PLAN REVIEW CHECKLIST

Below is a checklist to assist you with building your facility.

EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS		
All sinks are self-draining. (Sink compartments drain completely, no pooling water.)		
Dishwashing		
☐ Sink compartments are adequate for the complete immersion of most equipment and utensils.		
 Dishwashing machine (if provided) N/A Heat sanitize rinse OR Chemical sanitize rinse specify chemical 		
Temperature gauges provided Pressure Gauge provided Self-draining drainboards on both sides of the machine Template placard with operating specifications on dishwashing machine		
Test kits/strips for verifying chemical or heat sanitizing rinse available		
The operator of a bar or tavern shall ensure that a 4 th sink compartment, or separate handwash sink, is installed for dumping drinks and handwashing.		
Handwashing		
At least one hand wash sink is provided in each food preparation area to be used exclusively for hand washing		
Hand wash sink is accessible to mechanical ware washing equipment.		
Hot and cold running water under pressure that can be tempered to a temperature of 100-120°F by a mixing valve or combination faucet is provided		
Soap provided		
Individually dispensed paper towels are provided and mounted.		
Trash receptacle provided		
Sign posted directing employees to wash hands.		
Utility Sink		
At least one utility sink or curbed cleaning unit with a floor drain is provided.		
Utility or curbed cleaning unit is not located in a preparation, processing, ware washing area or any other location that could cause it to be a source of contamination to food, clean utensils, single serve		
items, or equipment.		
Food Preparation Sink		
A food preparation sink is provided for the frequent soaking, rinsing, culling or cleaning of raw ingredients or produce, if needed.		
Equipment Design and Location		
Equipment, including ice makers and ice storage equipment, is not located under exposed sewer lines, non-potable water lines, stair wells, or other potential sources of contamination.		
☐ The walls, wall coverings, floors, and floor coverings of food preparation areas, equipment-washing and utensil-washing areas, toilet rooms, and vestibules shall be smooth, non-absorbent, and easily cleanable.		

SANITATION AND PHYSICAL FACILITIES	
Water Supply	
□ Water is from a public water system.	
Potable water that is not piped to the food establishment, (haul and hold system) is transported,	
delivered, and stored as required.	
☐ If potable water tanks are used to hold water – has the water been tested for total coliform and E. coli?	
Are results available?	
Steam used in contact with food and food-contact surfaces is free from harmful substances and is from an approved source.	
Wastewater	
Wastewater from the establishment is discharged into a public sewer or a wastewater disposal.	
Plumbing	
Cross-connections between potable water and non-potable water supplies, chemical feed lines, or	
similar devices are prohibited.	
Fixtures or equipment in which food or drink is stored, prepared or served are indirectly connected to a	
drainage system.	
Non-potable water systems are used only for fire-protection, air-conditioning, heating, or flushing toilets.	
Pipes carrying non-potable water must be clearly labeled.	
☐ Hot and cold running water under pressure provided to all plumbing fixtures with faucets, including	
hand wash, ware-washing, preparation, processing, and janitorial sinks.	
☐ A floor drain is provided adjacent to the ware washing machine. Machine must be connected on the	
sewer side of the floor drain trap, provided that no other drainage line is connected between the floor	
drain waste connection and the fixture drain. The ware washing machine and floor drain must be	
trapped and vented properly.	
Grease traps, if used, must be accessible for cleaning.	
Equipment drain lines cannot discharge wastewater directly on the floor.	
Toilet Facilities	
Toilet facilities provided.	
Restrooms are mechanically vented to the outside.	
Self-closing device installed on restroom door.	
Hand soap available at all handwashing sinks.	
Hand drying facilities (dispense paper towels or hand-drying device that provides heated air) are	
available at all sinks. Handwashing signs provided at all handwash sinks used by employees.	
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at 100-120° F by combination faucet or mixing valve.	
Self-closing metering faucets, if provided, have a flow of water for at least 15 seconds.	
Easily cleanable waste containers are provided; and in a toilet room used by females, a covered waste	
container is provided.	
Toilet tissue in a wall-hung or protected container is provided at each toilet.	
Entrances to toilet rooms are located so that access by the public does not require passing through a	
food preparation, handling or storage area.	

Garbage and Refuse	
Containers used to store garbage outside the food establishment must be easily cleanable, have tigh	t-
fitting lids, doors, or covers, and must be kept reasonably clean.	
Rooms used to store garbage must be made of easily cleanable, nonabsorbent, washable, insect-	
proof, and rodent- proof materials.	
Insect and Rodent Control	
Outside doors are self-closing and rodent proof. (Tight fitting doors)	
Openable windows have a minimum #16 mesh screening.	
All pipes & electrical conduit chases be sealed; ventilation systems exhaust and intakes protected.	
Area around building clear of unnecessary brush, litter, boxes and other harborage.	
Lighting	
Permanently installed artificial light sources are provided.	
At least 50 food candles of light, evenly distributed on preparation, processing and	
warewashing surfaces	
At least 20 foot candles of light, evenly distributed in other areas, dining areas must meet	
this standard only during cleaning activities	
Protective shielding provided.	
 a. over equipment used to hold or display food; b. in walk-in refrigerators or freezers 	
\Box c. over any area where food or food-contact surfaces are exposed	
such as preparation, service, and display areas.	
Ventilation	
Fire prevention or extinguishing equipment installed in a hood does not obstruct cleaning or cause	
grease to collect.	
Equipment that produces excessive heat, steam, condensation, vapors, noxious odor, smoke or fume	9S
is adequately vented to outside air through a hood and filter system.	
Ventilation system prevents grease and other filth from collecting on walls and ceilings or from draining	ng
or dripping on food or food contact surfaces.	_
Automated deep frying system with a ventless, hoodless design, if used, is approved by Underwriters	5
Laboratories (UL) and National Sanitation Foundation (NSF).	
Commercial cooking equipment that produces grease-laden vapors is vented through a hood and	
grease collection system designed and installed in accordance with the International Mechanical Coc	le,
2003 edition, chapter 5, sections 506-509, adopted by reference in 18 AAC31.011.	
Food Protection	
Display shelving and equipment allows food to be stored at least 6 inches above the floor	
Food in cases, or large containers of packaged foods, such as flour and sugar, are stored on dollies,	
skids, or open- ended pallets if that equipment is easily moveable by hand or with the use of pallet-	
moving equipment that is available on the premises at all times.	
Food, food ingredients, utensils, equipment and packaging materials are <u>not</u> stored:	
☐ In a toilet room ☐ Under a refrigerator condenser prone to leaking	ng
Under exposed sewer line Under a waterline prone to leaking	