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Dr. Rosalyn A. Templeton  
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Dear Provost Templeton:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rosalyn," with a long horizontal line extending to the left towards the word "Dear" in the preceding line.

This is in reply to your correspondence dated October 24, 2012, requesting approval from the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities for Montana State University – Northern to close two existing instructional sites. Those two sites are located in Browning, Montana, and in Helena, Montana.

The Commission has approved the two site closures as *minor changes* under Policy A-2, *Substantive Change*. It is noted that enrolled students were accommodated in order to complete their programs of study. Accordingly, the closures of the instructional sites in Browning, Montana, and in Helena, Montana, are now included under the accreditation of the Montana State University – Northern.

Thank you for keeping the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities apprised of the developments and initiatives at Montana State University – Northern. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pamela J. Goad" in a cursive script.

Pamela J. Goad  
Vice President

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cc: Dr. James Limbaugh, Chancellor  
Dr. Sandra E. Elman, NWCCU

