STATE OF WYOMING Department of Family Services

Notice of Findings

Notice To: Victor Noles - Director

Facility Name: Star Valley Child Development Center/Thayne

Owner:

Site Address: 250 Vannoy Parkway, Suite 108

City/State/Zip: Thayne, WY 83127

The Department of Family Services has completed the investigation regarding alleged violation(s) of the Wyoming Child Care Rules received on 04/21/2022, and investigated by Kelli Dunne

A statement of childcare allegation, CPL-48941, was provided on 04/21/2022.

The finding is listed below for each individual alleged violation of the Wyoming Child Care Licensing Rules:

1. Finding: Non-Compliant

Regulation: Chapter 4. General Requirements Section 3. Owner, Director, and Staff Requirements.

(f) All staff, household members, substitutes, and volunteers shall complete a full fingerprint based national criminal history record background check and a state criminal registry check for Wyoming and for each state the person has lived in the past five (5) years, every five (5) years. These checks shall be kept current at all times, using the date the check was performed as the initial date, and repeated every five (5) years thereafter. The Department may require a new full fingerprint based national criminal history record background check or a state criminal registry check for Wyoming and/or each state the person has lived in the past five (5) years at any time for staff, household members, substitutes, and volunteers.

Explanation of Findings: It was observed by Licenser at visit that one existing staff member has been working with an expired fingerprint background check for a period of 15 weeks.

Action Required: Staff member will not work until the fingerprint background check has been completed or a variance request has been approved. A corrective action plan needs to be completed detailing how this will not happen in the future.

Corrective Action Plan Due Date: 05/06/2022

Corrective Action Plan Achieved Date: Compliance Due Date: 04/21/2022

Compliance Achieved Date:

Date Printed: 04/21/2022

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The Department requests your cooperation in ensuring compliance is met. In the absence of cooperation, the Department may take whatever steps are necessary to ensure the safety of children.

The Department's information may be shared with authorized individuals or agencies, which include, but are not limited to, the Attorney General, County Attorney, and law enforcement.

If you disagree with the Department's finding of a non-compliance violation, you may request an Administrative hearing within (10) days of your receipt of this letter (W.S. 14–4–108). Administrative hearing procedures are included in the Wyoming Department of Family Services Contested Case Hearing Rules, Chapter 2, Substitute Care and Child Care Licensing and based on the above statute. If you need a copy of the Rules, or assistance in requesting an Administrative hearing, you may contact the Department of Family Services Field Office in the county where you live.

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