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September 27, 2022

Renee Pertile  
Gogebic Ontonagon CAA  
304 East Iron Street  
Bessemer, MI 49911

RE: License #: DC270277335  
**Gogebic County Head Start**  
**304 East Iron Street**  
**Bessemer, MI 49911**

Dear Ms. Pertile:

Attached is your renewal inspection report. You can find a copy of this renewal inspection report and any associated corrective action plans on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when renewal inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

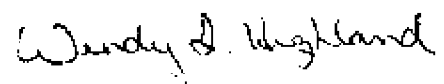
As a result of the renewal inspection on 4/12/2022, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

<b>During calendar year 2021:</b>	<b>Total</b>
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	<b>0</b>

Please contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at 517.284.9730.

Per MCL 722.113g, this report and any related corrective action plans must be filed in your Licensing Notebook.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Wendy J. Highland". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'W'.

Wendy Highland, Licensing Consultant  
Child Care Licensing Consultant, CCLB/LARA  
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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU  
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

<b>LicenseLicense #:</b>	DC270277335
<b>Licensee Name:</b>	Gogebic Ontonagon CAA
<b>Licensee Address:</b>	304 East Iron Street Bessemer, MI 49911
<b>Licensee Telephone #:</b>	(906) 663-4302
<b>Licensee/Designee:</b>	Renee Pertile, Designee
<b>Name of Facility:</b>	Gogebic County Head Start
<b>Facility Address:</b>	304 East Iron Street Bessemer, MI 49911
<b>Facility Telephone #:</b>	(906) 663-4302
<b>Original Issuance Date:</b>	09/02/2005
<b>Capacity:</b>	80
<b>Age Range:</b>	Ages 2 years 6 months Thru 6 years
<b>Program Components:</b>	TRANSPORTATION PRESCHOOL HEAD START

**II. METHODS OF INSPECTION**

Date of On-Site Inspection(s): 04/12/2022  
 Date of Environmental Health Inspection: 02/25/2022  
 Date of Fire Safety Inspection: 03/09/2022  
 Date of Lead Hazard Risk Assessment, if applicable: N/A  
 Date of Documentation of Playground Compliance, if applicable: N/A

		No. of Records Reviewed
No. of children enrolled in care	60	10
No. of staff employed	14	4
No. of volunteers	0	0
No. of children present at time of inspection	40	
No. of staff present at time of inspection	8	
No. of volunteers present at time of inspection	0	
No. of children interviewed/observed	49	
Persons Interviewed:		
Licensee/Licensee Designee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Program Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Caregiving staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Approved Child Use Space: Rooms 2, 3, 4, 6, the girl's bathroom, as well as the gym.  
 Approved Program Director: Emily Moore and Stephanie Moore  
 Approved Central Administrator: None  
 Approved Variances: None  
 Key Indicator Inspection: No.

**III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS**

This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care center administrative rules and statutes. Verification of compliance included direct observations of the physical environment and the program, discussions with staff, and a review of the center's records, including staff records and children's records. Staff records include background checks and training information. Children's records include child information cards, physical examination dates, and immunizations.

The facility is in compliance with all applicable rules and statutes.

**IV. RECOMMENDATION**

I recommend issuance of a regular license to this child care center.

*Wendy A. Highland*

10/17/2022

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Wendy Highland  
Licensing Consultant

Date