



Inspection Report

City of Jackson Department and Parks and Recreation
Po Box 17
JACKSON, MS 39205

Customer ID: **508375**

Certificate: **65-C-0570**

Site: 001

CITY OF JACKSON
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND
RECREATION

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 31-OCT-2022

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Contingency planning.

The facility has not documented employee training on the facility's contingency/emergency response plan. Employee training is essential to successful emergency response planning and preparation. Correct by December 1st, 2022 by providing and documenting participation in and completion of training for personnel regarding their roles and responsibilities as outlined in the contingency plan.

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Employees.

The facility currently has only 5 out of 10 animal keepers who are working. The other 5 positions are functionally vacant due to personnel issues or true vacancies. As a result of the staffing shortage, employees are spending all day doing basic feeding and husbandry tasks while proactive maintenance programs, vegetation removal, and preventive pest control are not completed. Additionally, upper level zoo management, including the Deputy Director and Senior Animal Care Supervisor, as well as the Veterinary Technician, are currently spending a large amount of time doing basic animal feeding and husbandry tasks, which are not normally part of their job, and to the detriment of their regular job duties. Adequate staffing is essential for animal health and safety, public safety, emergency response, pest control, and sanitization of animal and food prep areas. Staff who are exhausted or overworked may be injured or may make mistakes

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that can affect animal- or public safety. Correct by Feb 1, 2023 by maintaining staffing at a level that permits the facility to maintain animal and employee safety, as well as adequate and professionally acceptable levels of animal husbandry.

This inspection was conducted with the Veterinary Technician and the Deputy Director, and the exit interview was conducted with the Deputy Director.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	<i>Canis rufus</i>	RED WOLF
000003	<i>Castor canadensis</i>	AMERICAN BEAVER
000001	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000004	<i>Pan troglodytes</i>	CHIMPANZEE
000002	<i>Colobus guereza</i>	EASTERN BLACK-AND-WHITE COLOBUS / GUEREZA
000002	<i>Hexaprotodon liberiensis</i>	PYGMY HIPPOPOTAMUS
000001	<i>Cercopithecus ascanius</i>	RED-TAILED MONKEY
000002	<i>Saguinus oedipus</i>	COTTON-TOP TAMARIN
000002	<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	DOMESTIC FERRET
000001	<i>Ursus thibetanus</i>	ASIATIC BLACK BEAR
000002	<i>Hylobates lar</i>	LAR GIBBON
000003	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA
000002	<i>Cercopithecus diana</i>	DIANA MONKEY
000001	<i>Giraffa camelopardalis</i>	GIRAFFE
000002	<i>Lontra canadensis</i>	NORTH AMERICAN RIVER OTTER
000002	<i>Prionailurus viverrinus</i>	FISHING CAT
000002	<i>Panthera tigris</i>	TIGER
000002	<i>Ateles fusciceps</i>	BROWN-HEADED SPIDER MONKEY
000001	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000004	<i>Puma concolor</i>	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000001	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i>	WHITE RHINOCEROS
000003	<i>Varecia rubra</i>	RED RUFFED LEMUR
000006	<i>Potamochoerus porcus</i>	RED RIVER HOG
000001	<i>Hippotragus niger</i>	SABLE ANTELOPE
000001	<i>Equus grevyi</i>	GREVY'S ZEBRA
000002	<i>Muntiacus reevesi</i>	REEVE'S MUNTJAC
000001	<i>Ursus americanus</i>	NORTH AMERICAN BLACK BEAR
000009	<i>Cynomys ludovicianus</i>	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
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