

Food - Risk Based Inspection Report

	Department of Regulatory Services Division of Environmental Management & Safety Environmental Health & Food Safety 250 South Fourth Street, Room 414, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415 Phone: 612-673-2170 FAX: 612-673-2635 TTY: 612-673-2233 Web: http://www.ci.minneapolis.mn.us/environmental-health/	Total Violations	4	Date of Inspection	05/16/2012
	Critical Violations	0	Inspection Time	01:30 PM	
	License Current and Posted	Yes	Time Out	01:50 PM	
	Reinspection Needed	No			

Facility Name TACO TAXI	Address 1511 LAKE E ST	City/State MINNEAPOLIS, MN	Zip Code 55407	Telephone (612) 628-5047
License # L318-50039	Owner HECTOR LOPEZ	Inspection Purpose Routine	License Type FOOD MOBILE VEHICLE VENDOR	Risk Category 1

FOODBORNE ILLNESS RISK FACTORS AND PUBLIC HEALTH INTERVENTIONS

IN=in compliance OUT=not in compliance N/O=not observed N/A=not applicable

Compliance Status	Compliance Status
Foodborne Illness Risk Factors and Public Health Interventions	Foodborne Illness Risk Factors and Public Health Interventions
1A Out Certified food manager; and duties fulfilled.	15 IN Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned, and unsafe foods
1B IN PIC knowledgeable, duties & oversight	16 N/O Proper cooking time and temperature
2 IN Management awareness and policy regarding handling employee health situations	17 N/O Proper reheating procedures for hot holding
3 IN Proper use of reporting, restriction & exclusion	18 N/A Proper cooling time and temperatures
4 N/O Food employees eat, drink, and use tobacco only in designated areas / do not use a utensil more than once to taste food that is sold or served	19 N/O Proper hot holding temperatures
5 N/O Food employees experiencing persistent sneezing, coughing, or runny nose do not work with exposed food, clean equipment, utensils, linens, unwrapped single-service or single-use articles	20 IN Proper cold holding temperatures
6 N/O Hands clean and properly washed	21 N/A Proper date marking and disposition
7 N/O Direct hand contact with exposed, ready-to-eat food is limited by use of deli tissue, spatulas, tongs, dispensing equipment, or other utensils when possible	22 N/A Time as a public health control: procedures and records
8 Out Handwashing Facilities	25 N/A Food additives; approved and properly used
9 N/O Food obtained from approved source	26 IN Toxic substances properly identified, stored & used
10 N/O Food received at proper temperature	27 N/A Compliance with HACCP plan and variance
11 IN Food in good condition, safe, and unadulterated	
12 N/A Required records available; shellstock tags, parasite destruction	Risk factors are improper practices or procedures identified as the most prevalent contributing factors of foodborne illness or injury. Public Health Interventions are control measures to prevent foodborne illness or injury.
13 N/O Food separated/protected from cross contamination	
14 IN Food-contact surfaces: cleaned & sanitized	


GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES

Good Retail Practices are preventative measures to control the addition of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.

Compliance Status	Compliance Status
Good Retail Practices	Good Retail Practices
28 IN Pasteurized eggs used where required	43 IN Single-use and single-service articles; properly stored & used
29 IN Water and ice from approved source	44 IN Gloves used properly
30 N/A Variance obtained for specialized processing methods	45 IN Food and nonfood-contact surfaces cleanable, properly designed, constructed, and used
31 IN Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control	46 IN Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained, and used; test strips.(Accurate thermometers,chemical test kits provided, gauge cock)
32 N/A Plant food properly cooked for hot holding	47 IN Nonfood contact surfaces clean
33 N/A Approved thawing methods used	48 IN Hot and cold water available; capacity; adequate pressure
34 Out Thermometers provided and accurate	49 IN Plumbing installed, maintained,proper backflow devices
35 Out Food properly labeled; original container	50 IN Sewage and waste water properly disposed
36 IN Insects, rodents, and animals not present; no unauthorized persons; food employees do not handle or care for animals present	51 IN Toilet facilities properly constructed, supplied and cleaned
37 IN Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage and display; segregated distressed products-non critical items	52 IN Garbage and refuse properly disposed: facilities maintained
38 IN Personal cleanliness (fingernails,jewelry,other clothing,hair restraints)	53 IN Physical facilities installed, maintained, and clean
39 IN Wiping cloths,sponges; properly used and stored	54 IN Adequate ventilation and lighting; designated areas used
40 IN Washing fruits and vegetables	55 IN Compliance with MCIAA and Choking Poster
41 IN In-use utensils; properly stored	56 IN Compliance with licensing and plan review
42 IN Utensils, equipment, and linens: properly stored, dried, and handled	57 IN Other Violations Noted
	58 IN City of Minneapolis Food Code

MATERIALS PROVIDED:

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Item/Location	Food Temp	Air Temp	Item/Location	Food Temp	Air Temp	Item/Location	Food Temp	Air Temp
Air Temperature (Refrigerator)	40 °F	°F						

SANITIZER INFORMATION

Sanitizer Location	Method Used	Sanitizer PPM	Sanitizer Used	Water Temp.

Construction, Equipment & Reinspection


Construction/Remodeling?	New Equipment	Emailed CIS/DR	Reinspection Needed	Reinspection Date
No	No	No		

OBSERVATIONS AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS

Item Number	Violations cited in this report must be corrected within the time frames below.
1A	4626.2010 Subp. 3 Post in a conspicuous place at the establishment, a copy of the State Certified food manager certificate. MN Rule 4626.2010 HECTOR TO POST A COPY OF HIS STATE OF MN CERTIFIED FOOD MANAGER'S CERTIFICATE ON SITE. Correct By: 05/23/12
8	6-301.11B Provide and maintain a fingernail brush at the handwashing sink used by employees. MN Rule 4626.1440 PROVIDE A FINGERNAIL BRUSH AT EMPLOYEE HANDSINK ON MOBILE TRUCK. Correct By: 05/16/12
34	4-204.112E Provide food and water temperature measuring devices that are numerically scaled in increments no greater than 2 degrees F. MN Rule 4626.0620 PROVIDE A FOOD THERMOMETER ON TRUCK TO TAKE TEMPERATURES OF HOT HELD FOODS WHILE IN OPERATION. Correct By: 05/23/12
35	3-602.11 Label all packaged food for sale in the establishment as specified in 3-602.11. MN Rule 4626.0435 PER HECTOR. MEXICAN CHIPS ARE MADE IN THE COMMISSARY THEN PACKAGED UP IN ZILOC BAGS AND PUT ON THE TRUCK FOR SALE. BAGS NEED TO BE PROPERLY LABELED. Correct By: 05/23/12

Comments:
 NOTES:
 MOBILE FOOD TRUCK LICENSE PLATE #YBG6039 - DECAL #0035 INSPECTED. TRUCK WAS BEHIND COMMISSARY AND NOT IN OPERATION AT TIME OF INSPECTION.
 NEXT INSPECTION TO OCCUR WHEN TRUCK IS IN OPERATION.
 BEEF AND PORK TACOS, MEXICAN CHIPS AND SODA SOLD FROM TRUCK.
 THREE COMPARTMENT SINK ON SITE W/BLEACH (NOT SETUP DURING INSECTION). TEST STRIPS PRESENT.
 HECTOR LOPEZ IS A STATE CFM #36662 (EXP. 11-29-12).
 REPORT MAILED TO COMMISSARY LOCATION LOCATED AT 1511 E LAKE STREET IN MPLS.
 Comments continued on next page.

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Comments:

This inspection report is based on City of Minneapolis regulations which can be viewed at the following website: <http://library.municode.com/index.aspx?clientId=11490&stateId=23&stateName=minnesota> It lists corrections and improvements needed to reduce the health and safety risk factors. The conditions noted were identified either by observation or during our discussion of your current safety standards/systems. You are responsible for correcting all violations noted above immediately or by the fix-by-date listed. Please call me if you have questions or need additional information.


Failure to comply with applicable laws and regulations may result in civil, administrative or criminal enforcement action. If compliance is not achieved, the City official is authorized to issue a minimum administrative citation of \$200 per violation and one hundred dollar (\$100.00) fee for any subsequent re-inspection. The amount of the citation will double each time for same or similar repeat violations within 24 months.

Permits must be secured for all construction, plumbing, electrical and mechanical work. Work must be performed by a licensed contractor. Permits are obtained at Minneapolis Development Review, 250 South 4th Street, Room 300, Minneapolis, MN 55415, (612)-673-3000 or dial 311, (612) 673-3300 (TTY).

Minneapolis Licenses and Consumer Services grants FINAL approval for operation of the business at City Hall, 350 South 4th Street, Room 1-C, Minneapolis, MN.

English - Attention. If you want help understanding this information, call (612) 673-5844.
Hmong - Ceeb toom. Yog koj xav tau kev pab txhais cov xov no rau koj dawb, hu (612) 673-2800.
Spanish - Atención. Si desea recibir asistencia gratuita para traducir esta información, llame al (612) 673-2700.
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Deaf and Hard of Hearing Access number: (612) 673-3220 **TTY line:** (612) 673-2626 HSG

<p>Robert Becker Code Compliance Officer, 612-673-2278 Robert.Becker@ci.minneapolis.mn.us</p>		<p>Date: 05/16/2012</p>
<p>HECTOR LOPEZ CERTIFIED FOOD MANAGER</p>		<p>Date: 05/16/2012</p>