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WHITMAN COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH FOOD PROTECTION PROGRAM ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURE SUMMARY

Routine Inspection:

Any routine inspections accumulating more than 40 red points will require an automatic first re-inspection within 2-4 weeks and will include a re-inspection fee of \$150.

Any routine inspection accumulating more than 50 combined red and blue points will require an automatic first re-inspection within 2-4 weeks and will include a re-inspection fee of \$150.

Any routine inspection accumulating 85 or more red points or 100 or more total points will result in immediate closure of establishment until all violations are corrected. Immediate closure will result in a Health Officer meeting.

First Re-inspection

Re-inspections will take place within 2-4 weeks of the initial failed inspection. All red and blue category violations cited on the initial failed inspection report will be the focus of the first re-inspection, however all violations observed during the first re-inspection cited will be addressed.

Unless part of a compliance schedule, any *egregious repeat violation* that continues to pose an immediate health risk OR a *failed first re-inspection* will result in a second re-inspection within 2-4 weeks at a fee of \$300.

Second Re-inspection

Unless part of a compliance schedule, any *egregious repeat violation* that continues to pose an immediate health risk OR a *failed second re-inspection* will result in permit suspension, which will require closure of the establishment. A Health Officer meeting with Whitman County Public Health Department will be arranged and an additional fee of \$500 will be charged. It is at this time that the permit holder must provide a statement to the Health Officer describing the correction of violation(s) in order to re-open the establishment.

Permit Re-instatement

After the Health Officer meeting, the establishment will be re-inspected for the corrected violations within ten business days. An establishment's permit will be re-instated after all fees have been paid.

Additional Routine Inspection

An additional routine inspection will be conducted within 2-4 weeks of a second re-inspection and/or re-instatement of a suspended permit.