

Food Establishment Inspection Report

Score: 95.5

Establishment Name: ALEX'S CAFE

Establishment ID: 3034012072

Location Address: 750 SUMMIT STREET

Inspection Re-Inspection

City: WINSTON SALEM

State: NC

Date: 02 / 14 / 2017 Status Code: A

Zip: 27101

County: 34 Forsyth

Time In: 10 : 35 am pm

Time Out: 01 : 30 am pm

Permittee: V&E CORPORATION INC.

Category #: IV

Telephone: (336) 722-9080

FDA Establishment Type: Full-Service Restaurant

Wastewater System: Municipal/Community On-Site System

No. of Risk Factor/Intervention Violations: 3

Water Supply: Municipal/Community On-Site Supply

No. of Repeat Risk Factor/Intervention Violations:

Foodborne Illness Risk Factors and Public Health Interventions										
Risk factors: Contributing factors that increase the chance of developing foodborne illness.										
Public Health Interventions: Control measures to prevent foodborne illness or injury.										
IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	Compliance Status			OUT	CDI	R	VR
Supervision .2652										
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	PIC Present; Demonstration-Certification by accredited program and perform duties			2	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Employee Health .2652										
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Management, employees knowledge; responsibilities & reporting			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper use of reporting, restriction & exclusion			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Good Hygienic Practices .2652, .2653										
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper eating, tasting, drinking, or tobacco use			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No discharge from eyes, nose or mouth			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Preventing Contamination by Hands .2652, .2653, .2655, .2656										
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hands clean & properly washed			4	2	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No bare hand contact with RTE foods or pre-approved alternate procedure properly followed			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Handwashing sinks supplied & accessible			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved Source .2653, .2655										
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Food obtained from approved source			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
10	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Food received at proper temperature			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Food in good condition, safe & unadulterated			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Required records available: shellstock tags, parasite destruction			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Protection from Contamination .2653, .2654										
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Food separated & protected			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Food-contact surfaces: cleaned & sanitized			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned, & unsafe food			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Potentially Hazardous Food Time/Temperature .2653										
16	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proper cooking time & temperatures			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
17	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proper reheating procedures for hot holding			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
18	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper cooling time & temperatures			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
19	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proper hot holding temperatures			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
20	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper cold holding temperatures			3	1.5	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
21	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper date marking & disposition			3	0	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
22	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Time as a public health control: procedures & records			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consumer Advisory .2653										
23	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Consumer advisory provided for raw or undercooked foods			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Highly Susceptible Populations .2653										
24	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered			3	1.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chemical .2653, .2657										
25	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Food additives: approved & properly used			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
26	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Toxic substances properly identified stored, & used			2	1	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Conformance with Approved Procedures .2653, .2654, .2658										
27	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Compliance with variance, specialized process, reduced oxygen packing criteria or HACCP plan			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>

Good Retail Practices										
Good Retail Practices: Preventative measures to control the addition of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.										
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Safe Food and Water .2653, .2655, .2658										
28	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pasteurized eggs used where required			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
29	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Water and ice from approved source			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
30	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Variance obtained for specialized processing methods			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food Temperature Control .2653, .2654										
31	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
32	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Plant food properly cooked for hot holding			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved thawing methods used			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
34	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thermometers provided & accurate			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food Identification .2653										
35	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Food properly labeled: original container			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prevention of Food Contamination .2652, .2653, .2654, .2656, .2657										
36	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Insects & rodents not present; no unauthorized animals			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
37	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage & display			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
38	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Personal cleanliness			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
39	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wiping cloths: properly used & stored			1	0.5	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Washing fruits & vegetables			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proper Use of Utensils .2653, .2654										
41	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	In-use utensils: properly stored			1	0	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
42	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Utensils, equipment & linens: properly stored, dried & handled			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
43	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Single-use & single-service articles: properly stored & used			0.5	0	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
44	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gloves used properly			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
Utensils and Equipment .2653, .2654, .2663										
45	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Equipment, food & non-food contact surfaces approved, cleanable, properly designed, constructed, & used			2	0	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
46	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained, & used; test strips			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
47	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Non-food contact surfaces clean			1	0	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Physical Facilities .2654, .2655, .2656										
48	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hot & cold water available; adequate pressure			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
49	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sewage & waste water properly disposed			2	1	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
51	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied & cleaned			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
52	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
53	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Physical facilities installed, maintained & clean			1	0.5	0	<input type="checkbox"/>
54	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Meets ventilation & lighting requirements; designated areas used			1	0.5	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Total Deductions:							4.5			



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Temperature Observations

Item	Location	Temp	Item	Location	Temp	Item	Location	Temp
Gigi Ayad	12-19-21	0	tomato	make unit	36			
Hot water	three comp sink	152	turkey	low boy	40			
sanitizer	three comp sink (ppm)	50	ham	low boy	41			
Cooked onion	make unit	39	gyro	low boy	38			
sausage	make unit	36	pork	low boy	40			
sausage	make unit	36	steak	low boy	39			
grape leaves	make unit	35	lentil soup	walk in	41			
lettuce	make unit	38	green beans	walk in	40			

Observations and Corrective Actions

Violations cited in this report must be corrected within the time frames below, or as stated in sections 8-405.11 of the food code.

- 20 3-501.16 (A)(2) and (B) Potentially Hazardous Food (Time/Temperature Control for Safety Food), Hot and Cold Holding - P One pitcher of raw shell eggs kept by grill during inspection at room temperature. Raw eggs must be kept at 45F or lower at all times. Do not keep eggs out of temperature control, If multiple eggs are needed at once then have a small bowl of eggs to use quickly and keep larger batch in cold holding. CDI: PIC moved eggs to the near by reach in cooler where they stated for duration of inspection. 0 pts
- 21 or 3-501.17 Ready-To-Eat Potentially Hazardous Food (Time/Temperature Control for Safety Food), Date Marking - PF No date marking on sliced deli ham, turkey, gyro meat, open containers of hot dogs, and cooked pork chops in low boy coolers. PIC stated foods were prepared up to four days prior. All potentially hazardous foods that are cooked, sliced, or otherwise prepared in a ready to eat state must be datemarked when held for more than 24 hours and must be discarded after a four day hold at 41 - 45F or seven day hold at 41F and lower. Add dates to these products and maintain proper date marking. Verification due no later than 2/24/17, EHS will conduct an unannounced visit to verify date marking procedures are being followed.
- 26 7-203.11 Poisonous or Toxic Material Containers-Container Prohibitions - P Chlorine sanitizer solution stored in a reused bottle of quat sanitizer and used in conjunction with dispensing tower at three compartment sink. Sanitizer solutions cannot be put into reused containers that previously held chemical solutions or toxic/hazardous materials. Add chlorine to water to make sanitizer solution at 50 -100 ppm at three compartment sink. Do not use chemical tower and do not reused bottles. CDI: PIC discarded old quat sanitizer solution bottle of chlorine sanitizer. 0 pts



Person in Charge (Print & Sign): Gigi ^{First} Ayad ^{Last}

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Regulatory Authority (Print & Sign): Joseph ^{First} Chrobak ^{Last}

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- 39 3-304.14 Wiping Cloths, Use Limitation - C One wiping cloth kept on prep table during inspection. All wet wiping cloths must be kept in sanitizer solution when not in use. Keep cloths in sanitizer solution. 0 pts
- 41 3-304.12 In-Use Utensils, Between-Use Storage - C Repeat: One pair of tongs kept on oven handle. Do not store tongs on oven handle. CDI: Tongs removed during inspection.
- 43 4-502.13 Single-Service and Single-Use Articles-Use Limitations - C Two single service tzatziki containers used to hold meat one in front prep cooler and one in walk in freezer. Two pita bags reused to hold hot dogs and cooked pork in low boy coolers. Multiple single service containers stored in dry storage. Single service single use containers cannot be reused for any purpose. Remove all single service single use containers from establishment once they are emptied of original contents.
- 45 4-501.11 Good Repair and Proper Adjustment-Equipment - C Various unused non working equipment kept on site including a pizza oven, upright glass cooler, microwaves, toasters, and hot wells. Non functioning equipment shall be kept in good repair or removed. Continue efforts of removing and organizing equipment to allow for easy cleaning. / One rubber spatula cracked and discarded by pic during inspection.
- 47 4-602.13 Nonfood Contact Surfaces - C Repeat: Cleaning needed in fryer cabinets to remove excess grease. Some cleaning needed on wire shelves by three compartment sink to remove dust. Cleaning needed on outside rims of metal pans to remove extra grease and towel fibers. Overall cleaning greatly improved from prior inspection.
- 54 6-501.14 Cleaning Ventilation Systems, Nuisance and Discharge Prohibition - C One ac vent in kitchen has dust build up. All vents and fans must be kept clean. Clean the dusty vent. 0 pts



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