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August 31, 2022

Karen Phipps  
1468 Shettler Road  
Norton Shores, MI 49444

RE: License #: DF610290657  
**Karen's Kid Zone**  
**1468 Shettler Road**  
**Norton Shores, MI 49444**

Dear Mrs. Phipps:

This letter is a follow-up to the Department’s findings regarding the interim inspection conducted at your home on 08/24/2022. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Family and Group Child Care Homes.

During the onsite inspection Ms. Phipps was present with six child care children. The children were participating in free play. Ms. Phipps was preparing lunch. All children were being appropriately supervised and interacted with.

Ms. Phipps discussed programming identifying her efforts to support early childhood education. Ms. Phipps utilizes books, shapes, puzzles, colors, numbers, letters, fish and memory games. The children can access swings, slide, sandbox, and various outdoor toys to promote physical development.

As a result of the inspection, I did not find any rule or law violations.

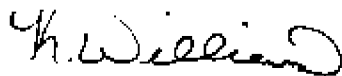
<b>During calendar year 2021:</b>	<b>Total</b>
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	<b>0</b>

You can find a copy of this inspection letter and any associated corrective action plans on our website under Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes. A description of when inspection letters are completed can be found under Overview of Licensing Reports.

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 "Kortney Williams". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "K".

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