



**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**  
**Phil Bryant, Governor**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**  
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**Executive Director**

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Daniel Feig, Executive Associate Athletic Director  
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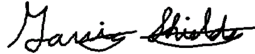
RE: Leasing of Space

Dear Mr. Feig:

The Mississippi Department of Human Services (MDHS) is aware Mississippi Community Education Center (MCEC) is leasing space with the University of Southern Mississippi Athletic Foundation. MDHS approves of this because we believe it is important to help MCEC accomplish the purpose of their subgrant which is to provide services designed to stimulate employment, support family financial stability, promote literacy, and increase graduation rates while continuing to support positive youth development, impacting teen pregnancy rates, promoting positive father involvement and supporting MDHS county offices through parenting education and parenting/life skills development.

Sincerely,

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John Davis

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