statute 115D-5(m). There were no audit exceptions or areas of concern identified for the sample of records pulled from the Institution Class Reports (ICR), programs, policies, and procedures reviewed.

I commend you and your staff for the excellent manner in which you followed record keeping procedures prescribed by the State Board of Community Colleges for the review period Spring Semester 2007 through Spring Semester 2008.

Thank you for cooperating with the System Office Audit Services staff during the performance of the audit.

Sincerely,

Kennon D. Briggs
Executive Vice President and Chief of Staff

Enclosure

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Audit Findings for Nash Community College Spring Semester 2007 - Spring Semester 2008

An audit was conducted at Nash Community College by the System Office Audit Services staff on the maintenance of records and the reporting of student membership hours as well as certain college procedures for Spring Semester 2007 through Spring Semester 2008.

The scope of the audit included a pre-audit review of selected records pulled from the Institution Class Reports (ICR), programs, policies, and procedures for the period covered by the audit. Based on the pre-audit review, certain class reports were identified for further study. The following audit tests were conducted regarding the ICRs: (1) a statistically valid sample of attendance records and supporting documentation for student membership hour reporting was reviewed; (2) student registration and student receipt information were reviewed for selected programs; (3) college personnel were interviewed regarding student reporting; (4) certain college reporting procedures and practices were reviewed to assure compliance with the North Carolina Administrative Code; (5) selected program classification reviews and class visits were conducted; and (6) the college's accountability and credibility plan was reviewed.

Class visits are conducted on a random basis during the period of review but may be conducted at other times if necessary. If concerns are noted which result from these visits, the college will be notified. Program reviews/class visits conducted for the current fiscal year to date are listed in the Attachment.

Based on the site review, no audit exceptions or areas of concern were identified. The college personnel responsible for adherence to NC General Statutes the North Carolina Administrative Code requirements and the maintenance of both curriculum and continuing education records should be commended for the accuracy and order of their record keeping systems.

The cooperation of the president and staff during the course of the audit was appreciated.

SUBMITTED BY: Terry McCauley
Audit Dates: October 8 - November 4, 2008

ATTACHMENT

**Nash Community College
SUMMARY OF CLASS VISITS FOR FY 2008 – 2009**

CURRICULUM

<u>Course Prefix and Number</u>	<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date of Visit</u>	<u>Students Enrolled</u>	<u>Attendance at Time of Visit</u>
BIO 094 03	T. Jones	Science & Tech. Ctr.	10/08/08	29	24
EDU 153 01	S. Prezioso	Main Campus	10/08/08	8	8
ENG 111 09	S. Shaner	Main Campus	10/08/08	22	<u>15</u>
Total CURRICULUM Class Visits/Program Reviews to Date:					3

CONTINUING EDUCATION

<u>Course Prefix and Number</u>	<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date of Visit</u>	<u>Students Enrolled</u>	<u>Attendance at Time of Visit</u>
AHR 3123	R. Joyner	Main Campus	10/08/08	6	6
BSP 2000	D. Allison	Nash Correctional	10/28/08	7	6
CAS 3000A	B. Fowler	Main Campus	10/08/08	11	8
CED-CED 1	C. Dickson	Main Campus	10/08/08	11	8
CJC 5060I	M. Mills	Southern Police Canine, Inc.	10/08/08	9	9
CSP 3000G	H. Hedgepath	Main Campus	10/08/08	12	6
CSP 4000Q	P. Shuklda	Main Campus	10/08/08	4	4
HRD 3002A	C. Joyner	Main Campus	10/08/08	12	5
HOS 3072	Hlth. Dept.	Main Campus	10/08/08	-	- *1
SEF 3001	E. Arrington	CS Henry Transfer Range	10/28/08	5	<u>2</u>
Total CONTINUING EDUCATION Class Visits/Program Reviews to Date:					10

*1 The class was cancelled. Staff aware.