

Food Service Advisory Committee

Center for Health Protection Foodborne Illness Prevention Program Meeting Minutes, February 6 at 1pm MS Teams Virtual Meeting

Members Present:

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NAME	ORGANIZATION	
Greg Astley (Chair)	Oregon Restaurant and Lodging Association	
Kevin Sanderson (Vice Chair)	New Seasons Market	
Dan Tew	YUM! Brands	
Eric Mone	Conf. of Local Env. Health Supervisors (CLEHS)	
Jared Hibbard-Swanson	Oregon State University Extension	
Judy Craine	General Public	
Janelle Cometa	In N Out Burger	
Stacey Willson	Sodexo	
Lauren Jones	Oregon Department of Agriculture	

Members Absent:

NAME	ORGANIZATION
Katey Kennedy, Excused	Food and Drug Administration
Scott King	Elephants Deli

OHA, Public Health Division Staff:

NAME	OHA, Foodborne Illness Prevention Program
Erica Van Ess	FPLHS Program Manager
Craig Geddes	Consultation and Training Officer
Eric Evans	Consultation and Training Officer
Cris Hernández	Consultation and Training Officer

Guests:

NAME	ORGANIZATION
Shannon Fost	Multnomah County
Jeff Martin	Multnomah County
Abraham Shadbeh	Washington County
Jennifer Wessling	Washington County
Phillip Kailiuli	Douglas County
Taylor Hughes	Douglas County
Gary Yamhill	Umatilla County
Evan Magner	Malheur County
Paula Grendel	North Central Public Health District

Handouts provided to all attendees:

• Minutes from October 3, 2024 (in advance via email)

Roll Call and Introductions

It was determined that a quorum was present. (6)

Minutes from the October 3, 2024 Meeting

Approved with no changes. No discussion.

Welcome New Members Greg Astley Informational
Jannelle Cometa with In N Out Burger, the Food Safety QA field specialist for CA, OR and
WA. She has worked in industry for 10 years, with two years in the food safety role.

Lauren Jones with Oregon Department of Agriculture, the new program manager for retail foods and classified foods. She has been with ODA for 9 years.

Food Sanitation Rule/2022 FC Update Craig Geddes Informational Craig discussed the main items that are different between the Food Sanitation Rules and the 2022 FDA Food Code. There are over 200 changes, but many are small. OHA is working with ODA to ensure that the retail food rules remain consistent between agencies. Some of the major changes in the 2022 Food Code include a certified food manager requirement, vomit and diarrhea cleanup requirements, preventing contamination from bare hands, requirements around manufacturer cooking instructions, thawing procedures for vacuum packaged fish, adding sesame as a major food allergen along with consumer notification requirement, and lowering the temperature requirements for handwashing sink.

The committee discussed food allergens in some detail, with corporate partners already using this in some of their facilities. They are using tools like adding it to their point-of-sale systems (POS), requiring AllerTrain certification for managers, and QR codes that customers can scan for allergens and nutrition information. The group requested that OHA research how this is handled by small operations and not just corporate facilities.

Frod Sanitation Rule Adoption Erica Van Ess Informational Erica discussed the process and historical FSAC recommendations for prohibition of bare hand contact and food manager training requirements for the group to consider as OHA moves forward with these topics. The group discussed the food manager certification requirement in the 2022 Food Code in more detail and recommended looking at the rules used in Washington State, specifically language they might have about providing the training locally through an Oregon-based company.

Legislative updateErica Van Ess

Informational
Erica provided an update on the bills that the FPLHS program is tracking during the
current legislative session:

- SB 55 Lane Co Farm Café
- SB 366 Unlicensed egg handlers selling to restaurants
- SB 551 Restaurant and lodging plastic prohibition
- HB 2048 Requiring Commissaries for mobile units
- HB 3133
 Farm Stands selling food for immediate consumption

Reports from FSAC Committee Members and Foodborne Illness Program Staff

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Public Comments

No public comments

Adjourn - 2:15 PM

Next Scheduled Meetings:

May 1, 2025 August 7, 2025 November 6, 2025