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July 18, 2023

Melinda Brown
 1778 Van Buren
 Reese, MI 48757

RE: License #: DG790095341
Brown Melinda Marie
1778 Van Buren
Reese, MI 48757

Dear Ms. Brown:

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 07/17/2023, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

During calendar year 2022:	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, appearing to read "Juli Gohl". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke extending to the left.

Juli Gohl, 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 #:	DG790095341
Licensee Name:	Melinda Brown
Licensee Address:	1778 Van Buren Reese, MI 48757
Licensee Telephone #:	(989) 868-4473
Licensee:	N/A
Name of Facility:	Brown Melinda Marie
Facility Address:	1778 Van Buren Reese, MI 48757
Facility Telephone #:	(989) 868-4473
Original Issuance Date:	12/07/2000
Capacity:	14
Age Range:	Ages Birth Thru 14 years

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-site Inspection(s): 07/17/2023

		No. of Records Reviewed
No. of children enrolled in care	14	10
No. of assistant caregivers employed	1	1
No. of child care children present at time of inspection	6	
No. of other children present at time of inspection	0	
No. of assistant caregivers present at time of inspection	1	
Licensee present at time of inspection?	Yes	
Persons Interviewed:	Licensee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Assistant Caregivers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Approved child use space: The entire main level of the home. Bedrooms are only used for napping.

Exiting information (including second floor and basement): The main level of the home has five remote exits and each lead directly to outside.

Approved variances - No Yes Description: 1910(1)

Key Indicator Inspection: No

Additional information:

- Pets? No Yes If yes, describe.
The home has 2 dogs and 4 cats and all of their food and supplies are separate from the children in care.
- Hot tubs or spa pool? No Yes If yes, are there appropriate barriers?
- Swimming pool? No Yes If yes, describe pool and barriers.
There is a pool in the back yard with a 4-foot barrier and locked gate.
- Other water hazards? No Yes If yes, describe.
- Fireplace or wood burning stove? No Yes If yes, describe.
There is a fireplace in the living room with a wood burning insert.
- Fireplace/wood burner in use during child care hours? No Yes If yes, describe barriers to protect children from burns.
The fireplace is protected by a gate, to prevent burns.

III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

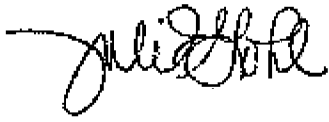
This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care home administrative rules and statutes. Verification of compliance included direct observations of the physical environment and the program, discussions with staff,

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.



07/18/2023

Juli Gohl
Licensing Consultant

Date