

County of Santa Clara

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Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0209177 - BONCHON CHICKEN MCKEE		Site Address 377 N CAPITOL AV, SAN JOSE, CA 95133		Inspection Date 11/03/2025	
Program PR0302077 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 0-5 EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP11			Owner Name LINZ VENTURE GROUP, LLC		Inspection Time 14:16 - 15:25
Inspected By JENNIE PENALOZA	Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION	Consent By JUSTIN LIN	FSC Not Available		

Placard Color & Score
GREEN
71

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						
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						
K06 Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible			X				
K07 Proper hot and cold holding temperatures		X		X			N
K08 Time as a public health control; procedures & records						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						
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		
K33 Nonfood contact surfaces clean	X	
K34 Warewash facilities: installed/maintained; test strips		
K35 Equipment, utensils: Approved, in good repair, adequate capacity	X	
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	X	
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

K07 - 8 Points - Improper hot and cold holding temperatures; 11387.1, 113996, 113998, 114037, 114343(a)

Inspector Observations: Fried chicken is stored in the non working hot holding unit and measures between 79F - 99F. Per cook, chicken was cooked half hour before inspection. No other hot holding unit is available in facility.

[CA] PHFs shall be held at 41°F or below or at 135°F or above.

[SA] Cook shall discard chicken in 3.5 hours.

Minor Violations

K01 - 3 Points - Inadequate demonstration of knowledge; food manager certification

Inspector Observations: Food handler cards and food safety certificate are not provided.

[CA] Each food handler shall maintain a valid food handler card for the duration of his or her employment as food handler. A valid food handler card shall be provided within 30 days of after the date of hire.

Food facilities that prepare, handle, or serve non-prepackaged potentially hazard foods shall have a valid Food Safety Certificate available for review at all times.

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

Inspector Observations: Hand sink near 3 comp sink is lacking soap.

[CA] Provide handwashing cleanser in dispenser at handwash stations at all times.

K23 - 3 Points - Observed rodents, insects, birds, or animals; 114259.1, 114259.4, 114259.5

Inspector Observations: 1 medium sized dead cockroach observed near the ladder and non working ice machine. No live vermin observed.

[CA]: The premises of each food facility must be maintained free of vermin. Clean and sanitize impacted area and continue with pest control service to monitor for vermin.

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

Inspector Observations: Box stored on the floor inside the walk-in freezer.

[CA] Food shall be stored at least 6 inches above the floor to prevent contamination.

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

Inspector Observations: Significant grease accumulation observed on exterior of equipment, shelves and storage racks.

[CA] Nonfood-contact surfaces of equipment shall be kept free of an accumulation of dust, dirt, food residue, and other debris.

K35 - 2 Points - Equipment, utensils - Unapproved, unclean, not in good repair, inadequate capacity; 114130, 114130.1, 114130.2, 114130.3, 114130.4, 114130.5, 114132, 114133, 114137, 114139, 114153, 114155, 114163, 114165, 114167, 114169, 114175, 114177, 114180, 114182

Inspector Observations: 1 door hot holding unit and ice machine are non-operable. Leak observed inside the Turbo Air 2 door unit with top well. Refrigeration unit gaskets are torn in front of cook-line.

[CA] Repair equipment.

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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: CO2 tanks are not properly secured.

[CA] All pressurized cylinders shall be securely fastened to a rigid structure.

K40 - 2 Points - Wiping cloths: improperly used and stored; 114135, 114185.1 114185.3(d,e)

Inspector Observations: Less than 200 ppm quat sanitizer observed inside wiping cloth bucket.

[CA] Change sanitizer as often as necessary and maintain at 200 ppm chlorine.

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

Inspector Observations: Significant accumulation of dust observed on kitchen ceiling. Significant food debris and grease observed throughout kitchen floor.

[CA] Walls and/or floors in food preparation area shall be kept clean.

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

Needs Improvement - Proper hot and cold holding temperatures.

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
fried chicken	cabinet	79.00 Fahrenheit	79F - 99F
raw chicken	walk- in	41.00 Fahrenheit	raw chicken - 41F raw bacon - 37F
chlorine	dish machine	100.00 PPM	
raw chicken	reach in	37.00 Fahrenheit	
raw beef	reach in	35.00 Fahrenheit	cheese - 37F
quat sanitizer	bucket	100.00 PPM	less than 200 ppm
water	hand sink	100.00 Fahrenheit	
water	3 comp sink	120.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

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 **11/17/2025**. 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: Justin Lin
Manager

Signed On: November 03, 2025