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08/26/2026

Emanuel Johnson
Ferndale Parks & Recreation
300 E. Nine Mile Road
Ferndale, MI 48220

RE: License #:	CD630420336 and SD630420337 Ferndale Summer Camp - Edison 1650 Mapledale Street Ferndale, MI 48220

Dear Emanuel Johnson

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

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and contact the Camp Licensing Unit with any questions 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		Enrollment Date		
CD630420336	Ferndale Summer Camp - Edison		02/23/2026		
PROGRAM Phone Number	**PROGRAM Applicant Address**		**City**	**State**	**Zip**
(248) 544-6767	300 E. Nine Mile Road		Ferndale	MI	48220
SITE License Number	**SITE Name**	**Camp SITE Address**	**City**	**State**	**Zip**
SD630420337	Edison School	1650 Mapledale Street	Ferndale	MI	48220
Camp SITE Telephone	**Applicant/Licensee Designee Name**		**E-Mail**		
(248) 544-6767	Emanuel Johnson		ejohnson@ferndalemi.gov		

METHODOLOGY

02/23/2026	Enrollment
02/23/2026	PSOR on Address Completed
07/15/2026	Inspection Completed-Onsite
07/15/2026	Inspection in Full Compliance
07/15/2026	Recommend License Issuance

DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS

A. SITE DESCRIPTION

OUTDOOR	INDOOR	HIGH ADVENTURE
Acreage: 1 acre/less Water Supply: Public System Sewage: Public System Bodies of Water: None Closest Hospital: 1-5 miles Other: Playground	Sleeping: None Dining: Outdoor Health Area: Medical Isolation Area Bathrooms: Indoor QFI: Not Applicable EHI: Not Applicable	High Adventure Activities Offered: swimming, travel groups

Findings: This day campsite is located at Edison School within Hazel Park Schools. The campsite includes indoor facilities including gym, café, and rooms #122 and #123. The outdoor space includes playground and open fields. The closest hospital is DMC Sinai Grace Hospital. The campsite meets applicable day campsite licensing rules.

B. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Staff Training Plan	AGE GROUP	CAPACITY	GENDER	OPERATIONAL SEASON
Approved	From: 8 To: 12	50	BOTH	SUMMER ONLY

Findings:Ferndale Summer Camp, operated by the City of Ferndale Parks & Recreation Department, provides a structured summer day camp program for children ages 5 through 12 who have completed kindergarten. The program's purpose is to provide children with supervised recreational opportunities that support social interaction, creativity, physical activity, and an enjoyable summer experience. The camp offers nine weekly themed sessions, with activities that include games, crafts, swimming, and occasional off-site field trips. The camp operator trains staff in applicable camp policies, operating procedures, camper supervision and behavior management practices, and licensing-rule requirements related to their assigned duties.

C. RULE/STATUTORY VIOLATIONS

This children's day camp and campsite were found to be in substantial compliance with applicable statute and administrative rules.

RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of original issuance of children's day camp and campsite license.

Approval:	Signature	Printed Name	Date
Consultant:	James VandenHeuvel	James Vanden Heuvel	8/26/2026
Manager:	D S Ramsey	Deondra S. Ramsey	8/26/2026