Northwest Iowa Food Safety Taskforce Meeting Minutes

September 17, 2024

Siouxland District Health Department

Attendees: Ed Navarrete (Navarette's), Lori Coyle (Rosecrance), Paul Reiken (Seaboard Triumph Foods), Phong Doan (Da Koa), Dave Chubb (Hard Rock Casino), Joye Cook-Levy (Tastee Inn & Out), Michelle Clausen-Rosendahl (SDHD), Rich Lefdal (Boathouse), Mike Leslie (Wingstop), Tyler Flanders (SDHD), Katrina Jackson (Culver's), Julie Schults (Bailey's Convenience Store), Jessica Rohan (Mercy), Alicia Sanders (SDHD), Miranda Viet (SDHD), Ivy Bremer (SDHD), Mary McCabe (Jimmy Johns),

- 1. Reviewed recent illness outbreaks
  - a. None
- 2. Reviewed recent Recalls
  - a. Boar's Head Deli Meat
  - b. https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts
- 3. Common Violations
  - a. Reviewed Siouxland District Health Department's common violations during routine inspections
    - i. Hand Sinks: not supplied with soap, paper towel, blocked and not accessible, food dumped in hand sinks, soiled hand sink
    - ii. Cross Contamination: storage of foods by cook temp, foods protected and stored to avoid contamination
    - iii. Adequate equipment: thermometer, test strips
- 4. Quarterly Newsletter
  - a. Emergency Response
  - b. How to calibrate a thermometer
- 5. Education
  - a. Plan ahead for emergencies: Power outage, flooding, water advisories
  - b. Rising Above the Floods: Experiences from the recent floods
- 6. Network/Sharing/Partner Discussions
  - a. Use of QR Code to review and obtain up to date information that links to website.
  - b. Magnets, stickers for staff binders, office doors, or to place on inspection reports
- 7. Invite others to Meetings
- 8. View additional information on our website at www.siouxlanddistricthealth.org
  - a. Agendas, Newsletters, Meeting Minutes, Presentations and other documents.
- 9. Next meeting December 16, 2024, at 1-2:30pm
  - a. Quarterly Newsletter
    - i. Looking for topics!
    - ii. Cellphone use