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PRESS RELEASE

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AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

Central Racine County Health Department is announcing the winners of its 2018-2019 Award of Excellence for food facilities. For the third year, Central Racine County Health Department is acknowledging food facilities that regularly meet a high standard of food safety by issuing an annual award to these facilities. This award is supported by our local food industry committee members as well as the Central Racine County Board of Health.

Facilities that qualify are licensed as a moderate complexity restaurant, high complexity restaurant, large potentially hazardous food retail store or small potentially hazardous food retail store.

Examples of facilities that may qualify are:

- Fast Food Restaurants
- Sit-Down Restaurants
- Restaurants with Banquet Facilities
- Restaurants with Buffets or Salad Bars
- Large Grocery Stores
- Large Convenience Stores
- Ice Cream Shops
- Bakeries
- Coffee Shops
- Take and Bake Pizza Stores

The criteria for the award are:

- No major (Priority¹) violations for two consecutive years of inspections.
- No moderate (Priority foundation¹) violations for one year of inspections.
- No more than six minor (Core¹) violations on average per year for two years.
- No confirmed foodborne illnesses associated with the facility in the past five years.
- No ongoing issues as identified by the Environmental Health Director.
 - As defined by the 2013 Wisconsin Food Code. https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/admin_code/atcp/055/75



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The following are examples of the different categories of violations:

Priority Violations

- Food employees not washing their hands when they should be.
- Food not cooked to proper temperatures.
- Food not stored at proper temperatures.
- Ill food employees working with the food.
- Cooked foods not cooled properly.

Priority Foundation Violations

- An accurate food thermometer is not present.
- Foods are not properly date marked.
- Records for fish and shellfish that are served raw or undercooked are not maintained.
- Customer self-service areas are not monitored by employees.
- Food employees are not washing their hands in the proper sinks.

Core Violations

- Floors, walls, ceilings and equipment are not clean.
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Certificates are issued after the end of the license year and state that the award was for the previous license year. For example, an award issued in August 2019 lists the license year 2018-2019.

Facilities that meet the criteria for the award receive a certificate they can post at their facility. Additionally, the list of facilities receiving the award are posted on our website and social media sites.



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The facilities receiving the 2018-2019 Central Racine County Health Department Award of Excellence are:

Facility Name

A & W All American Food

Arby's

Burlington High School

Cooper School Dairy Queen

Evergreen Elementary School Fox River Middle School

Java Joʻz

Jellystone Park

Kwik Trip McDonalds

McKenzie Food Service #2

Noodles & Company North Cape School

Olympia Brown Elementary

Pilot Travel Center

Real School Sil's Mini Donuts

Starbucks Subway

Taco Bell Woodfield Elementary School

Facility Address

13520 Northwestern Avenue, Franksville

13712 Northwestern Avenue, Franksville

400 McCanna Parkway, Burlington

249 Conkey Street, Burlington

324 S Pine Street, Burlington

817 West Main Street, Waterford

921 West Main Street, Waterford 29134 Evergreen Drive, Waterford

8425 Highway 38, Caledonia

7155 Durand Avenue, Mount Pleasant

5125 Douglas Avenue, Caledonia

2720 West 7-Mile Road, Raymond

5720 Washington Avenue, Mount Pleasant

11926 County Road K, North Cape 2115 5 ½ Mile Road, Caledonia

13712 Northwestern Avenue, Franksville 10116 Stellar Avenue, Mount Pleasant

2720 West 7-Mile Road, Raymond

5658 Washington Avenue, Mount Pleasant

818 Fox Lane, Waterford

5620 Washington Avenue, Mount Pleasant

905 Barnes Drive, Waterford

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