



Dr. John Gossett, President

August 15, 2019

Dr. Belle S. Wheelan
President
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
Commission on Colleges
1866 Southern Lane
Decatur, GA 30033-4097

Dear Dr. Wheelan,

I am writing to notify you that the McDowell Technical Community College has elected to close its Information Systems: Information Technology – Network Management, Associate, Certificate, and Diploma programs.

The following credentials will be affected in the closure:

Associate in Applied Science in Information Technology – Network Management (A25590B)
Certificate in Information Technology – Advanced Network Management (C25590DP)
Certificate in Information Technology – Network Management (C25590CP)
Certificate in Network Management – (C25590C)
Certificate in Network Management Advanced – (C25590D)
Diploma in Networking Management – (D25590B)

These programs are located on McDowell Tech's main campus, located at 54 College Drive, Marion, NC 28752.

As part of the College's annual assessment process, McDowell Tech reviews its program offerings and related data on student enrollment, cost, and job opportunities. That ongoing review prompted the closure. The Information Systems: Information Technology – Network Management program has four enrolled, credential seeking students.

Attached is the Teach-Out Plan for the Information Systems: Information Technology – Network Management Associate, Certificate, and Diploma programs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Ladelle Harmon'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ladelle Harmon
SACSCOC Liaison

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