

County of Santa Clara

Department of Environmental Health

Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0252570 - GRILL ON THE ALLEY		Site Address 172 S MARKET ST, SAN JOSE, CA 95113	Inspection Date 02/03/2026
Program PR0303808 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 26+ EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP17		Owner Name GRILL CONCEPTS INC	Inspection Time 12:30 - 13:25
Inspected By ALEXANDER ALFARO	Inspection Type FOLLOW-UP INSPECTION	Consent By JESUS	

Placard Color & Score

GREEN
N/A

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

Cited On: 01/28/2026

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

Compliance of this violation has been verified on: 02/03/2026

Minor Violations

Cited On: 02/03/2026

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

Inspector Observations:

Observed several dead cockroaches on a sticky trap under the warming oven across the two compartment sink.

A single dead cockroach was observed near a cove base tile with deteriorated grout. No other evidence of infestation observed.

[CA] Each food facility shall be kept free of vermin: rodents (rats, mice), cockroaches, flies.

[COS] PIC removed the dead cockroach and discarded.

Measured Observations

N/A

Overall Comments:

Onsite for a second follow up inspection to verify compliance with violations K23. As a reminder the first follow up inspection is free of charge. Any and all subsequent follow up inspections shall be charged at the approved hourly rate of \$298.00/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.

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Notes:

- Pest control report dated for 1/29/2026 was provided. Service report did not comment on activity level of vermin but did list several chemicals used to treat. Beginning of service was observed at last follow up inspection.

- Facility to provide pest control reports via email to district specialist for monitoring over the next 3 months.

(Alexander.Alfaro@deh.sccgov.org)

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 **2/17/2026**. 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.

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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



Received By: Jesus
Manager
Signed On: February 03, 2026