



## Inspection Report

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Gulfarium  
1010 Miracle Strip Pkwy SE  
Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548

Customer ID: **3125**  
Certificate: **58-C-0963**  
Site: 001  
GULFARIUM

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 22-OCT-2024

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### 3.101(a)(1)

#### Facilities, general.

During inspection there was paint at Sea lion South pool, housing 3 California sea lions, that is in need of repair. This flaking paint can enter the water and impact the water quality or become an ingestion hazard to the sea lions.

Facilities where animals are housed must be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury.

Correct by November 6, 2024

### 3.154

#### Environment enhancement to promote psychological well-being.

The facility does not have an environmental enhancement plan in place to promote the overall psychological well-being of the birds at the facility. The facility currently has enrichment policies and approved enrichment devices that may be used for the penguins, but the pelicans are not included in this plan. Exhibitors must develop, document and follow a species appropriate plan for the environmental enhancement to promote the psychological well-being of the pelicans and penguins that is within industry standards and approved by the attending veterinarian. This plan must be made available for future inspections.

Correct by: Nov 6, 2024

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representative.

Additional Inspectors:

David Mersereau, VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER

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Date:  
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Received by Title: Facility Representative

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23-OCT-2024



### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
3125	58-C-0963	001	GULFARIUM	22-OCT-2024

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000011	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	BOTTLENOSE DOLPHIN
000008	<i>Zalophus californianus</i>	CALIFORNIA SEA LION
000005	<i>Phoca vitulina</i>	HARBOR SEAL
000002	<i>Aonyx cinereus</i>	ORIENTAL SMALL-CLAWED OTTER
000024	<i>Spheniscus demersus</i>	AFRICAN PENGUIN / CAPE PENGUIN
000002	<i>Pelecanus erythrorhynchos</i>	AMERICAN WHITE PELICAN
000002	<i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>	BROWN PELICAN
000054	<b>Total</b>	