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February 23, 2022

Denise Muha
110 Hill Street
Dowagiac, MI 49047

RE: License #: DG140066191
Denise L. Muha
110 Hill Street
Dowagiac, MI 49047

Dear Mrs. Muha:

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](#).

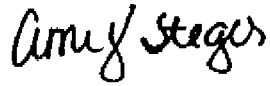
As a result of the renewal inspection on 02/22/2022, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

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

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 "Amy Steger". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Amy Steger, Licensing Consultant
Child Care Licensing Bureau
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enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	DG140066191
Licensee Name:	Denise Muha
Licensee Address:	110 Hill Street Dowagiac, MI 49047
Licensee Telephone #:	(269) 782-8515
Licensee:	N/A
Name of Facility:	Denise L. Muha
Facility Address:	110 Hill Street Dowagiac, MI 49047
Facility Telephone #:	(269) 782-8515
Original Issuance Date:	05/20/1995
Capacity:	12
Age Range:	Ages Birth Thru 14 years

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-site Inspection(s):

02/22/2022

	No. of Records Reviewed	
No. of children enrolled in care	22	10
No. of assistant caregivers employed	1	1
No. of child care children present at time of inspection	5	
No. of other children present at time of inspection	1	
No. of assistant caregivers present at time of inspection	1	
Licensee present at time of inspection?	Yes	
Persons Interviewed:		
Licensee	☒	
Assistant Caregivers	☒	

Approved child use space: The entry room on the main level is approved for child use. The kitchen and play room in the basement is approved for child care. There is one bathroom in the basement for children to use.

Exiting information (including second floor and basement): The main floor has three door exits that lead outside. The basement has a the staircase that leads to the main level and a clearly labeled window exit.

Approved variances - ☒ No ☐ Yes Description:

Key Indicator Inspection: No

Additional information:

- Pets? No ☒ Yes ☐ If yes, describe.
- Hot tubs or spa pool? No ☐ Yes ☒ If yes, are there appropriate barriers?
The licensee has a hot tub located within a locked building in the backyard. The hot tub has a locking cover.
- Swimming pool? No ☒ Yes ☐ If yes, describe pool and barriers.
- Other water hazards? No ☒ Yes ☐ If yes, describe.
- Fireplace or wood burning stove? No ☐ Yes ☒ If yes, describe.
There is a gas fire place on the main level. It is not used during child care hours.
- Fireplace/wood burner in use during child care hours? No ☒ Yes ☐ If yes, describe barriers to protect children from burns.

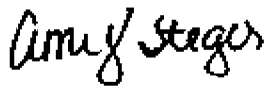
III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care home 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 home's records, including staff records and children's records. Staff records include background checks, medical clearance information, and training information. Children's records include child information cards and child in care statements/receipts.

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

IV. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of a regular license to this child care group home (capacity 7-12).



02/23/2022

Amy Steger
Licensing Consultant

Date