WAIVER for Age Eligibility

**Hartland Consolidated Schools**
**9525 Highland Road, Howell, MI 48843**
**Kindergarten Notification Request for 2023 / 2024 School Year**

According to Michigan Law, if a child residing in Hartland Consolidated Schools is not five years of age on September 1 but will be five years of age not later than December 1, the parent or legal guardian of that child may enroll the child in kindergarten for the current school year if the parent or legal guardian notifies the school district in writing not later than June 1 that he or she intends to enroll the child in kindergarten. If a child becomes a resident of the Hartland Consolidated Schools after June 1, the child's parent or legal guardian may enroll the child in kindergarten for that school year if the parent or legal guardian submits this written notification not later than August 1 under this subsection.

A school district that receives this written notification may make a recommendation to the parent or legal guardian as to whether the child is not ready to enroll in kindergarten due to the child's age or other factors. Regardless of the district recommendation, the parent or legal guardian retains the sole discretion to determine whether or not to enroll the child in kindergarten if the student is five years of age not later than December 1.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Verification of Age: *(Check one)*

- ☐ Birth Certificate
- ☐ Government Record
- ☐ Hospital Record
- ☐ Court Record
- ☐ Citizenship Paper
- ☐ Other: _____ *(Specify)*

Evidence of School Readiness (provided by parents):

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

_____ Parent/Guardian's Printed Name

_____ Parent/Guardian's Signature

_____ Date

**HARTLAND CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS RECOMMENDATION**

☐ Asst Superintendent agrees with the recommendation of the parents to enroll in Kindergarten.

☐ Asst Superintendent recommends kindergarten begin in September of next year for the following reasons:

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

_____ School Administrator's Signature

_____ Date