



Facility Inspection Report Issued By The Minnesota Department of Corrections Pursuant to MN Statute 241.021, Subdivision 1

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INSPECTION DETAILS FOR:

Dancing Moon

Address: 1894 US Highway 59, Mahanomen, MN 56557

MN Governing Rule: 2960 Children's Residential Facility

Inspection Type: Biennial **Inspected By:** Stephanie Kantola – Detention Facility Inspector **Inspected on:** 11/18/2025

Inspection Method: Biennial on-site inspection.

Officials Present During Inspection:

Officials Present for Exit Interview:

Issued Inspection Report to:

RULE COMPLIANCE SUMMARY

Rule Chapter	Requirement Type	Total Applicable	Total Compliance	Total Non Compliance
2960	Mandatory	138	137	1

TERMS OF OPERATION

Authority to Operate: approval **Begins On:** 01/01/2026 **Ends On:** 12/31/2027 **Facility Type:** Foster Family Setting

Placed on Biennial Status: Yes **Biennial Status Annual Compliance Form Due On:** 12/31/2026

Delinquent Juvenile Hold Approval: **Certificate Holder:** Northwestern Minnesota Juvenile Center
P.O. Box 247
Bemidji, MN 56619

Special Conditions:

Approved Capacity Details **Operational Capacity is calculated as a percent of Approved Capacity beds.*

Bed Type	Gender	Approved Capacity	Effective Date	%Operating Capacity	Operational Capacity	Pre 96 LTSR	Post 96 LTSR	Bed Details	Conditions
Foster Family	Coed	5	1/1/2023	100	5.00	0	0	None.	

RULE COMPLIANCE DETAILS

Chapter 2960 - Mandatory Rules Not In Compliance**Total: 1**

1. 2960.3080 PLACEMENT, CONTINUED STAY, AND DISCHARGE. Subpart 10.A.. Complaints and grievances.

The license holder must work with the licensing agency to develop written complaint and grievance procedures for foster children. The procedures must meet at least the following requirements: A. the agency or license holder must tell the child and the child's parent or legal representative about the complaint and grievance procedures and upon request give the child or the child's parent or legal representative a copy of the procedures and any forms needed to complain or grieve;

Inspection Findings:

The license holder's grievance procedure is missing 2960.3080 10 subparts A-C.

Corrective Actions:

Within 30 days of this receipt of this report the license holder must submit an updated grievance procedure that meets the requirements to MN DOC.

Response Needed By: 01/03/2026

INSPECTION COMMENTS**JDDPA Compliance**

JDDPA- Federal compliance. Non-secure foster home - N/A.

Report completed By: Stephanie Kantola – Detention Facility Inspector

Signature: _____