

**County of Santa Clara**  
**Department of Environmental Health**  
**Consumer Protection Division**

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**OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT**

<b>Facility</b> FA0205601 - SPROUTS FARMERS MARKET #270 - GROCERY		<b>Site Address</b> 1130 BRANHAM LN, SAN JOSE, CA 95118		<b>Inspection Date</b> 11/05/2025	
<b>Program</b> PR0302628 - NO FOOD PREP > 20,000 SQ FT - FP08			<b>Owner Name</b> SUNFLOWER FARMERS MAF		<b>Inspection Time</b> 10:30 - 11:15
<b>Inspected By</b> JENNIFER RIOS	<b>Inspection Type</b> ROUTINE INSPECTION	<b>Consent By</b> COURTNEY	<b>FSC Exempt</b>		

<b>Placard Color &amp; Score</b>
<b>GREEN</b>
<b>92</b>

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		X			
K07 Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	X						
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		
K31 Consumer self service does prevent contamination		
K32 Food properly labeled and honestly presented		
K33 Nonfood contact surfaces clean		
K34 Warewash facilities: installed/maintained; test strips		
K35 Equipment, utensils: Approved, in good repair, adequate capacity		
K36 Equipment, utensils, linens: Proper storage and use		
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		
K46 No unapproved private home/living/sleeping quarters		
K47 Signs posted; last inspection report available		

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

## Comments and Observations

### Major Violations

K06 - 8 Points - Inadequate handwash facilities: supplied or accessible; 113953, 113953.1, 113953.2, 114067(f)

**Inspector Observations: Paper towels were not provided at handwash sink in produce area. [CA] Single-use sanitary towels shall be provided in dispensers. [COS] Paper towels were provided.**

### Minor Violations

No minor violations were observed during this inspection.

### Performance-Based Inspection Questions

N/A

### Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Pizza poppers	Reach in freezer	1.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment sink - meat	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Warm water	Handwash - meat dept	100.00 Fahrenheit	
Eggs	Self serve reach in	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Ambient	Walk in freezer	-7.00 Fahrenheit	
Cheese	Self serve reach in	38.00 Fahrenheit	
Kombucha	Self serve reach in	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Chicken meal	Self serve reach in	38.00 Fahrenheit	
Frozen berries	Self serve reach in freezer	11.00 Fahrenheit	
Dairy	Self serve reach in	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Ambient air	Meat walk in fridge	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Fish	Display	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Melon	Reach in display	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Milk	Walk in fridge	36.00 Fahrenheit	
Quaternary ammonia	Three compartment sink	300.00 PPM	
Chicken	Display	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Ambient air	Chicken case	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Burger	Display	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment sink - produce	120.00 Fahrenheit	
Kombucha	Self serve reach in	34.00 Fahrenheit	
Quaternary ammonia	Three compartment sink - produce	400.00 Fahrenheit	
Ambient air	Frozen case	17.00 Fahrenheit	
Ambient air	Beef case	17.00 Fahrenheit	
Rotisserie chicken	Hot holding	144.00 Fahrenheit	
Potato salad	Self serve reach in	34.00 Fahrenheit	
Raw beef meal	Reach in	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Ice cream	Reach in freezer	-1.00 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 **11/19/2025**. 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.

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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



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**Received By:** Courtney Romero  
Service manager

**Signed On:** November 05, 2025