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DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
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MARLON I. BROWN, DPA
DIRECTOR

June 5, 2026

Carolyn Bruning
Northeast Michigan CMH Authority
400 Johnson Street
Alpena, MI 49707

RE: License #: AS040313092
Walnut Home
638 Walnut Street
Alpena, MI 49707

Dear Ms. Bruning:

Attached is the Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility. The study has determined substantial compliance with applicable licensing statutes and rules. Your license and special certification is renewed. It is valid only at your present address and is nontransferable.

Please contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, you may contact the local office at (517) 335-5985.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Matthew Soderquist'.

Matthew Soderquist, Licensing Consultant
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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	AS040313092
Licensee Name:	Northeast Michigan CMH Authority
Licensee Address:	400 Johnson Street Alpena, MI 49707
Licensee Telephone #:	(989) 358-7603
Licensee Designee:	Carolyn Bruning, Designee
Administrator:	Nicole Kaiser
Name of Facility:	Walnut Home
Facility Address:	638 Walnut Street Alpena, MI 49707
Facility Telephone #:	(989) 356-1700
Original Issuance Date:	12/09/2011
Capacity:	6
Program Type:	DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED
Certified Programs:	DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-site Inspection(s): 06/04/2026

Date of Bureau of Fire Services Inspection if applicable: N/A

Date of Environmental/Health Inspection if applicable: N/A

No. of staff interviewed and/or observed 3

No. of residents interviewed and/or observed 4

No. of others interviewed Role:

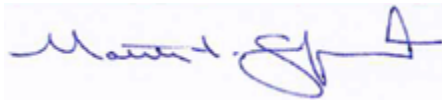
- Medication pass / simulated pass observed? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- Medication(s) and medication record(s) reviewed? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- Resident funds and associated documents reviewed for at least one resident? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- Meal preparation / service observed? Yes ☐ No ☒ If no, explain.
no meal service during inspection, reviewed menus and food supply
- Fire drills reviewed? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- Fire safety equipment and practices observed? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- E-scores reviewed? (Special Certification Only) Yes ☒ No ☐ N/A ☐
If no, explain.
- Water temperatures checked? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- Incident report follow-up? Yes ☒ No ☐ If no, explain.
- Corrective action plan compliance verified? Yes ☐ CAP date/s and rule/s:
N/A ☒
- Number of excluded employees followed-up? 4 N/A ☐
- Variances? Yes ☐ (please explain) No ☐ N/A ☒

III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

This facility was determined to be in substantial compliance with rules and requirements.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of a 2-year regular adult foster care license.

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6/5/26

Matthew Soderquist
Licensing Consultant

Date