

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0205273 - EL CAFETAL RESTAURANTE COLOMBIANO		Site Address 1006 E SANTA CLARA ST, SAN JOSE, CA 95116	Inspection Date 07/30/2026
Program PR0301044 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 0-5 EMPLOYEES RC 2 - FP10		Owner Name JRSS TRADE LLC	Inspection Time 15:00 - 15:45
Inspected By ALEXANDER ALFARO	Inspection Type FOLLOW-UP INSPECTION	Consent By GILDARDO	

Placard Color & Score

RED
N/A

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

Cited On: 07/30/2026

K23 - 8 Points - Observed rodents, insects, birds, or animals; 114259.1, 114259.4, 114259.5

Inspector Observations: 1. Observed Vermin: Documented in the following areas:

- A live adult cockroach was observed on the electrical conduit over the upright cooler in the kitchen.
- Two live adult cockroaches near conduit by the exhaust hood.
- A live adult cockroach was observed on the counter by the service window to the kitchen.
- Multiple live nymphs were observed on the floor under the three compartment sink.
- Multiple live adult cockroaches was observed in crevice above a surge protector behind the two small tvs in the warewash area.

2. Photographs: Taken for documentation purposes.

3. Supervisor Notified: S. Lew

4. Notification: The person in charge during inspection, Gildardo, has been informed that the facility must close immediately.

[CA]: The premises of each food facility must be maintained free of vermin. A facility cannot operate if there is a vermin infestation that leads to contamination of food contact surfaces, packaging, utensils, food equipment, or adulteration of food. The facility is required to cease operations immediately and must remain closed until all corrective actions on the provided checklist are completed.

Requirements Before Reopening:

1. Email the signed and completed Reopening Checklist to the assigned inspector.
2. Submit a copy of the pest control report from a licensed provider.

Minor Violations

Cited On: 07/08/2026

K48 - 2 Points - Plan review unapproved; 114380

This violation found not in compliance on 07/30/2026. See details below.

Measured Observations

N/A

Overall Comments:

This is the second follow up inspection following a permit suspension due to an active vermin infestation from cockroaches and rodents and shall be charged at the approved hourly rate. A completed and signed checklist for reopening and pest control report stating no activity observed was provided prior to this inspection.

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Any and all subsequent follow up inspections shall be charged at the approved hourly rate of \$282.00/hr, minimum of one hour, during normal business hours: Monday through Friday 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM, and \$645 for a minimum of two hours, during non-business hours, and upon inspector availability.

CLOSURE / PERMIT SUSPENSION NOTICE

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 **8/13/2026**. 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.

This notice is to inform you that as of this date the Environmental Health Permit for the above mentioned food facility is hereby suspended and all operations therewith are ordered to cease. This action is taken in accordance with Section 114409 of the California Health and Safety Code which states 'If any imminent health hazard is found, unless the hazard is immediately corrected, an enforcement officer may temporarily suspend the permit and order the food facility or cottage food operation immediately closed.'

You have the right to make a written request for a hearing within 15 days after receipt of this notice to show just cause why the permit suspension is not warranted. Failure to request such a hearing within the 15-day period shall be deemed a waiver of the right to a hearing. After these violations have been corrected, you must call the Department of Environmental Health for a reinspection to reinstate the permit to operate. Phone #: (408)918-3400.

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: Gildardo
Owner
Signed On: July 30, 2026