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DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
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April 10, 2023

Karen Cook  
Po Box 331  
6018 Harrison  
Alto, MI 49302

RE: License #: DG410251601  
**Cook, Karen**  
**Po Box 331**  
**6018 Harrison**  
**Alto, MI 49302**

Dear Mr./Ms. Cook:

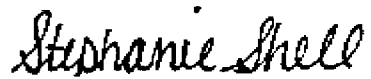
Attached is your renewal inspection report. You can find a copy of this renewal inspection report and any associated corrective action plans on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when renewal inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

As a result of the renewal inspection on 4/10/23, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

<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>

**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 "Stephanie Shell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a distinct dot over the 'i' in "Stephanie".

**Stephanie Shell, Licensing Consultant  
Child Care Licensing Bureau  
611 W. Ottawa St.  
P.O. Box 30664  
Lansing, MI 48909**

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

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

<b>License #:</b>	DG410251601
<b>Licensee Name:</b>	Karen Cook
<b>Licensee Address:</b>	Po Box 331 6018 Harrison Alto, MI 49302
<b>Licensee Telephone #:</b>	
<b>Licensee:</b>	N/A
<b>Name of Facility:</b>	Cook, Karen
<b>Facility Address:</b>	Po Box 331 6018 Harrison Alto, MI 49302
<b>Facility Telephone #:</b>	(616) 868-7626
<b>Original Issuance Date:</b>	09/09/2002
<b>Capacity:</b>	12
<b>Age Range:</b>	Ages Birth Thru 13 years

## II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-site Inspection(s): 04/10/2023

		No. of Records Reviewed
No. of children enrolled in care	10	10
No. of assistant caregivers employed	0	0
No. of child care children present at time of inspection	5	
No. of other children present at time of inspection	0	
No. of assistant caregivers present at time of inspection	0	
Licensee present at time of inspection?	Yes	
Persons Interviewed:		
Licensee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Assistant Caregivers	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Approved child use space: The main level of the home is approved for child care use.  
Exiting information (including second floor and basement): There are two remote exits.  
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?
- 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.
- 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.

*Stephanie Shell*

4/10/23

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Stephanie Shell  
Licensing Consultant

Date