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Anthony Ludwig
Michigan Conf. of Seventh Day Adventist
5801 W. Michigan Avenue
Lansing, MI 48917

RE: Application #: CR360419326 and SR360419325
Camp Sagola
2885 State Hwy M69
Crystal Falls, MI 49920

Dear Anthony Ludwig

Attached is the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility. The study has determined substantial compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules. Therefore, original children's residential camp and campsite been issued.

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 licensing unit at 833-665-8116.

Sincerely,

Camp Licensing Unit
105 W. Allegan St. 2nd Floor
Lansing, MI 48933
Mileap-camps@michigan.gov

CAMP ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT

Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

PROGRAM License Number	PROGRAM (Camp) Name		Application Date		
CR360419326	Camp Sagola Summer Camp		3/3/2025		
PROGRAM Phone Number	**PROGRAM Applicant Address**		**City**	**State**	**Zip**
517-316-1500	5801 W. Michigan Avenue		Lansing	MI	48917
SITE License Number	**SITE Name**	**Camp SITE Address**	**City**	**State**	**Zip**
SR360419325	Camp Sagola	2885 State Hwy M69	Crystal Falls	MI	49920
Camp SITE Telephone	**Applicant/Licensee Designee Name**		**E-Mail**		
906-282-9639	Anthony Ludwig		campsagola@gmail.com		

PROGRAM Type	SITE Type	Licensee
Residential Camp	New Residential Campsite	Camp and Campsite Licensee

METHODOLOGY

3/3/2025	Enrollment
3/26/2025	PSOR on Address Completed
7/17/2025	Policies/Procedures Approved
7/17/2025	Pre-operational Onsite Completed (as applicable)

DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS

A. SITE DESCRIPTION

OUTDOOR	INDOOR	HIGH ADVENTURE
Acreage: 42 Water Supply: Private System Sewage: Private Sewer System Bodies of Water:Lake(s) Closest Hospital: more than 15 miles Other: lakefront	Sleeping: Variety of Facilities Dining:Dining Hall Health Area:Office Bathrooms: Indoor QFI: Approved EHI:Approved	High Adventure Activities Offered: swimming, canoe/kayaking, waterskiing, tubing, archery, bouldering wall.

Findings: This campsite is located in Iron County, MI. The facilities include seven camper approved sleeping cabins, buildings, Nelson dining hall/auditorium building, and bathhouse. The campsite includes waterfront access, archery area, campfire area, and maintenance barn. The campsite is used for non-licensed groups and there is non-camper approved sleeping in the basement of the Nelson lodge building.

B. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Staff Training Plan	AGE GROUP	CAPACITY	GENDER	OPERATIONAL SEASON
Approved	From:8 To: 17	53	BOTH	SUMMER ONLY

Findings: Camp Sagola has the advertised mission to provide an intentional Christian environment committed to strengthening each camper's relationship with God and His creation through Scripture, nature, recreation, and social interaction. The program utilizes the camp setting, study of the Bible and nature, as the context of wholesome relationships and recreation promoting a positive social, physical, mental, and spiritual development.

C. RULE/STATUTORY VIOLATIONS

The children's residential camp and campsite were found to be in substantial compliance with statute and administrative rules.

RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of original residential camp and campsite licenses.

Approval:	Signature	Printed Name	Date
Consultant:	James VandenHeuvel	James Vanden Heuvel	1/8/2025
Manager:	D S Ramsey	Deondra S. Ramsey	1/20/2026