

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0260940 - PANADERIA EL ANGEL		Site Address 1050 MCLAUGHLIN AV 1050, SAN JOSE, CA 95122		Inspection Date 02/02/2026	
Program PR0382547 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 0-5 EMPLOYEES RC 2 - FP10			Owner Name EL ANGEL AND ASSOCIATES		Inspection Time 11:00 - 12:05
Inspected By HENRY LUU	Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION		Consent By ALFREDO	FSC Not Available	

Placard Color & Score
RED
72

RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	IN	OUT		COS/SA	N/O	N/A	PBI
		Major	Minor				
K01 Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification			X				N
K02 Communicable disease; reporting/restriction/exclusion	X						
K03 No discharge from eyes, nose, mouth	X						S
K04 Proper eating, tasting, drinking, tobacco use			X				N
K05 Hands clean, properly washed; gloves used properly	X						
K06 Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible			X				
K07 Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	X						S
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	X	
K28 Fruits and vegetables washed		
K29 Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used	X	
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	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	X
K58	Placard properly displayed/posted	

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

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

Inspector Observations: 1. Observed Vermin:

- Live adult German cockroach observed in-between the splash guard of the three-compartment sink.
- Numerous live cockroaches observed in the crevices between the wall and ceiling at the corner above the three-compartment sink.
- Dead nymph observed on wall below the right side drain board of the three-compartment sink.
- Numerous dead cockroaches observed inside sticky monitoring trap between the plumbing of the hand wash sink in the kitchen.
- Numerous dead cockroaches observed inside sticky monitoring trap below the storage rack inside the dry storage room.

Follow-up By
02/05/2026

2. Photographs: Taken for documentation purposes.
3. Supervisor S. Lew was notified of closure.
4. Notification: The person in charge during inspection, Alfredo, 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

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

Inspector Observations: Five-year Food Safety Certified (FSC) manager certificate unavailable for review. [CA] 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.

Employees' three-year food handler cards are expired.

[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.

K04 - 3 Points - Improper eating, tasting, drinking or tobacco use in food preparation area; 113977

Inspector Observations: Employees personal bowl of cut fruit and beverage maintained on the preparation table between the preparation refrigerator and sink.

[CA] No employee shall eat or drink in the food prep, food contact storage, or food storage areas, use designated area. Provide designated location for employees to store personal food and beverages, that is separated and protected from facility food and food contact surfaces.

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

Inspector Observations: Hand wash station in the kitchen adjacent to the three-compartment sink is partially obstructed with containers maintained inside the wash basin.

[CA] Handwashing facility shall be clean, unobstructed, and accessible at all times.

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

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Inspector Observations: Hot water at the three-compartment sink measured at 117.9F.

[CA] Hot water shall be supplied at a minimum temperature of at least 120°F measured from the faucet throughout facility except at handwash sinks.

Warm water at the hand wash sink at the front service area and in the kitchen adjacent to the three-compartment sink measured at 92F and 97F respectively.

[CA] Handwashing facilities shall be equipped to provide minimum 100°F water under pressure for a minimum of 15 seconds.

K27 - 2 Points - Food not separated and unprotected; 113984(a-d,f), 113986, 114060, 114067(a,d,e,j), 114069(a,b), 114077, 114089.1(c), 114143(c)

Inspector Observations: Raw shelled eggs maintained above ready-to-eat food items inside the walk-in refrigerator.

[CA] All food shall be separated and protected from cross-contamination. Store all raw meat or other raw products of animal origin below ready-to-eat food items.

K29 - 2 Points - Toxic substances improperly identified, stored, used; 114254, 114254.1, 114254.2

Inspector Observations: Observed numerous spray bottles of Home Defense domestic insecticide maintained below the left drain board of the three-compartment sink.

[CA] Only those insecticides, rodenticides, and other pesticides that are necessary and specifically approved for use in a food facility may be used. Store chemicals separate and away from the storage and preparation of food or food contact surfaces and linens.

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

Inspector Observations: Heavy build of up of food residue on walls behind the storage rack for baking ingredients. Accumulation of food debris observed on floors underneath the dry storage room and underneath storage rack for baking ingredients.

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

K49 - 2 Points - Permits not available; 114067(b,c), 114381(a), 114387

Inspector Observations: --48 HOUR NOTICE--

Follow-up By 02/04/2026

Our records indicate this facility is operating without a valid permit and has a delinquent account. Your balance due is \$ 1,383.75. Payment must be made immediately to DEH at the address at the top of this report or via our website at www.Ehinfo.org.

A facility that submits payment of the outstanding balance within 48 hours (2 business days) of this notice will be issued and mailed an operating permit by this department. Failure to comply within 48 hours will result in facility closure and additional enforcement, including but not limited to reinspection(s) and additional cost recovery fees.

A facility found to be in continued operation without a permit may incur a penalty of three (3) times the operating permit fee, and fee(s) for re-inspection(s) charged at the current hourly rate approved by the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors. Penalties and fees incurred due to enforcement activities must be paid in full prior to the issuance of an operating permit.

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

Needs Improvement - Proper eating, tasting, drinking, tobacco use.

Needs Improvement - Demonstration of knowledge; food manager certification.

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Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Shredded chicken	Food preparation refrigerator	38.00 Fahrenheit	
Milk	Merchandiser refrigerator	38.00 Fahrenheit	
Refried beans	Food preparation refrigerator	41.00 Fahrenheit	
Tamales	Hot holding unit	154.00 Fahrenheit	
Refried beans	Walk-in refrigerator	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Beans	Walk-in refrigerator	37.00 Fahrenheit	
Raw shelled eggs	Walk-in refrigerator	38.00 Fahrenheit	
Sliced tomatoes	Food preparation refrigerator	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Sliced ham	Food preparation refrigerator	40.00 Fahrenheit	
Queso cheese	Food preparation refrigerator	41.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

- **Facility is hereby closed to due evidence of a vermin infestation.**

- **Facility is to immediately cease and desist all operations.**
- **Facility is prohibited from all food service activities which include, but not limited to: preparation, service, handling, distribution, and sale.**
- **Facility shall remain closed until vermin infestation is completely abated and authorization is provided by this Division.**

- **Facility shall:**
 - **Provide pest control report from a licensed pest control company that indicates the type of control measures taken and that the facility has been treated.**
 - **Eradicate all live and dead rodents and insects from the facility.**
 - **Clean and sanitize the affected area(s) and equipment.**
 - **Dispose of all food items that have been adulterated/contaminated.**
 - **Seal holes (e.g. in walls and ceilings, repair covered base), and entryways (e.g. weather-stripping around doors); keep exterior doors closed; screen openable windows.**
 - **Eliminate harborage inside and outside of the facility - remove unused/cast-off equipment, contributory vegetation, etc.)**
 - **Eliminate food and water sources inside and outside the facility.**
 - **Properly store items (e.g. at least 6 inches above floor in sealed rodent-proof/insect-proof containers; organize overly packed and disorganized storage areas).**
 - **Properly store and dispose of garbage and other waste (e.g. bagged wastes, keep dumpster lids closed, frequent removal).**

- **Subsequent follow-up inspection after first follow-up shall be billed \$298/hour, minimum one hour, during normal business hours (Monday - Friday, 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM), and \$645 for a minimum of two hours, during non-business hours, and upon inspector availability.**

- **The posted placard is property of the Santa Clara County Department of Environmental Health and shall not be removed, covered-up, relocated, tampered, or copied. Failure to comply may result in enforcement actions per County Ordinance Code Section B11-55.**

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**** Please note that pest control treatments for rodents or insects may require a sufficient amount of contact time for these to be effective. Consult with pest control company for guidelines on eliminating harborage, entryways, and food/water sources.**

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CLOSURE / PERMIT SUSPENSION NOTICE

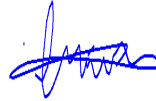
When required to determine compliance, a single reinspection will be conducted without additional charge. If subsequent reinspections are required, an hourly fee (minimum one hour) at the current rate approved by the Board of Supervisors will be assessed for each and every reinspection until the necessary changes or corrections are made. Unless otherwise noted by the inspector, all violations are to be corrected no later than **2/16/2026**. 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: Alfredo M.
Owner

Signed On: February 02, 2026