



Inspection Report

City of Gadsden
PO Box 267
Gadsden, AL 35902

Customer ID: **3027**
Certificate: **64-C-0204**
Site: 001
City of Gadsden

Type: RE-LICENSE INSPECTION
Date: 18-JUN-2024

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Facilities, outdoor.

There are multiple sections of perimeter fences that are non-compliant, leaving the Artic fox, raccoon, Squirrel monkeys, and Mountain coatis without an adequate perimeter fence.

- A layer of pine straw mulch was added between the primary enclosure that housed an Artic fox and the perimeter fence. This substrate decreases the height of the perimeter fence in areas to 5'4 from the ground that contains the pine straw to the top of the fence.
- A layer of pine straw mulch was added between the primary enclosure that housed a male Mountain coati and the perimeter fence. This substrate decreases the height of the perimeter fence in areas to 5'4 from the ground that contains the pine straw to the top of the fence.
- A layer of pine straw mulch was added between the primary enclosure that housed a female Mountain coati and the perimeter fence. This substrate decreases the height of the perimeter fence in areas to 5'4 from the ground that contains the pine straw to the top of the fence.
- A layer of pine straw mulch was added between the primary enclosure that housed two Squirrel monkeys and the perimeter fence. This substrate decreases the height of the perimeter fence to 5'7 from the ground that contains the pine straw to the top of the fence.
- A layer of pine straw mulch was added between the primary enclosure that housed a raccoon and the perimeter fence. This substrate decreases the height of the perimeter fence to 5'2 from the ground that contains the pine straw to the top of the fence.

A perimeter fence less than six feet can allow unwanted animals or people to enter the facility and potentially harm the animals within. It also is unable to act as secondary containment for the animals and can lead to escape. The perimeter fence must be constructed so that it protects the animals in the facility by restricting animals and unauthorized persons from going through it or under it and having contact with the animals in the facility, and so that it can function as a secondary containment system for the animals in the facility. It must be of sufficient height (at least six feet high) to keep animals and unauthorized persons out. It must be of sufficient distance (at least three feet) from the outside of the primary enclosure to prevent physical contact between animals inside the enclosure and animals or persons outside the perimeter fence.

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This is a 1st Re-License Inspection for a Class "C" license. The inspection and exit briefing were conducted with the applicant.

All items must be in compliance within 2 more inspections or by 8/17/2024 - 60 days counted from 1st RL Inspection or the applicant will forfeit the license fee and must wait 6 months to reapply. Please contact your inspector to schedule your next Re-License Inspection.

Regulated activity can continue under your existing USDA license until it expires.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000006	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000001	<i>Lama glama</i>	LLAMA
000002	<i>Nasuella olivacea</i>	MOUNTAIN COATI
000001	<i>Ovis aries aries</i>	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000001	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	RACCOON
000001	<i>Vulpes lagopus</i>	ARCTIC FOX
000002	<i>Osphranter rufus</i>	RED KANGAROO
000001	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000001	<i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i>	EMU
000002	<i>Saimiri sciureus</i>	COMMON SQUIRREL MONKEY
000001	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000003	<i>Choloepus hoffmanni</i>	HOFFMANN'S TWO-TOED SLOTH
000007	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000002	<i>Columba unicincta</i>	AFEP PIGEON / GREY WOOD PIGEON
000002	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG
000001	<i>Ramphastos sulfuratus</i>	KEEL-BILLED TOUCAN
000001	<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	DOMESTIC FERRET
000035	Total	