



Memorandum

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To: Southern Nevada District Board of Health

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Subject: Environmental Health Division Monthly Report

I. FOOD OPERATIONS PROGRAM

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Food Operations Program – Fiscal Year Data

Food Operation Services	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Routine Inspections	2,669	2,388	↓	14,496	14,637	↑
Reinspections	156	134	↓	1,127	1,205	↑
Downgrades	178	166	↓	1,042	1,167	↑
Closures	24	14	↓	86	95	↑
Special Events	29	38	↑	502	547	↑
Temporary Food Establishments & Tasting Event Booths	1,092	444	↓	5,164	4,680	↓
TOTALS	4,148	3,184	↓	22,417	22,331	↓

↑ (Up Arrow) - Indicates an increase compared to the previous period.
 ↓ (Down Arrow) - Indicates a decrease compared to the previous period.
 → (Right Arrow) - Indicates no significant change compared to the previous period.

1. Enforcement Actions and Investigations:

- A. **Don Tortaco Mexican Grill #1, 450 Fremont St.:** On January 8, the facility was closed for an Imminent Health Hazard (IHH), pest infestation. The inspector documented 19 demerits. The facility was reinspected and reopened with zero demerits on January 12.
- B. **Pollos Mexico Portable Unit for the Service of Food (PUSF), 2945 S. Nellis Blvd.:** On January 8, the unit was closed for an IHH, sewage or liquid waste not disposed of in an approved manner. The inspector documented 21 demerits. The

unit was reinspected and reopened with zero demerits on January 8. Due to a pattern of non-compliance as evidenced by consecutive downgrades during routine inspections, the operator will be entered into the Administrative Process.

- C. **Aloha Specialties Restaurant, 12 E. Ogden Ave.:** On January 13, the facility was closed for an IHH, pest infestation. The inspector documented 31 demerits. The facility was reinspected and reopened with three demerits on January 20.
 - D. **A1 Mobile Catering #6, 439 Rock Quarry Way:** On January 22, the unit was closed for an IHH, no potable or hot water. The inspector documented 13 demerits. The facility was reinspected and reopened with zero demerits on January 22.
 - E. **Blaze Fast-Fired Pizza, 1620 E. Craig Rd.:** On January 22, the facility was closed for an IHH, lack of adequate refrigeration. The inspector documented 26 demerits. The facility was reinspected and reopened with eight demerits on January 23.
 - F. **Boulder City Supper Club, 1129 Arizona St.:** During a complaint investigation on January 22, the facility was closed for an IHH, no potable or hot water. The facility was reinspected and reopened with eight demerits on January 23.
 - G. **Taqueria Carlos and Chulitas – BBQ and Mobile Vendor Permits, 1935 Fremont St.:** On January 23, the BBQ area and mobile vendor unit were closed for an IHH, lack of adequate handwashing facilities. The inspector documented 25 demerits for the BBQ permit and 33 demerits for the mobile vendor permit. The unit remains closed at this time. This operator has a documented history of downgrades. Due to ongoing issues of non-compliance, including operating with a suspended health permit, the operator will be entered into the Administrative Process.
 - H. **Anthony's Donuts, 609 N. Nellis Blvd.:** On January 27, the facility was closed for an IHH, pest infestation. The inspector documented 14 demerits. The facility was reinspected and reopened with zero demerits on January 29.
 - I. **La Michoacana Fresa, 1923 N. Decatur Blvd.:** On January 28, the facility was closed for multiple IHHs, no potable water or hot water and pest infestation. The inspector documented 33 demerits. The facility was reinspected and reopened with eight demerits on January 30.
 - J. **LAS Airport McCarran I Candy D5, 5757 Wayne Newton Blvd.:** On January 29, the permitted area was closed for an IHH, sewage or liquid waste not disposed of in an approved manner. The floor sink for the area's only hand sink and 3-compartment sink were overflowing. The area was reinspected and reopened with zero demerits on January 30.
 - K. Staff conducted unpermitted food vending complaint investigations with Clark County Business License and the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department throughout the month.
 - L. Staff closed 10 unpermitted food vending complaint investigations.
4. **Community Outreach:**
- A. Staff from the Paradise Office participated in a Career Day event at Somerset Academy. Staff provided food safety education and demonstrations.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Outbreak Response – Fiscal Year Data

Outbreak Response	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Foodborne Illness Investigations	7	3	↓	55	53	↓
Childhood Elevated Blood Lead Levels	0	0	→	6	9	↑
Legionella Travel Associated Investigations	2	1	↓	14	8	↓
Legionella Residential Investigations	4	2	↓	13	18	↑
Healthcare Associated Infection Joint ICAR Responses	0	2	↑	0	2	↑

2. Legionella Response:

- A. Residential Legionella investigations began in January 2020 as part of a Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) grant-funded project. A residential investigation is prompted by a resident becoming ill and the investigation is conducted in their home.
- B. Travel-associated Legionella investigations are prompted by a visitor who became ill after staying at a permitted public accommodation. An investigation is conducted at the hotel(s) they stayed at while in town.

3. Foodborne Illness Response:

- A. **Uno Mas, 2535 S. Las Vegas Blvd.:** On January 7, staff responded to multiple confirmed cases of illness. Staff observed risk factors that could lead to illness, including food held at improper temperatures and refrigerating equipment in disrepair. The inspection resulted in an A grade.
- B. **Tacos El Panzon, 2720 N. Las Vegas Blvd.:** On January 13, staff responded to a confirmed case of Shigella. Staff observed risk factors that could lead to illness, including improper handwashing practices. A graded inspection was not performed during this investigation due to working with Plan Review staff on a change of permit holder (CPH). The facility currently maintains an A grade.
- C. **Capriotti's, 1200 N. Town Center Dr.:** On January 26, staff responded to a confirmed case of Campylobacter. Staff observed risk factors that could lead to illness, including improper handwashing practices and inadequate sanitizer concentrations used on food contact surfaces. The inspection resulted in an A grade.

II. SOLID WASTE AND COMPLIANCE

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Solid Waste Management Authority (SWMA) Illegal Dumping Complaints and Hearing Officer Process – Fiscal Year Data

Illegal Dumping and Hearing Officer Process	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Notices of Violations (New & Remails)	8	9	↑	31	32	↑
Adjudicated Hearing Cases	3	6	↑	25	19	↓
Total Cases Received	67	60	↓	572	453	↓
Total Cases Referred to Other Agencies	9	12	↑	105	84	↓
Hearing Penalties Assessed	\$5,000	\$4,000	↓	\$37,500	\$15,108	↓

Remails - Notices of Violations that are returned by the postal service and then mailed to a newly found address.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Restricted Waste Management – Fiscal Year Data

Restricted Waste Management	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Inspections	314	372	↑	1,570	1,616	↑

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Underground Storage Tanks (UST) Full Compliance Inspections – Fiscal Year Data

Underground Storage Tanks	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Compliance Inspections	88	20	↓	468	263	↓
Final Installation/Upgrade/Repair Inspections	4	3	↓	18	15	↓
Closure Inspections	0	0	→	7	6	↓
Spill Report Investigations	1	0	↓	13	17	↑

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Permitted Disposal Facilities (PDF) Inspections – Fiscal Year Data

Permitted Disposal Facilities	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Inspections	22	11	↓	146	130	↓
Reinspections	1	1	→	6	3	↓

III. VECTOR SURVEILLANCE

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Vector Surveillance and Other EH Services - Fiscal Year Data

Vector Surveillance and Other EH Services	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
West Nile Virus Surveillance Traps Set	0	0	→	1,965	1,712	↓
West Nile Virus Surveillance Mosquitoes Tested	0	0	→	20,539	27,082	↑
West Nile Virus Surveillance Submission Pools Tested	0	0	→	1,669	1,662	↓
West Nile Virus Surveillance Positive Mosquitoes	0	0	→	1,237	545	↓
West Nile Virus Surveillance Positive Submission Pools	0	0	→	42	14	↓
St. Louis Encephalitis Surveillance Positive Mosquitoes	0	0	→	0	0	→
St. Louis Encephalitis Surveillance Positive Submission Pools	0	0	→	0	0	→
Mosquito Activity Complaints	0	0	→	141	226	↑
Public Accommodations Inspections	62	36	↓	150	207	↑
Public Accommodations Complaints	11	16	↑	136	102	↓
Mobile Home/Recreational Vehicle Park Inspections	54	66	↑	96	89	↓
Mobile Home/Recreational Vehicle Park Complaints	1	1	→	14	10	↓

A sample pool is a collection of 50 or less female mosquitoes, from the same species and location, combined into a vial for testing. It is used to determine the prevalence and distribution of arboviruses and can be used to trigger mosquito breeding and disease prevention messages.

IV. EH ENGINEERING

1. Solid Waste Plan Review Program (SWPR):

- A. **Permits Issued – None**
- B. **Landfills – Apex Regional Landfill; Boulder City Landfill; Laughlin Landfill; Nellis Air Force Base (Post Closure Monitoring); Timet; Sunrise Mountain (Post Closure Monitoring); and Wells Cargo**
- C. **Facility Applications Being Processed – Recycling Centers (2)**
- D. **Facilities Planned for Approval at DBOH Meetings/SNHD Workshops in February: None**

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Asbestos Permitting Services – Fiscal Year Data

Asbestos Permitting Services	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Asbestos Permits Issued	70	46	↓	483	370	↓
Revised Asbestos Permits Issued	7	4	↓	52	24	↓

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Subdivision Program – Fiscal Year Data

Subdivision Plan Review	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Tentative Maps-Received	14	6	↓	90	88	↓
Tentative Maps-Lot Count	1,257	419	↓	6,049	5,392	↓
Final Maps-Received	21	14	↓	115	140	↑
Final Maps-Lot Count	734	696	↓	4,500	5,172	↑
Final Maps-Signed	13	19	↑	112	129	↑
Final Maps (Signed)-Lot Count	595	742	↑	5,273	4,483	↓
Improvement Plans-Received	19	13	↓	106	140	↑
Improvement Plans-Lot Count	928	697	↓	4,545	5,131	↑
Expedited Improvement Plans-Received	0	0	→	0	1	↑
Expedited Improvement Plans-Lot Count	0	0	→	0	1	↑

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Individual Sewage Disposal System (ISDS) Program – Fiscal Year Data

Individual Sewage Disposal Systems	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Residential ISDS Permits	2	3	↑	35	31	↓
Commercial ISDS Permits	1	2	↑	3	3	→
Commercial Holding Tank Permits	2	1	↓	18	13	↓
Residential Tenant Improvements	18	15	↓	125	134	↑
Residential Certifications	0	0	→	0	2	↑
Compliance Issues	5	8	↑	55	57	↑

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Safe Drinking Water Program – Fiscal Year Data

Safe Drinking Water Program	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Public Water System Sanitary Surveys	0	1	↑	52	57	↑
Public Water System Violations Issued	29	0	↓	88	86	↓

2. Safe Drinking Water Activity:

A. Eight *coliform*-positive results were reported from routine monitoring events. Other than where noted, those samples were *E. coli* negative:

- **Las Vegas Valley Water District:** One routine sample was *coliform*-positive. The repeat samples were *coliform*-absent.
- **Roark Estates Water Assoc.:** One routine sample was *coliform*-positive. The repeat samples were *coliform*-absent.
- **North Las Vegas Utilities:** Three routine samples were *coliform*-positive. The repeat samples were *coliform*-absent.

- **Sandy Valley High School Clark County School District (CCSD):** Two routine samples were *coliform*-positive and *E. coli*-positive. Eight repeat samples were collected. One sample was *coliform*-positive and the remaining seven were *coliform*-absent. Overall, the water system triggered a Level 2 Assessment. That assessment level requires CCSD's close coordination with SNHD staff in order to resolve operational processes. Until further notice, the location must operate under a precautionary Tier 1 "Boil Water Order."
- B.** Staff continued to monitor water hauling activities for multiple public water systems: Trout Canyon; Laker Plaza; Red Rock Campground; Cowboy Trail Rides; Spring Mountain Youth Camp; and the Coyote Springs Golf Course.

V. SPECIAL PROGRAMS

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Special Programs - Fiscal Year Data

Special Programs	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
School Facility Kitchen Inspections	99	102	↑	534	558	↑
School Facility Kitchen Complaints	0	0	→	3	5	↑
School Facility Inspections	105	120	↑	524	636	↑
School Facility Complaints	9	5	↓	26	17	↓
Summer Food Service Surveys	0	0	→	39	13	↓
Child Care Facility Inspections	22	17	↓	205	209	↑
Child Care Facility Complaints	2	1	↓	18	15	↓
Body Art Facility Inspections	58	12	↓	382	322	↓
Body Art Facility Complaints	5	2	↓	33	14	↓
Body Art Artist Special Event Inspections	3	1	↓	264	148	↓
Total Program Services Completed	303	260	↓	2,028	1,937	↓

1. Schools:

A. Coral Academy of Science Las Vegas – Eastgate Campus, 7777 Eastgate Dr.:

Staff investigated a complaint alleging that the school experienced a power outage on January 6 and school administration failed to report it to SNHD as required by the regulations. Staff confirmed that the school lost power for two hours at the time of student dismissal. The outage was caused by a larger area-wide power disruption. School staff were on campus when the power was restored and verified that all kitchen refrigeration units restarted and were functioning properly. Staff instructed school administration to notify SNHD if power is lost. During the concurrent routine inspection, staff observed a new playground structure and surfacing that had been installed over winter break without prior approval from SNHD. Nevada Administrative Code requires that all playground equipment and surfacing plans be reviewed and approved prior to installation. The structure was taken out of use until the required plans and the installation were approved. After a review of the plans, the playground structure and surfacing were inspected and approved for use.

B. Basic High School, 400 Palo Verde Dr.: Staff responded to a complaint alleging an ongoing bed bug issue at the school. School administration reported that they were aware of the situation and had identified the sources. They also reported that the

facilities are inspected by a licensed pest control company each day, and that no infestations had been identified at the school. Bed bugs were introduced at the school by bugs falling off as individuals moved throughout the campus, and the pest control company treated the affected areas. Additionally, custodial staff increased the frequency that the carpets were steam cleaned. The school is no longer providing loaner physical education clothes, and costumes for an upcoming theater production will be assigned to individual students and stored separately. All costumes will be washed and dried prior to issuance to another student. School administration continues to actively collaborate with the licensed pest control company and Clark County School District administration. During the campus inspection by SNHD staff, no infestations of bedbugs were observed. During the concurrent routine inspection, SNHD staff observed a gym concession offering time/temperature control for safety (TCS) foods without a health permit. Concession stands must have health permits and the proper infrastructure to sell TCS foods. A Cease-and-Desist Order was issued. School administration was provided with a copy of the Food Service Policy for Schools for additional guidance regarding foods permitted to be sold at school concession stands.

- C. SLA Management at Coral Academy Science of Las Vegas - Nellis Air Force Base, 107 Stafford Ave.:** A routine inspection resulted in closure of the school kitchen due to a sewage spill. Food service staff were actively preparing foods as liquid waste backed up from a floor sink. SNHD staff suspended all food preparation and service, and kitchen staff discarded all open foods and implemented a contingency plan to serve students. Students were served prepackaged ready-to-eat foods out of the multi-purpose room until repairs were completed. The kitchen was reinspected and reopened ten days later.
- D. Indian Springs Elementary School, 400 Sky Rd.:** Staff investigated a complaint alleging that the restrooms for pre-kindergarten students were not operational. School administration reported that construction in the school parking lot resulted in a break to the water supply of the affected restrooms. During the outage, the nearest restrooms available were in a different building, within the maximum distance allowed. At the time of the investigation, the plumbing line had been repaired and the restrooms were functioning. School administration was reminded to notify the Health District whenever there is a water outage or other event that affects the public health and safety of the students.

2. **Body Art:**

- A. Capos Skin Art Tattoo Shop, 16 W. Pacific Ave.:** Staff and City of Henderson Business License representatives responded to a complaint about an unpermitted tattoo shop. Staff found a body art facility that was operating without proper permits or licenses. At the time of the investigation, patrons were present with the artist preparing to perform body art services. The artist stated that they were not the owner and the owner was not present. SNHD staff issued a Cease-and-Desist Order for all body art activities. The owner must apply for a body art permit and cannot resume operations until a valid health permit is approved, and the facility complies with local ordinances. The owner has not yet submitted plans to SNHD.
- B. Crown Electric Tattoo, 2470 E. Tropicana Ave.:** Staff investigated a complaint alleging that artists were smoking marijuana outside the facility, causing odors that were affecting neighboring businesses. During the investigation, the artist onsite reported that no smoking or vaping of any substances occurs inside the facility, and that body art services are not performed while artists or patrons are under the influence of intoxicating substances. Staff did not observe any individuals smoking inside or outside the facility. Review of consent forms confirmed that patrons are

required to disclose whether they are under the influence of drugs or alcohol prior to receiving a tattoo. The complaint was not substantiated at the time of the investigation. During the concurrent routine inspection, the facility could not provide a current sterilizer spore test. The most recent test available for review was dated August 2025, though regulations require monthly spore testing, with spore test records maintained onsite for a minimum of two years. The owner stated that spore testing is conducted monthly but that the records could not be located. SNHD staff removed the sterilizer from use until the missing spore test records were located and/or a new spore test was completed with passing results. Once the owner provided an adequate spore test, the unit was approved for use.

VI. PLAN REVIEW PROGRAM

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Plan Review Program - Fiscal Year Data

Food Pre-Permitting Services	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Food Safety Assessment Meetings	0	0	→	2	1	↓
Total Pre-Permitting Services	1,010	712	↓	7,166	6,379	↓
New Project Submissions	221	205	↓	1,593	1,686	↑
Completed Projects	226	248	↑	1,684	1,797	↑
Total Service Requests Currently in Pre-Permitting	1,254	1,174	↓			

1. Enforcement Actions and Investigations:

- A. Fogo De Chao at Venetian, 3377 S. Las Vegas Blvd.:** During a final permitting inspection, staff found unfinished food shields, exposed wood and laminate under bar tops, insufficient lighting in front service/cook areas, and unapproved finishes in bussing rooms including carpet and wood baseboards. Food shields are required to meet National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) standards for proper protection. Wood, laminate, and carpet are not allowed in wet areas due to the potential for water damage. Adequate lighting must be provided in food preparation areas. The health permits were approved with stipulations.
- B. Diamond Pho, 9270 S. Rainbow Blvd.:** Plans for a full-service restaurant with an extensive menu could not be approved due to inadequate refrigeration and lack of dry storage shelving indicated on the plans. SNHD Regulations require sufficient refrigeration space and dry storage areas that can support the planned operations and menu. Plan approval is pending the submittal of revised plans.
- C. Transylvania Bar and Bistro, 6160 W. Tropicana Ave.:** During a CPH inspection, the dish machine was removed from service due to inadequate drainboards and damage to the adjacent wall. Dish machines must be equipped with adequate drainboards to prevent water from spilling onto the floor and to allow for proper air-drying of kitchenware. Adjacent wall surfaces must be smooth and easily cleanable. The CPH was approved and a follow-up survey will be conducted once the required repairs have been completed.
- D. JW Marriott Cascade Banquet Prep, 221 N. Rampart Blvd.:** Plans were not approved due to inadequate hand sink coverage and lack of plumbing details. The plans did not indicate a hand sink within the food handling area and the floor sinks were not indicated on the plans. Plans must indicate minimum plumbing

requirements for approval. Revised plans including the hand sink and floor sink locations were approved and a final inspection is scheduled for the end of February.

- E. Sunset Water Store, 1004 W. Sunset Rd.:** During a CPH inspection, staff found the tile flooring in the food preparation area had been removed with portions of base cove missing. The floors were not leveled or sealed. Floors must be smooth and easily cleanable with coving provided at the floor wall junction. The permit holder agreed to replace the flooring under a compliance schedule. The CPH was approved with stipulations.
- F. Los Compadres Meat Market Dry Storage, 4377 E. Stewart Ave.:** During a final permitting inspection, staff noticed gaps under and between the entrance doors; broken floor tiles were observed at the store entrance and in the warehouse; the floor wall junctions were not coved; and there was no mop sink. SNHD Regulations require floors, walls, and ceiling finishes to be maintained in good repair. The person-in-charge (PIC) was instructed to replace all broken floor tiles, install cove base, replace damaged ceiling tiles, and install a mop sink within 10 days. The health permit was approved with stipulations.
- G. Henderson Christian Academy, 2750 Robindale Rd.:** During a CPH inspection of the childcare, staff saw that the toilet height in a preschool restroom was too high at 15 inches. SNHD Regulations require toilet height to be no more than 11 inches in preschool restrooms. The CPH was approved with stipulations. A follow-up inspection will be scheduled after corrections are completed.
- H. Just Boba at 99 Ranch, 820 S. Rampart Blvd.:** During a final permitting inspection, staff observed small holes in the walls and under sinks, base coving and grout in disrepair, and inadequate lighting levels in food preparation and storage areas. The health permit was approved with stipulations. All items listed in the report must be corrected within 10 business days.
- I. Electric Mushroom, 518 Fremont St.:** A final inspection of a portable bar failed due to an inoperable portable hand sink. The hand sink was also an unapproved design. SNHD Regulations require hand sinks to meet American National Standards Institute (ANSI)/NSF sanitation requirements and to provide hot water. A reinspection is still pending.

VII. AQUATIC HEALTH PROGRAM

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Aquatic Health Operations Program - Fiscal Year Data

Aquatic Health Operations	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Total Operation Inspections	609	408	↓	4,469	3,971	↓
Complaint Investigations	13	5	↓	167	194	↑
Inactive Body of Water Surveys	11	4	↓	56	66	↑
Drowning/Near Drowning/Accident Investigations at Permitted Facilities	1	0	↓	33	19	↓
Total Program Services Completed	634	417	↓	4,725	4,250	↓

1. Aquatic Health Operations

- A. Park at Spring Valley Apartments, 98 S. Martin Luther King Blvd.:** A routine inspection at the pool resulted in an IHH closure due to high cyanuric acid and a

broken main drain cover. High cyanuric acid reduces the effectiveness of chlorine, and a broken drain cover poses an entrapment hazard and increases the risk of drowning. A reinspection is still pending.

- B. Tierra Villas Apartments, 3540 N. Hualapai Way:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to high chlorine. High chlorine concentrations can cause skin, eye, and lung irritation. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the spa was approved to reopen.
- C. Green Valley Ranch, 2300 Paseo Verde Pkwy.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to low chlorine. Inadequate disinfection exposes bathers to pathogens that can make them sick. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the spa was approved to reopen.
- D. Wellness Sauna and Cryotherapy, 2950 E. Flamingo Rd.:** A complaint alleging that the operator had cold plunges for public use without health permits was investigated and verified. Five cold plunges were in operation without health permits. The facility will be allowed to operate the cold plunges until required permits are obtained, with the condition that the units be drained and refilled with fresh water between each customer. Once plans are reviewed and permits are approved, they may be allowed to resume recirculation and disinfection of the water.
- E. Fairfield Inn and Suites Las Vegas South, 5775 Dean Martin Dr.:** A routine inspection at the pool resulted in an IHH closure due to a gate that was unable to self-latch. An improperly functioning gate poses a drowning risk by allowing unattended children access to the pool area. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the pool was approved to reopen.
- F. Hampton Inn by Hilton Las Vegas Strip South, 7850 Giles St.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to low chlorine. A reinspection is still pending.
- G. Gateway Villas Apartments, 3200 McLeod Dr.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to low chlorine. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the spa was approved to reopen.
- H. Springhill Suites by Marriott, 6590 S. Decatur Blvd.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to low chlorine. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the spa was approved to reopen.
- I. Jardin Gardens Apartments, 125 E. Regena Ave.:** A routine inspection of the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to low chlorine. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the spa was approved to reopen.
- J. Valley View Senior Apartments, 1600 S. Valley View Blvd.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to a broken equalizer drain cover. Following corrections, a reinspection was conducted the same day, and the spa was approved to reopen.
- K. Encore Hotel and Casino, 3121 S. Las Vegas Blvd.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to broken equalizer drain covers. A reinspection is still pending.
- L. Copper Creek Homeowner's Association (HOA), 5601 Broadbent Blvd.:** A routine inspection at the spa resulted in an IHH closure due to broken main drain covers. A reinspection is still pending.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Aquatic Health Plan Review
Program - Fiscal Year Data**

Aquatic Health Plan Review	Jan. 2025	Jan. 2026		FY 24-25	FY 25-26	
Total Pre-Permitting Services	603	418	↓	3,282	2,744	↓
New Project Submissions	199	143	↓	816	954	↑
Completed Projects	143	110	↓	1,639	1,732	↑
Total Projects Currently in Plan Review	623	608	↓			

2. Aquatic Health Plan Review:

- A. Worldmark, 8601 S. Las Vegas Blvd.:** A plumbing inspection was conducted for the suction outlet fitting assembly (SOFA) updates on the Lazy River. During the inspection, staff saw that additional SOFAs had been changed without approval. SNHD Regulations require that all changes to SOFAs be reviewed prior to construction to prevent suction entrapments. The Lazy River remains closed until appropriate documentation has been received.
- B. Park MGM Hotel and Casino, 3770 S. Las Vegas Blvd.:** A field survey for the installation of an enclosure between the three pools was conducted. The height of the fence was below the minimum required height, which poses a drowning risk by allowing unsupervised access to the pool areas. The permit holder is in the process of updating the security plan to ensure adequate supervision of the aquatic venues.
- C. Decatur and Rome Senior Apartments, 4850 W. Rome Blvd.:** A final permitting inspection found that the depth markers on the spa did not match the actual depth of the spa, which could lead to bathers not knowing the water depth before they enter. Verification of corrections to the depth markers is still pending.
- D. Plaza Hotel, 1 S. Main St.:** An application for a SOFA remodel for the pool was not approved as the sump depths and pipe sizes listed did not correlate to an approved flow rating. Submission of a revised application is still pending.

VIII. TRAINING OFFICE

- 1. Training Office staff provided onsite intervention training to: Pupuseria La Salvadorena, 4911 Vegas Dr.; Express Hibachi, 4001 S. Decatur Blvd.; Fofana Imports Processing, 3913 W. Charleston Blvd.; Pollos Mexico, 2945 S. Nellis Blvd.; and Aloha Specialties Restaurant, 12 E. Ogden Ave.

IX. REGULATORY SUPPORT

- 1. Staff participated in or performed the following activities and participated in the following external meetings: Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO) Food Protection Education Resource Collection Committee and Local Retail Training Focus Group; National Environmental Health Association (NEHA) Food Safety Program Committee; NEHA Environmental Health Leadership Academy mentor meetings; Conference for Food Protection (CFP) Food Safety Culture at Retail Committee meeting; Western States Program Standards Network quarterly meeting; CFP Program Standards Committee meetings; assisted with Accela User Acceptance Testing reviews; Retail Flexible Funding Model (RFFM) Mentorship meeting; wrote grant applications and created budgets for the RFFM training and mentorship grants; worked on 2026 Crumline Award application; attended 8-hour Hazwoper Refresher training; and analyzed draft beer line data collection survey results and created a draft report.
- 2. Special Process staff coordinated and attended the Retail Specialized Processes

- Mentoring Program Quarterly Call on January 9.
3. Special Process staff participated in the Retail Program Standards Symposium Content and Education planning meeting on January 26.
 4. Special Process staff presented at the AFDO Advanced Inspector Boot Camp.
 5. Special Process and Label Review staff met with various operators in-person and in a virtual setting, via phone calls and virtual platform meetings, regarding submission of labels for review, waivers, operational plans, and Hazard and Critical Control Point plans.
 6. Special Process staff received three new submissions and released seven special process files affecting seven facilities. There are currently 19 files in review.
 7. Label Review staff received 12 new submissions and released five label files consisting of 82 labels. There are currently 22 active files in review.
 8. Cottage Food Operations staff completed 38 new registrations and 88 new inquiries, frequently with multiple follow-up inquiries per individual.

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