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Ms. Emily Honer
Director of Nutrition Program Services
Minnesota Department of Education
400 NE Stinson Blvd
Minneapolis, MN 55413

Dear Director Honer:

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is investigating reports of widespread fraud in Minnesota's social services programs.¹ As the Director of Nutrition Program Services and in your previous roles as the Assistant Director of Nutrition Program Services and Supervisor of Business Operations and Support Services for the Minnesota Department of Education, you have information that will assist the Committee's investigation. Accordingly, we request your testimony at an in-person transcribed interview on January 26, 2026. If you do not voluntarily appear for the interview, we will be forced to evaluate the use of the compulsory process.

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is the principal oversight committee of the U.S. House of Representatives and has broad authority to investigate "any matter" at "any time" under House Rule X. To discuss the transcribed interview or to ask any related follow up questions, please contact the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform Majority staff at (202) 225-5074. Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,



James Comer

Chairman

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

cc: The Honorable Robert Garcia, Ranking Member
Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

¹ See Letter from James Comer, Chairman, H. Comm. on Oversight & Gov't Reform, to Governor Tim Walz, State of Minnesota (Dec. 3, 2025); Letter from James Comer, Chairman, H. Comm. on Oversight & Gov't Reform, to Attorney General Keith Ellison, State of Minnesota (Dec. 3, 2025).