

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Linvilla Orchards Inc. 137 W KNOWLTON ROAD MEDIA. PA 19063 Customer ID: 2284

Certificate: 23-C-0401

Site: 001

LINVILLA ORCHARDS, INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 14-AUG-2024

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Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

At the time of inspection the following animals were identified as needing veterinary care:

- -One turkey hen had significant feather loss on her lower back.
- In pen 12, there were two adult black and white hens (Light Braham), and one multi-colored hen (Mile Fleur) with significant feather loss on their backs.
- In pen 13, there was one adult brown and cream hen with significant feather loss on her back and neck.
- In pen 17, there was one adult multi-colored hen with significant feather loss on her back.

Lack of daily observations and communication with the attending veterinarian can result in worsening of the conditions. Feather loos can be caused by many factors including: an aggressive rooster, overbreeding, molting, mites, parasites, bacterial or fungal infections, poor nutrition, stress, boredom, bullying, and feather pulling. Birds that appear sick can be due to a variety of health conditions that require consultation with the attending veterinarian for accurate diagnosis and treatment.

The licensee must complete daily observations to assess the health and well-being of animals and frequent communication with the attending veterinarian to allow for timely and accurate information to be conveyed to the attending veterinarian on problems of animal health, behavior, and well-being. In addition, the facility must follow the attending veterinarians recommendations to record daily observations for the birds, separate birds that are sick, injured or being picked on, and to add saddles or aprons on birds with feather loss.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representative.

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Species Inspected

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2284	23-C-0401	001	LINVILLA ORCHARDS, INC	14-AUG-2024

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000006	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000006	Ovis aries aries	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000010	Odocoileus virginianus	WHITE-TAILED DEER
000002	Meleagris gallopavo domesticus	DOMESTIC TURKEY
000004	Pavo cristatus	INDIAN PEAFOWL / COMMON PEAFOWL / PEAHEN / PEACOCK
000143	Gallus gallus domesticus	DOMESTIC CHICKEN (INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS / TURKIN / COCK / HEN / ROOSTER)
000011	Anas platyrhynchos domesticus	DOMESTIC DUCK INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000016	Coturnix coturnix	COMMON QUAIL / EUROPEAN QUAIL
000198	Total	