**McKinney-Vento Letter of Rights**

In accordance with the McKinneyV–Vento Homeless Education Act, you have the right to all educational services provided in Decatur Township including the following: special education services, gifted and talented, and after school activities. You further have the right to receive transportation to and from school for the duration of your temporary residency, free meals at school, and free textbooks. All of these rights are afforded to you during the duration of your temporary residency.

***You are required to inform the school district of any changes in address including when you find permanent housing. You must also provide some kind of contact information for the school district to reach you.***

If it is found that falsified information has been given to the school district, your rights as stated above will be terminated as well as your eligibility for the McKinney-Vento program. If you are in dispute of the decision regarding your eligibility for the McKinney-Vento program or transportation of your child to and from school you have the right to appeal the decision, by contacting the McKinney-Vento liaison and you will be encouraged to complete the dispute resolution process.

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Student DOB:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**School:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Is this address Temporary** [ ]  **OR Permanent** [ ]

**Please choose which of the following situations the student currently resides in (you can choose more than one):**

[ ]  House

[ ]  Motel, car or campsite

[ ]  Sharing the housing of friends or family members (other than parent/guardian)

[ ]  Shelter or other temporary housing

**If you are living in shared housing, please check all of the following reasons that apply:**

[ ]  Economic situation

[ ]  Temporarily waiting for house or apartment

[ ]  Provide care for a family member

[ ]  Living with boyfriend/girlfriend

[ ]  To enable child to attend school in MSD Decatur Township

[ ]  Loss of employment

[ ]  Parent/Guardian is deployed

[ ]  Other (please explain): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

[ ]  Student under the age of 18 and living without your parent(s)/guardian(s)

***By signing below, I acknowledge that I have received and understand the above rights.***

Parent/Guardian/Unattached Youth Date