

Valley Village Childcare P.O. Box 344 Saratoga, WY 82331

April 4, 2023

Dear Mayor and Council members,

Exciting things are happening at Valley Village Childcare and Excel Preschool, as we approach the day when we can start the repairs and remodel of the Clinic building. We have an RFP out for the construction, the architect is almost done with the plans, we have raised significant funds and we will announce a \$100,000 Challenge Grant shortly.

We anticipate being able to begin work the first week of May, immediately after the Clinic operation has moved to the hospital. Preparing for this date, we are now submitting the attached Building Permit Application.

At the same time, we are asking for your consideration of a waiver of the Permit fee, specifically because this is for the deferred maintenance of roof replacement and crawl space repair. Our estimated cost of this project is \$93,000. If you would waive the fee, it would reduce the funds needed by almost \$1,000, putting the availability of the new facility ever closer to reality.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely

Valley Village Childcare Board Ellie Dana – Vice Chair

