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January 23, 2022

Dawn Demick  
East China Twp School District  
1585 Meisner Road  
East China, MI 48054

RE: License #: DC740088003  
**Palms Elementary School**  
**6101 Palms Road**  
**Fair Haven, MI 48023**

Dear Ms. Demick:

Attached is the Addendum to the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and 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 must be filed in your licensing notebook.

Sincerely,

*Christine Noel*

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Enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS  
ADDENDUM TO ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT**

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

<b>License #:</b>	DC740088003
<b>Licensee Name:</b>	East China Twp School District
<b>Licensee Address:</b>	1585 Meisner Road East China, MI 48054
<b>Licensee Telephone #:</b>	(810) 676-1364
<b>Administrator/Licensee Designee:</b>	Dawn Demick, Designee
<b>Name of Facility:</b>	Palms Elementary School
<b>Facility Address:</b>	6101 Palms Road Fair Haven, MI 48023
<b>Facility Telephone #:</b>	(810) 676-1364
<b>Capacity:</b>	70
<b>Program Type:</b>	CHILD CARE CENTER

## **II. Purpose of Addendum**

The center would like to relocate two GSRP classrooms from the main building (license number DC740021789) to Palms Elementary during a construction project. This will cause for an increase in capacity and change in age ranges of the license. This is anticipated to be temporary relocation.

## **III. Methodology**

12/08/2021 Modification request received

12/09/2021 Inspection Completed-Environmental Health: A

12/14/2021 Inspection Completed-Lead Hazard Risk Assessment-Approved

01/20/2022 Inspection Completed On-site

## **IV. Description of Findings and Conclusions**

The following rooms were measured and approved for child use space:

- Room 8 is 28 x 29 ft., providing a total of 812 square feet. This space accommodates up to 23 children, ages 30 months and older. The center is requesting a capacity of 17 children.
- Room 9 is 29 ft. 29 ft., providing a total of 841 square feet. This space accommodates up to 24 children, ages 30 months and older. The center is requesting a capacity of 17 children.

There is one handwashing sink located in each classroom. There are a set of bathrooms located right across the hall, which are available for immediate use. For the girls, there are 3 toilets and 1 handwashing skink. For the boys, there are 2 urinals, 1 toilet, and 1 handwashing sink. There are additional toilets and handwashing sinks in the building, which would be available if needed.

The GSRP/Preschool program is provided, Monday to Friday from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM.

The equipment that furnishes the classrooms will be moved from the current location under license number DC740021789. There is a variety of developmentally appropriate equipment that supports the center's capacity.

The cafeteria which measures 40 ft., x 58 ft., providing a total of 2,320 square feet has previously been approved for school age children.

The gym has also been previously approved as child care use space but is not counted towards the center's total capacity.

Environmental health and lead inspections have all been completed and approved.

**V. Recommendation**

I recommend that classrooms 8 and 9, as well as the gym be approved for child care use for children enrolled in the GSRP/Preschool program. The school age children will continue to utilize the cafeteria as their approved space. I also recommend an increase in the overall capacity from 36 to 70 children.

*Christine Noel*

01/23/2022

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Licensing Consultant

Date