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Report Type: Renewal
Inspection Type: Renewal

Date of Inspection: 5/24/2024
Date of Report: 5/24/2024

Licensee Name(s)	License Number	Capacity
Lori Essex	DF410312579	6
Facility Name	Program Type	
Lori Essex	Family Home	
Facility Address	Mailing Address	
4546 Forest Meadows Dr SE Grand Rapids, MI 49546	4546 Forest Meadows Dr SE Grand Rapids, MI 49546	
Facility Phone Number	Facility Email Address	
6164383978	lorilee1969@yahoo.com	

Findings of the Inspection

A copy of this renewal inspection report and any associated corrective action plans is available on the Child Care Licensing Bureau [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](#).

The 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.

As a result of the renewal inspection(s) on 5/24/2024, licensing consultant Stacie Fifelski did not find any rule or law violations. A regular license will be issued.

If you have any questions regarding the report, please contact licensing consultant, Stacie Fifelski, at 517-643-6828 or fifelskis@michigan.gov. In the event that Stacie Fifelski is not available, and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the Child Care Licensing Bureau at 517-284-9730.

Inspection Details		
<i>Number of Rules/Statutes Reviewed</i>	<i>Number of Rules/Statute Violations</i>	<i>Number of Rules/Statutes where Technical Assistance was Provided</i>
389	0	0
<i>Number of Children's Records Reviewed : Number of Children Enrolled</i>	<i>Number of Staff Employed : Number of Staff Files Reviewed</i>	<i>Number of Home Volunteers : Number of Volunteer Files Reviewed</i>
3 : 3	1 : 1	0 : 0
<i>Number of Children Observed : Number of Children Present During Inspection</i>	<i>Number of Child Care Staff Members Observed : Number of Child Care Staff Members Present During Inspection</i>	<i>Number of Volunteers Observed a: Number of Volunteers Present During Inspection</i>
2 : 2	1 : 1	0 : 0
<i>Licensee Interviewed</i>	<i>Child Care Staff Members Interviewed</i>	<i>Pets</i>
Yes		There are two cats in the home.
<i>Water or Other Hazards</i>	<i>Outdoor Space</i>	
There were no water or other hazards observed during this inspection.	The outdoor play area is in the backyard of the home and is unfenced. Ms. Essex provides direct supervision to children while they are outside.	

Documentation of Required Inspections		
<i>Type of Inspection</i>	<i>Date of Inspection</i>	<i>Findings</i>
Radon Test Results	2/5/2024	1.2 pCi/L
Fuel-Fired Furnace Inspection	5/11/2022	In compliance
Water Heater Inspection	5/11/2022	In compliance

<i>Rule Number</i>	<i>Rule</i>	<i>Analysis</i>	<i>Conclusion</i>
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Technical Assistance	
<i>Rule Number</i>	<i>Rule</i>

Hours of Operation						
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
07:30 AM To 5:30 PM	07:30 AM To 5:30 PM	07:30 AM To 5:30 PM	07:30 AM To 5:30 PM	07:30 AM To 5:30 PM		

Bureau Recommendation

I recommend the issuance of a regular license to this child care family home.

Approved By:



Stacie Fifelski Licensing Consultant	5/24/2024 Date		
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