Notice of Findings

Notice To: Katrina D Zook - Director

Facility Name: Lil Starz

Owner:

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City/State/Zip: Casper, WY 82601

The Department of Family Services has completed the investigation regarding alleged violation(s) of the Wyoming Child Care Rules received on 05/04/2022, and investigated by Teddie Schrayer.

A statement of childcare allegation, CPL-5278, was provided on 05/11/2022.

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

1. Finding: Non-Compliant

Regulation: Chapter 8. Food Safety, Health and Sanitation

Section 3. Sanitation Requirements for Child Care Centers (CCC), Family Child Care Centers (FCCC), and Family Child Care Homes (FCCH).

(a) All Family Child Care Homes (FCCH), Family Child Care Centers (FCCC), and Child Care Centers (CCC) shall comply with the following standards:

(ix) Animals

(B) Dogs, cats, and ferrets that are brought on child care premises shall be up-to-date on their rabies vaccinations. Unvaccinated animals shall be vaccinated at least one (1) month before they come onto the premises. If the animal is too young to be vaccinated for rabies it may be allowed on the premises, but shall not be handled by children. Domestic animals that can be vaccinated and permitted on the premises shall have all current vaccinations as required by the local ordinances and shall be considered free of communicable diseases. Verification of such vaccinations shall be present on the premises.

Allegation: Provider self-reported that on 04/11/2022 a child was injured as a result of interacting with puppy, Beau who was unvaccinated for rabies, at the time of the incident.

Explanation of Findings: While the injury has been reviewed by a veterinarian and deemed not to be indicative of vicious behavior (enabling the puppy to continue to be around childcare children) it was determined that the puppy was allowed to be handled/played with by children prior to rabies vaccination.

Action Required: All unvaccinated animals must be kept separate and apart from child

care children. Please submit a corrective action plan to the Licensing Office showing how you will assure that all unvaccinated animals will be kept separate and apart from childcare children.

Corrective Action Plan Due Date: 05/23/2022 Corrective Action Plan Achieved Date: 05/12/2022 Compliance Due Date: 05/11/2022 Compliance Achieved Date: 05/12/2022 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 the 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 non-compliance for a 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 Department of Family Services' **Wyoming Child Care Licensing Rules, Chapter 3, Section 5: Contested Case Hearing Rules**, and based upon the above statute. If you have questions, or need a copy of the Rules, you may contact the Department of Family Services Field office in the county where you live.

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Date: 05/16/2022

Teddie Schrayer

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