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January 18, 2018

Anita Collins
2190 Wieneke Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48603

RE: License #: DC730021684
Growing Years Christian School
2190 Wieneke Road
Saginaw, MI 48603

Dear Ms. Collins:

Attached is the Addendum to the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and 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 (989) 732-8062.

Per MCL 722.113g, this report must be filed in your licensing notebook.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Toni L. Stagray".

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enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS
ADDENDUM TO ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	DC730021684
Licensee Name:	Collins Anita
Licensee Address:	2190 Wieneke Rd. Saginaw, MI 48603
Licensee Telephone #:	(989) 792-8670
Administrator/Licensee Designee:	Anita Collins, Designee
Name of Facility:	Growing Years Christian School
Facility Address:	2190 Wieneke Road Saginaw, MI 48603
Facility Telephone #:	(989) 792-8670
Capacity:	166
Program Type:	CHILD CARE CENTER INFANT/TODDLER PRESCHOOL SCHOOL AGE FOOD SERVICE TRANSPORTATION

II. Purpose of Addendum

On 11/06/17, I received a modification request from licensee designee Anita Collins, requesting the addition of a second infant room. The room formerly was approved for toddlers.

III. Methodology

11/06/17 Modification request received
11/06/17 Onsite inspection; measurements reviewed
11/07/17 Inspection completed onsite

IV. Description of Findings and Conclusions

The terms of the license have been modified on January 18, 2018.

At the time of the renewal onsite inspection, I learned the center had added an additional infant room for children ages approximately six weeks to six months of age. The requirement of 50 square feet per child and room capacity will remain the same. Anita Collins provided me with the modification request at that time.

Description of the Facility

Growing Years is a single-story aluminum sided building with 10 rooms approved for child care. The kitchen, offices and a storage area are not approved for child use. All child use space was previously measured.

Approved space (room numbers, sizes, capacity and ages of children for which each room/well-defined space is approved, etc.):

Room 1 - Three year olds: The room provides 683 sq., which will accommodate 20 children over the age of 2.5 years.

Room 2 - Waddlers: The room provides 626 sq. ft., which will accommodate 12 children under the age of 2.5 years.

Room 3 - After-school: The room provides 626 sq., which will accommodate 18 children over the age of 2.5 years.

Room 4 – Toddlers: The room provides 683 sq., which will accommodate 14 children under the age of 2.5 years.

Room 5 – Infants: The room provides 880 sq. ft., which will accommodate 18 children under the age of 2.5 years; however, the group size rule limits the number of children in care at one time to 12. The licensee understands the room may accommodate up to 18 children if divided into two well-defined areas; each area

having a lead caregiver. The licensee's intent is for this room to care for children approximately six months to 12 months, but this is flexible depending on the development of each child.

Room 6 – Young infants: The room provides 450 sq. ft., which will accommodate 9 children under the age of 2.5 years. The licensee's intent is for this room to care for children to six weeks to six months.

Room 7 – Waddlers: The room provides 728 sq. ft., which will accommodate 15 children under the age of 2.5 years. It is currently used for children ages 1 to 2 years.

Room 8 – Young Three's: The room provides 708 sq. ft., which will accommodate 20 children over the age of 2.5 years.

Room 9 – Young Five's: The room provides 705 sq. ft., which will accommodate 20 children over the age of 2.5 years.

Room 10 – Fours: The room provides 704 sq. ft., which will accommodate 20 children over the age of 2.5 years,

Number of sinks and toilets: There are a total of 12 toilets and 20 sinks in the center. Hand wash sinks for diapering purposes are located in the appropriate rooms. This supports the center's total capacity of 166.

Outdoor play area - location, fenced or not, water hazards: The center has two separate fenced play areas; one for infants/toddlers and one for preschool/school-age. These areas are accessible from classroom doors or doorways at the end of each hallway. A sensory garden area is located on the north side of the building and is used as an extension to the classrooms. The area provides a natural environment where children can play or be involved in learning activities. This area is not fenced.

Documentation if a lead hazard risk assessment was required and the results: This inspection was not required since the center was built after 1978.

Documentation of playground safety: The infant/toddler and preschool/school-age playgrounds were inspected on 7/24/17.

The total space is sufficient for a total center capacity of 166 children, birth through 12 years.

The classrooms are furnished with a variety of developmentally appropriate equipment and provide enriched learning environments for children.

An environmental health was completed at the center on 10/16/17 and a fire safety inspection was completed on 9/28/17 as a part of the license renewal.

Program Description

Ages of children served: The center provides child care for children ages six weeks to 12 years.

Proposed days and hours of operation: The center operates 6:30am to 6:00pm Monday through Friday.

Full or part time (AM or PM sessions or both): Child care is provided on a full or part time basis.

Other program components - transportation, swimming, food service: The center provides all meals and snacks, except for infant formula and food, which is provided by parents. The center offers transportation with three multi-function activity buses. There is no swimming component.

Name of program director and under what rules the program director is qualified: Owner Anita Collins was qualified as the program director in October 1991. Taylor McKeage was qualified as an early childhood director in 2013 under R400.5013 (3c) & (4).

Is there a central administrator that meets the administrative requirement?
There is no central administrator.

Explanation of variance(s), if any: There are no variances at this time.

Terms: The center is approved for a total capacity of 166 children ages birth through 12 years.

V. Recommendation

I recommend the addition of Room 6 for young infants as approved child use space and a capacity increase from 150 to 166.

Toni L. Stagray

January 18, 2018

Toni L. Stagray
Licensing Consultant

Date