

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0211083 - EMPIRE ARMADILLO BBQ & DELI	Site Address 878 BLOSSOM HILL RD, SAN JOSE, CA 95123	Inspection Date 11/13/2025
Program PR0306317 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 6-25 EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP14	Owner Name EMPIRE ARMADILLO BBQ & I	Inspection Time 10:15 - 10:44
Inspected By JENNIFER RIOS	Inspection Type LIMITED INSPECTION	Consent By OUSMANE

Placard Color & Score GREEN N/A

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

No major violations were observed during this inspection.

Minor Violations

No minor violations were observed during this inspection.

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

N/A

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Ambient air	Reach in freezer	6.00 Fahrenheit	
Ambient air	Walk in fridge	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Preparation sink	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment sink	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Warm water	Handwash	100.00 Fahrenheit	
Chlorine	Mechanical warewash	50.00 PPM	
Quaternary ammonia	Three compartment sink	300.00 PPM	
Warm water	Restroom handwash	100.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

Per PC, Atosta model: CTCO-100 is approved to use to reheat cornbread muffins without hood.

OWNERSHIP CHANGE INFORMATION

NEW FACILITY NAME: Empire Armadillo BBQ & Deli

NEW OWNER: Empire Armadillo BBQ & Deli LLC

The applicant has completed the facility evaluation application process for an Environmental Health Permit.

The permit category for this facility is FP14. An invoice for the permit fee in the amount of \$1723.00 will be mailed to the billing address on the application. Payment must be submitted within 10 days of receipt of the invoice. The owner is responsible for contacting our department if an invoice is not received and remit payment within 30 days.

The Environmental Health Permit will be effective: 12/01/2025 - 11/30/2026 This report serves as a temporary permit. However, the permit will be deemed invalid if the permit fee is not paid in full within 30 days from the date of this report. Okay to Operate as of today.

An official permit will be mailed to the address on file and shall be posted in public view upon receipt.

**Structural Review inspection conducted on 11/13/2025.*

**Obtain food safety manager certificate within 60 days. All other food employees must have valid food handler cards within 30 days from hire date.*

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When required to determine compliance, a single reinspection will be conducted without additional charge. If subsequent reinspections are required, an hourly fee (minimum one hour) at the current rate approved by the Board of Supervisors will be assessed for each and every reinspection until the necessary changes or corrections are made. Unless otherwise noted by the inspector, all violations are to be corrected no later than **11/27/2025**. Any major change in menu or any change in ownership must have prior approval by this Department. This may require structural and/or equipment changes or remodeling to accommodate new operations.

Legend:

[CA]	Corrective Action
[COS]	Corrected on Site
[N]	Needs Improvement
[NA]	Not Applicable
[NO]	Not Observed
[PBI]	Performance-based Inspection
[PHF]	Potentially Hazardous Food
[PIC]	Person in Charge
[PPM]	Part per Million
[S]	Satisfactory
[SA]	Suitable Alternative
[TPHC]	Time as a Public Health Control



Received By: Ousmane Barry
President

Signed On: November 13, 2025