

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

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**OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT**

<b>Facility</b> FA0304987 - GONG CHA		<b>Site Address</b> 1087 MERIDIAN AV 10, SAN JOSE, CA 95125		<b>Inspection Date</b> 10/15/2025	
<b>Program</b> PR0447925 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 0-5 EMPLOYEES RC 2 - FP10			<b>Owner Name</b> DESTINY HONG		<b>Inspection Time</b> 14:40 - 15:30
<b>Inspected By</b> HELEN DINH	<b>Inspection Type</b> ROUTINE INSPECTION	<b>Consent By</b> KAI	<b>FSC</b> Destiny Hong 2/27/30		

<b>Placard Color &amp; Score</b> <b>GREEN</b> <b>90</b>
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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						S
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						S
K07 Proper hot and cold holding temperatures	X						
K08 Time as a public health control; procedures & records		X		X			N
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		
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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K48	Plan review	
K49	Permits available	
K58	Placard properly displayed/posted	

## Comments and Observations

### Major Violations

K08 - 8 Points - Improperly using time as a public health control procedures & records; 114000

**Inspector Observations:** *Measured boba holding at 76.8F at service line. Per operator, PHFs is under time as a public health control (TPHC). Observed no time mark on container. [CA] When time only, rather than time and temperature is used as a public health control, PHFs shall be time marked to indicate when item is removed from temperature control, discarded if not consumed or served within 4 hours, and written procedures shall be readily available for review. [COS] Operator time marked containers of PHFs.*

### Minor Violations

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

**Inspector Observations:** *Found box of food product stored on the floor in back prep area. [CA] Food shall be stored a minimum of 6 inches off floor.*

### Performance-Based Inspection Questions

Needs Improvement - Time as a public health control; procedures & records.

### Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
warm water	handsink (front, prep & RR)	100.00 Fahrenheit	
boba	service area	76.80 Fahrenheit	under time as a public health control (TPHC), no time mark observed. [COS] Operator time marked PHFs
sliced cheese	1 door reach in	41.00 Fahrenheit	
ice cream	2 door sliding freezer	2.30 Fahrenheit	
sliced ham	1 door cold top	41.00 Fahrenheit	
milk	2 door upright	41.00 Fahrenheit	
grass jelly	2 door upright	41.00 Fahrenheit	
pepperoni	1 door cold top	41.00 Fahrenheit	
hot water	warewash/1-comp/mop 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 **10/29/2025**. 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: Kai Masuno  
Manager

Signed On: October 15, 2025