

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0210157 - SOUVLAKI GREEK SKEWERS		Site Address 577 W ALMA AV, SAN JOSE, CA 95125		Inspection Date 02/03/2025		Placard Color & Score GREEN 88		
Program PR0300029 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 0-5 EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP11			Owner Name KAREN SEPETIS		Inspection Time 15:00 - 15:40			
Inspected By KAYA ALASSFAR		Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION		Consent By GEORGE SEPETIS				FSC GEORGE SEPETIS 01/13/2027

RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS		IN	OUT		COS/SA	N/O	N/A	PBI
			Major	Minor				
K01	Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification	X						S
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						S
K06	Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible	X						
K07	Proper hot and cold holding temperatures		X					
K08	Time as a public health control; procedures & records						X	
K09	Proper cooling methods	X						N
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						S
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	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		
K46	No unapproved private home/living/sleeping quarters		
K47	Signs posted; last inspection report available		

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K48	Plan review	X
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: *The following PHFs were measured at improper holding temperatures, sliced tomatoes (45-47F), dolmas (50F) held inside the prep refrigerator for more than 4h.*

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

[COS] *Dolmas were voluntarily discarded by employee.*

Minor Violations

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: *Pressurized cylinders are not fastened to a rigid structure.*

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

K48 - 2 Points - Plan review unapproved; 114380

Inspector Observations: *Walk in refrigerator added that is not included in the original plan.*

A 4-burner range with above hood added in the back area.

[CA] *A person proposing to build or remodel a food facility shall submit plans and specifications for review and shall receive plan approval prior to starting any new construction or remodeling. Contact DEH at 408-918-3400 or at www.ehinfo.org to obtain plan check requirements.*

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

Needs Improvement - Proper cooling methods.

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
RAW CHICKEN SKEWERS	COLD HOLDING DRAWER	39.00 Fahrenheit	
DOLMAS	PREP REFRIGRATOR	56.00 Fahrenheit	
RAW PATTIES	COLD HILDING DRAWERS	40.00 Fahrenheit	
SOUP	HOT HOLDING	140.00 Fahrenheit	
WATER	3-COMP SINK	120.00 Fahrenheit	
WATER	HAND SINK	100.00 Fahrenheit	
SLICED TOMATOES	PREP REFRIGRATOR	47.00 Fahrenheit	
COOKED GYRO	STEAM TABLE	140.00 Fahrenheit	
RAW BEEF	WALK IN COOLER	41.00 Fahrenheit	
LASAGNA	PREP REFRIGRATOR	50.00 Fahrenheit	COOLING
CHLORINE	DISHWASHER	50.00 PPM	

Overall Comments:

OWNERSHIP CHANGE INFORMATION

NEW FACILITY NAME: SOUVLAKI GREEK SKEWERS

NEW OWNER: KAREN SEPETIS

The applicant has completed the facility evaluation application process for an Environmental Health Permit.

The permit category for this facility is FP11. An invoice for the permit fee in the amount of \$1,580.00 will be mailed to the billing address on the application. Payment must be submitted within 10 days of receipt of the invoice. The owner is responsible for contacting our department if an invoice is not received and remit payment within 30 days.

The Environmental Health Permit will be effective: 03/01/2025 - 2/28/2026 This report serves as a temporary permit. However, the permit will be deemed invalid if the permit fee is not paid in full within 30 days from the date of this report. Okay to Operate.

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An official permit will be mailed to the address on file and shall be posted in public view upon receipt.

**Structural Review inspection conducted on 02/03/2025*

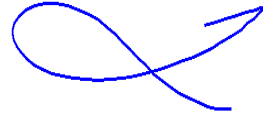
**Permit condition: none.*

**Obtain food safety manager certificate within 60 days. All other food employees must have valid food handler cards within 30 days from hire date.*

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 **2/17/2025**. 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: GEORGE SEPETIS
MANAGER

Signed On: February 03, 2025