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Fairbanks Community Food Bank Services, Inc.
725 26th Ave
Fairbanks, AK 99701

RE: SHARP Renewal Approval

Dear Mrs. Anne Weaver,

I am pleased to approve the renewal of Fairbanks Community Food Bank Services, Inc. to the Alaska Occupational Safety and Health (AKOSH) Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program (SHARP).

Fairbanks Community Food Bank Services, Inc. has been working with our AKOSH Consultation and Training section to improve occupational safety and health conditions for your employees. On December 31, 2019 the site met the requirements for renewal into the Alaska Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program for three years. Our consultants conducted comprehensive safety and health evaluations on January 12, 2018, June 29, 2018, and November 6, 2018 to verify that your site continues to meet the SHARP eligibility criteria. On February 21, 2019, you were supplied the required documentation to start the SHARP renewal process. All documentation was received by November 12, 2019.

From the beginning, you have exhibited commitment and hard work toward this goal and the recommendations our consultants made were received freely and implemented to the effect of enhancing your program. We congratulate you for the positive attitude related to safety and health exhibited by you and your employees.

Your SHARP approval shows the strength of your commitment for having a safe and healthy workplace. Your ongoing work to continually improve your safety and health program demonstrates this commitment. You are a role model for others and we encourage you to take the opportunity to share what you have learned with other employers to assist them in growing their safety culture.

Participation in SHARP does not, of course, diminish any of the rights and responsibilities provided to you and your employees by the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. Although the name of your site will be removed from the scheduled inspection list for three years from the date of this letter, employee complaints, fatalities or catastrophes, and significant chemical leaks or spills at your site will still result in normal AKOSH enforcement activities.

If you have questions or need assistance, Mr. Mitch Wallace of the Anchorage AKOSH office is your SHARP contact person. He can be reached at (907) 269-4949. By February of each year, when posting your injury log, please send him a copy of the log summary which includes the injury and illness numbers and rates, the total hours worked, and the average annual employment. Also include a copy of the most recent evaluation of your safety and health program and any success stories to:

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Congratulations for your hard work and dedication to the principles embodied in SHARP. I wish you and your employees continued success in your safety and health efforts.

Sincerely,



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Commissioner
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