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The Honorable Bruce Caswell, Chair  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Michigan State Senate  
Lansing, Michigan 48933

The Honorable David Agema, Chair  
House Appropriations Subcommittee on DHS  
Michigan House of Representatives  
Lansing, Michigan 48933

Dear Senator Caswell and Representative Agema:

DHS boilerplate section 751(2) requires the department to update the legislature on Family Resource Center (FRC) expansion efforts. Family Resource Centers have evolved beyond the pilot stage of the initiative originally devised in 2004. FRC may be developed in any community that expresses interest and has the ability to secure funding for this alternative form of service delivery. Lists of eligible schools are not generated because all schools are eligible. Initial staffing and fiscal considerations are made at the county level and subsequently approved by DHS management. These agreements are reviewed annually through local allocation and revenue agreement processes. There are currently 55 FRC sites with DHS staff in nine counties statewide (see attached list).

In the current economy many communities struggle to secure and maintain funding for FRC programs, however, DHS staff remain committed to providing assistance in this effort. Changes affecting DHS staff in FRC for fiscal year 2011-2012 include:

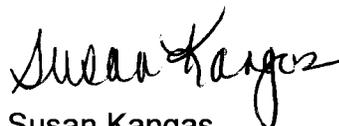
- Presque Isle County, Onaway FRC will no longer remain a site for the 2011/2012 school year. The school had been paying for part of the position however they are no longer able to fund the FRC.
- Kent County has added five additional FRC's that opened the beginning of the new 2011/2012 school year.
  1. Cedar Springs Middle/High Schools in Cedar Springs
  2. Lee Middle/High Schools in Wyoming
  3. Vision Quest Alternative High School in Wyoming
  4. Parkview Elementary School in Wyoming
  5. North Godwin Elementary in Wyoming.
- Muskegon County expects to have a new FRC.
  1. Nelson Elementary School to be ready sometime this fall.
  2. There is also discussion for a potential site at Shelby Public Schools.

- In 2011 Wayne County closed the following, as the schools were closed by the Detroit Public School District.
  1. Fleming Academy, Harding Elementary School
  2. Lessinger Middle School
  3. Cerveny Middle School
  4. Hutchins & McMichael Elementary School
  5. Webster Elementary School.

Dixon School is a new FRC site and was a replacement for the Lessinger closure. Parker School was also a new site which opened midterm during the last school year. It is expected that it will be fully operational this coming school year.

If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact Terrence Beurer, Field Services Deputy Director, at (517) 241-2352.

Sincerely,



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## DHS FAMILY RESOURCE CENTERS FALL 2011

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### Berrien County

Sorter Elementary School – Benton Township

### Calhoun County

Ann J. Kellogg Elementary School – Battle Creek

### Genesee County

Durant Tuuri-Mott- Elementary School- Flint

Washington Elementary School- Flint

Bryant Elementary School-Flint

Holmes Middle School-Flint

Mckinley Middle School –Flint

International Academy of Flint – Flint

### Kalamazoo County

Spring Valley Center for Exploration – Kalamazoo

### Kent County

Coit Elementary School – Grand Rapids

Martin Luther King Leadership Academy Pre-school K-8 – Grand Rapids

Harrison Park Elementary/Middle School – Grand Rapids

Alger Middle School – Grand Rapids

Sibley Elementary School – Grand Rapids

Burton Elementary School – Grand Rapids

Redhawk Elementary School – Cedar Springs

Cedar Springs Middle/High Schools-Cedar Springs

Lee Middle/High Schools-Wyoming

Vision Quest Alternative High School- Wyoming

Parkview Elementary School- Wyoming

North Godwin Elementary-Wyoming

### Muskegon County

Beechnau Elementary School - Ravenna  
Bunker Middle School – Muskegon  
Campbell Elementary School – Roosevelt Park  
Edgewood Elementary School – Fruitport  
NELSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (MPS) – MUSKEGON (planned new site)  
SHELBY PUBLIC SCHOOLS – SHELBY (potential new site)  
Holton Elementary School - Holton  
Marquette Elementary School - Muskegon  
McLaughlin Elementary School – Muskegon  
McMillian Elementary School – Muskegon  
Montague High School – Montague  
Muskegon Heights Middle School – Muskegon Heights  
Muskegon Senior High School – Muskegon  
Nims Elementary School – Muskegon  
Oakridge Early Childhood Center – Muskegon  
Orchard View Early Elementary – Muskegon  
Steele Middle School – Muskegon  
Whitehall District Schools – Whitehall

### Oakland County

Pepper Elementary- Royal Oak Township  
Grant Elementary- Oak Park  
Owen Elementary-Pontiac

### Ottawa County

Pine Creek Elementary - Holland

### Wayne County

Brenda Scott Middle School – Detroit  
Priest Elementary School – Detroit  
A.L. Holmes Elementary School – Detroit  
Marcus Garvey Academy – Detroit  
Stewart Learning Academy – Detroit  
Kosciuzsko Middle School – Hamtramck  
Myers Elementary School – Taylor  
J. R. King Academic and Performing Arts Academy – Detroit  
Dixon School (k-8) – Detroit  
Parker School (k-8) Detroit

### Community Family Resource Centers (CFRC)

ACCESS and Focus Hope – Wayne County  
Howard Estates – Genesee County