

Health Regulation #1

Cooper County Public Health Center Board of Trustees

Authority: Missouri Revised Statutes, Chapter 192. Department of Health and Senior Services

Section 192.300

Counties may make additional health rules—fees maybe charged, deposit in county treasury, purpose— individuals unable to pay not to be denied health services—records and publications—violation a misdemeanor.

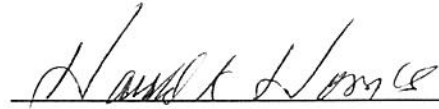
The Cooper County Board of Trustees on this day **7th of February 2012** hereby establish the health regulation of Mandatory Education for Food Safety Training for food service establishments as defined by the 1999 Missouri Food Code or any current edition as authorized by the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services.

- a. Basic Food Handler Training – No temporary or permanent food establishment shall remain open for business unless fifty (50%) of all food establishment personnel on duty at any time possess a Basic Food Handler Card. If the 50% trained food handler level is not attained due to employee turnover since the last offered training session, then training will be scheduled and a trained supervisory food handler will be responsible for onsite training and compliance issues until training can occur. To obtain such a card, the food establishment personnel must have attended a Basic Food Handler Safety Course (typically a two hour program) provided by the CCPHC or an equivalent training course approved by the CCPHC and provide evidence of satisfactory completion prior to the issuance of the card. The Basic Food Handler Safety Card shall be renewed every three (3) years.
- b. Supervisory Food Handler Training – No person shall manage a food Establishment unless such person possesses a Supervisory Food Handler Card. To obtain such a card the person shall have attended a Supervisory Food Handler Safety Course offered or approved by the CCPHC and provide evidence of successful completion prior to the issuance of the Card. In the case of newly opened food establishments, operation may Continue until the first date available for such food service training. The Supervisory Food Handler Card shall be renewed every three years.
- c. Fundraising Events, Festivals and other Community Events – The training requirement will become effective on January 1, 2013 for organizations preparing or selling food for fundraising events, festivals or other community events. This will allow the calendar year of 2012 to conduct outreach to these groups. Notification and education of the training requirement will be disseminated by CCPHC and the City. The CCPHC develops a calendar for training on a yearly basis and publishes in hard copy and on their website at www.coopercountypublichealth.com
- d. Food handlers at fundraising events, festivals and other community events are all encouraged to sign up for training class, however only one (1) food handler or person in charge of working the event is mandated to attend. In addition, if a food handler has received comparable training from another health department, reciprocity for the training will be recognized and credited.

e. Festival and other events – CCPHC will accept current basic or supervisory food education training from any other local, state, or federal agency.



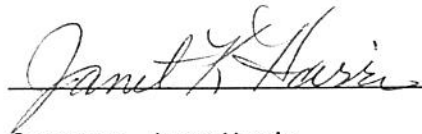
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RESOLUTION #8

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COOPER COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH CENTER HEALTH REGULATION #1

WHEREAS, the Cooper County Public Health Center (CCPHC), as the official Public Health agency of Cooper County, follows the Missouri State Department of Health Environmental Health Operations Guidelines for inspection of permanent and temporary food establishments in Cooper County; and

WHEREAS, the County Commission of Cooper County endorses the compliance of Cooper County Public Health Center (CCPHC) with the current 1999 Missouri Food Code; and

WHEREAS, The County Commission of Cooper County supports education, and enforcement of food safety regulations and inspection of all permanent and temporary food establishments in Cooper County by the Cooper County Public Health Center (CCPHC); and

WHEREAS, the Cooper County Public Health Center (CCPHC) possesses the authority to follow enforcement protocols pursuant to Department of Health regulation and Missouri State Statute if compliance is not achieved through voluntary training and education;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Cooper County Commission endorses the mandatory education in food safety training for food service establishments in Cooper County as set forth in Health Regulation #1 adopted by the Cooper County Public Health Center Board of Trustees, 7 February 2012.

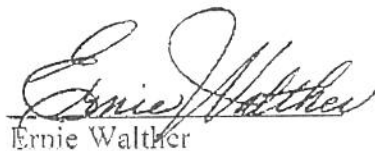
In witness, we have hereunto set our hand this 19th day of April, 2012.



Eddie Brickner
Presiding Commissioner



Paul Davis
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