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09/15/2026

Sorrel Thomson
Jewish Community Center
2935 Birch Hollow Drive
Ann Arbor, MI 48108

RE: License #:	SD810420731 Cedar Lake Outdoor Center 2500 Pierce Road Chelsea, MI 48118

Dear Sorrel Thomson

Attached is the Original Licensing Study Report for the above-mentioned facility. The study has determined substantial compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules. Therefore, original day children's campsite license has 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		
N/A	N/A		05/28/2026		
PROGRAM Phone Number	**PROGRAM Applicant Address**		**City**	**State**	**Zip**
(734)971-0990	2935 Birch Hollow Drive		Ann Arbor	MI	48108
SITE License Number	**SITE Name**	**Camp SITE Address**	**City**	**State**	**Zip**
SD810420731	Cedar Lake Outdoor Center	2500 Pierce Road	Chelsea	MI	48118
Camp SITE Telephone	**Applicant/Licensee Designee Name**		**E-Mail**		
(734) 971-0990	Sorrel Thomson		sorrelthomson@jccannarbor.org		

METHODOLOGY

05/28/2026	Enrollment
05/28/2026	PSOR on Address Completed
05/08/2026	Inspection Completed-Onsite
05/08/2026	Inspection in Full Compliance
09/15/2026	Recommend License Issuance

DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS

A. SITE DESCRIPTION

OUTDOOR	INDOOR	HIGH ADVENTURE
Acreage: 3500 Water Supply: Private System Sewage: Private System Bodies of Water: Lake(s) Closest Hospital: 1-5 miles Other: State Land/Park	Sleeping: None Dining: Outdoor Health Area: Office Bathrooms: Portable QFI: Not Applicable EHI: Approved	High Adventure Activities Offered: traveling groups, swimming, canoeing/kayaking, archery

Findings: This day campsite is located at the Cedar Lake Outdoor Center within the Waterloo Recreation Area. The property is owned by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) with the Jewish Community Center of Ann Arbor operating the day campsite location and the Camp Raanana (CD810200624). The indoor sheltering involves access to dining hall (1020 sq/ft), sheltering tent (1800 sq/ft), and day use cabins (648 sq/ft-each). The day campsite includes approximately 6 portjohns for camper use. The property includes access to trails, open fields, waterfront/lakefront for swimming and watercraft, and target sport range. The campsite is approximately 5 miles from the Chelsea Hospital.

B. RULE/STATUTORY VIOLATIONS

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

RECOMMENDATION

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

Approval:	Signature	Printed Name	Date
Consultant:	James VandenHeuvel	James Vanden Heuvel	9/15/2026
Manager:	D S Ramsey	Deondra S. Ramsey	9/15/2026