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May 8, 2023

Julie Ekema  
5594 N. Seventh Street  
Kalamazoo, MI 49009

RE: License #: DG390342751  
**Julie Ekema**  
**5594 N. Seventh Street**  
**Kalamazoo, MI 49009**

Dear Ms. Ekema:

This letter is a follow-up to the Department’s findings regarding the interim inspection conducted at your home on 05/04/2023. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Family and Group Child Care Homes.

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

<b>During calendar year 2022:</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 "Beth Goding". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail on the final letter.

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