

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0252607 - THANH HUONG #3 SANDWICHES TO GO		Site Address 2050 N CAPITOL AV, SAN JOSE, CA 95132		Inspection Date 08/14/2026		Placard Color & Score YELLOW 66		
Program PR0367724 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 6-25 EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP14			Owner Name VU, DAVID		Inspection Time 10:45 - 12:00			
Inspected By MAMAYE KEBEDE		Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION		Consent By OANH DHOM				FSC Kevin Vu 6/2/2027

RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS		IN	OUT		COS/SA	N/O	N/A	PBI
			Major	Minor				
K01	Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification	X						
K02	Communicable disease; reporting/restriction/exclusion	X						N
K03	No discharge from eyes, nose, mouth	X						
K04	Proper eating, tasting, drinking, tobacco use	X						
K05	Hands clean, properly washed; gloves used properly	X						N
K06	Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible			X	X			
K07	Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	X						
K08	Time as a public health control; procedures & records		X		X			
K09	Proper cooling methods	X						
K10	Proper cooking time & temperatures					X		
K11	Proper reheating procedures for hot holding					X		
K12	Returned and reservice of food					X		
K13	Food in good condition, safe, unadulterated	X						
K14	Food contact surfaces clean, sanitized		X		X			N
K15	Food obtained from approved source	X						
K16	Compliance with shell stock tags, condition, display						X	
K17	Compliance with Gulf Oyster Regulations						X	
K18	Compliance with variance/ROP/HACCP Plan						X	
K19	Consumer advisory for raw or undercooked foods						X	
K20	Licensed health care facilities/schools: prohibited foods not being offered						X	
K21	Hot and cold water available			X				
K22	Sewage and wastewater properly disposed	X						
K23	No rodents, insects, birds, or animals	X						

GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES		OUT	COS
K24	Person in charge present and performing duties		
K25	Proper personal cleanliness and hair restraints		
K26	Approved thawing methods used; frozen food		
K27	Food separated and protected		
K28	Fruits and vegetables washed		
K29	Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used		
K30	Food storage: food storage containers identified	X	
K31	Consumer self service does prevent contamination		
K32	Food properly labeled and honestly presented	X	
K33	Nonfood contact surfaces clean	X	
K34	Warewash facilities: installed/maintained; test strips	X	
K35	Equipment, utensils: Approved, in good repair, adequate capacity		
K36	Equipment, utensils, linens: Proper storage and use	X	
K37	Vending machines		
K38	Adequate ventilation/lighting; designated areas, use		
K39	Thermometers provided, accurate		
K40	Wiping cloths: properly used, stored		
K41	Plumbing approved, installed, in good repair; proper backflow devices		
K42	Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained		
K43	Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned		
K44	Premises clean, in good repair; Personal/chemical storage; Adequate vermin-proofing		
K45	Floor, walls, ceilings: built, maintained, clean		X
K46	No unapproved private home/living/sleeping quarters		
K47	Signs posted; last inspection report available		

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K48	Plan review		
K49	Permits available		
K58	Placard properly displayed/posted		

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

K08 - 8 Points - Improperly using time as a public health control procedures & records; 114000

Inspector Observations: *The restaurant store many individually packaged food products in the front self-serve counter at room temperature using Time as a Public Health Control method (TPHC). However, there was no time log which shows the time the food was taken out of the safe temperature zone.*

[CA] *If the restaurant is using TPHC, proper time/temperature logs must be maintained for the food products stored at room temperature using the method. The chef was allowed to code the food product to be used in the next two hours (COS).*

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K14 - 8 Points - Food contact surfaces unclean and unsanitized; 113984(e), 114097, 114099.1, 114099.4, 114099.6, 114101, 114105, 114109, 114111, 114113, 114115(a,b,d), 114117, 14125(b), 114141

Inspector Observations: *The sanitizer concentration on the kitchen's three compartment warewash sink was measured at 0 ppm chlorine.*

[CA] *Whenever sanitizing utensils/equipment is conducted using a three compartment warewash sink, there must be a 100-ppm residual chlorine or 200 ppm quaternary ammonia sanitizer level on the sanitizing compartment. The person in charge refilled one sink of the warewash sink with lukewarm water and added bleach manually to create a 100-ppm chlorine solution to sanitize the utensils (COS).*

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Minor Violations

K06 - 3 Points - Inadequate handwash facilities: supplied or accessible; 113953, 113953.1, 113953.2, 114067(f)

Inspector Observations: *There was no soap supply on the handwash station located in the front counter that has the steam table.*

[CA] *Provide soap supply immediately (COS).*

The handwash stations in the kitchen were blocked by utensils and equipment.

[CA] *Handwash stations must be kept clear for employee handwashing when needed. The manager removed the utensils and the equipment (COS).*

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K21 - 3 Points - Hot and cold water not available; 113953(c), 114099.2(b), 114163(a), 114189, 114192, 114192.1, 11419

Inspector Observations: *There is no hot water supply on the handwash station located next in the cook line.*

[CA] *Provide 100 oF warm water supply on the handwash station.*

K30 - 2 Points - Food storage containers are not identified; 114047, 114049, 114051, 114053, 114055, 114067(h), 114069 (b)

Inspector Observations: *Repeated violation: Many food products on boxes were stored directly on the floor or on milk crates back in the storage, walk-in cooler, and freezer areas.*

[CA] *To prevent insect hiding and breeding and for easy cleaning of the floor area, please store all food products at least six inches off the floor on approved shelf or dunnage rack.*

K32 - 2 Points - Food improperly labeled & not honestly presented: 114087, 114089, 114089.1(a, b), 114090, 114093.1

Inspector Observations: *Repeated violation: Almost all of the individually packaged dessert, snacks, and others made in the facility but stored on the self-serve area do not have any label.*

[CA] *Food prepackaged in a food facility shall bear a label that complies with the labeling requirements prescribed by the Sherman Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Law, Part 5 and label information shall include:*

- 1. The common name of the food*
- 2. If made from two or more ingredients, a list of ingredients in descending order of predominance by weight, including a declaration of artificial color or flavor and chemical preservatives, if contained in the food.*
- 3. An accurate declaration of the quantity of contents.*
- 4. The name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor.*

K33 - 2 Points - Nonfood contact surfaces not clean; 114115(c)

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Inspector Observations: Repeated violation: Heavy food residue and grim buildup on handles and surfaces of the equipment including the refrigeration units.

[CA] Conduct thorough cleaning on the surfaces and handles of the equipment.

K34 - 2 Points - Warewashing facilities: not installed or maintained; no test strips; 114067(f,g), 114099, 114099.3, 114099.5, 114101(a), 114101.1, 114101.2, 114103, 114107, 114125

Inspector Observations: Repeated violation: Food preparation was being conducted on unclean directly connected three compartment warewash sink.

[CA] Food preparation may only be conducted on the approved clean preparation sink which has a drain that drains into a floor sink. Stop using the three compartment warewash sink to conduct any food preparation.

K36 - 2 Points - Equipment, utensils, linens: Improper storage and use; 114074, 114081, 114119, 114121, 114161, 114178, 114179, 114083, 114185, 114185.2, 114185.3, 114185.4, 114185.5

Inspector Observations: The scoop for the ice machine was stored on unclean surface.

[CA] All reusable utensils must be stored on cleanable containers.

K45 - 2 Points - Floor, walls, ceilings: not built, not maintained, not clean; 114143(d), 114266, 114268, 114268.1, 114271, 114272

Inspector Observations: There is a damaged floor area in the kitchen that is covered with hardwood.

[CA] Please remove the wood cover, and repair the floor immediately.

There are many missing panels on the wall above the walk-in cooler/freezer.

[CA] Replace the missing panels immediately.

Heavy grease, oil, and food residue accumulation is observed on the floor below the cooking equipment.

[CA] Conduct a thorough regular cleaning on the floor area.

Food residue and trash accumulations were observed on the floor sinks located below the preparation and wash sinks.

[CA] Conduct a thorough and regular cleaning on the floor areas.

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

Needs Improvement - Communicable disease; reporting/restriction/exclusion.

Needs Improvement - Hands clean/properly washed/gloves used properly.

Needs Improvement - Food contact surfaces clean, sanitized.

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Pork	Steam table	143.00 Fahrenheit	
Noodle	Steam table	137.00 Fahrenheit	
Rice	Steam table	155.00 Fahrenheit	
Sticky rice	Front counter	85.00 Fahrenheit	
Beef	Walk-in freezer	0.00 Fahrenheit	IR.
Chicken	Walk-in cooler	34.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment sink	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Chicken	Final cook	165.00 Fahrenheit	
Beef	Steam table	148.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

Note: Food safety manager certificate: Kevin Vu - 6/2/2027

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 **8/28/2026**. 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.

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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: Oanh Dhom
Employee

Signed On: August 14, 2026