Department of Human Services
Office of Children, Youth and Families
Licensing Inspection Summary - Public
55 PA.CODE CHAPTER 3800

October 30, 2026

[redacted], CEO
GEORGE JUNIOR REPUBLIC IN PENNSYLVANIA
233 GEORGE JUNIOR ROAD
P.O. BOX 1058
GROVE CITY, PA, 16127

RE: SPECIAL NEEDS 5
233 GEORGE JUNIOR ROAD
P.O.BOX 1058
GROVE CITY, PA, 16127
LICENSE/COC#: 40815

Dear [redacted],

As a result of the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services, Office of Children, Youth and Families licensing inspections on of the above facility, no regulatory citations have been identified as a result of this inspection.

Please note that you are required to post this Licensing Inspection Summary at your facility in a conspicuous location.

Sincerely,
[redacted]
Western Region Director

Enclosure
Licensing Inspection Summary (LIS)

cc: Pennsylvania Office of Children, Youth and Families

Agency/Facility Information

Name: *SPECIAL NEEDS 5*
License Number: *40815*
Address: *233 GEORGE JUNIOR ROAD, GROVE CITY, PA 16127*
License Expiration: *02/01/2027*
County: *MERCER*

Administrator

Name: [redacted] **Phone**: [redacted] **Email**: [redacted]

Legal Entity

Name: *GEORGE JUNIOR REPUBLIC IN PENNSYLVANIA*
Address: *233 GEORGE JUNIOR ROAD, P.O. BOX 1058, GROVE CITY, PA, 16127*
Phone: [redacted] **Email**: [redacted]

Inspection Information

Start Date: *10/19/2026* **End Date**: *10/22/2026* **Type**: *Renewal* **Notice**: *Announced Visit*
Inspector(s): [redacted]

Inspection Narrative

The Department of Human Services, Office of Children Youth and Families, Western Regional Office completed the annual licensing inspection of George Junior Republic from October 19th, 2026 October 22nd, 2026. The inspection included reviewing 10% of resident files and all personnel files, including terminated staff who worked at the facility during the licensing period. Walkthroughs of the facility were also completed. Interviews took place with the youth and staff. The interviews included feedback from the youth stating they enjoy the food, are able to understand their treatment plan and goals, and feel understood and supported by the staff at the agency. Staff interviews included feedback of feeling supported by their peers and administration, receiving adequate training for interacting with the youth and good communication on all levels. Special Needs 5 has not had any youth placed in it for the 2025 2026 licensing inspection year. A walkthrough was completed of the building and it was found to be in compliance.

Inspections / Reviews

10/19/2026 Renewal

Lead Inspector: [redacted] **Follow-Up Type**: *Not Required*

NO DEFICIENCIES FOUND