



## Inspection Report

WESTVIEW ORCHARDS

65075 Van Dyke Rd  
Washington, MI 48095

Customer ID: 7815

Certificate: 34-C-0352

Site: 001

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Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 02-OCT-2024

### 3.54(b)

#### Feeding.

The primary enclosure housing ten young rabbits has two ceramic crocks for the rabbit pellets fed to the rabbits. These crocks are large enough for the young rabbits to sit in while eating. There is rabbit feces mixed with the rabbit pellets and the rabbit pellets underneath cake the bottom of the crock.

Food that is contaminated with feces is not wholesome or palatable and caking food has deteriorated to a point that it may not be palatable or nutritious. Lack of a clean, nutritious and palatable food can lead to poor body condition and growth of the young rabbits.

Food receptacles shall be accessible to all rabbits in a primary enclosure and shall be located so as to minimize contamination by excreta. All food receptacles shall be kept clean and sanitized at least once every 2 weeks. If self feeders are used for the feeding of dry feed, measures must be taken to prevent molding, deterioration or caking of the feed.

To be corrected by October 9, 2024

### 3.153(c)

#### Primary enclosures.

The primary enclosure housing nine ducks does not have any water area for the ducks.

Lack of a water source can lead to poor feather quality, the inability to maintain an appropriate body temperature, and does not allow for them to clean their eyes and nostrils.

Primary enclosures housing wading and aquatic birds must contain a pool or other aquatic area (e.g., ponds, waterfalls, fountains, and other water features) and a dry area that allows easy ingress or egress of the pool or other aquatic area.

Pools and other aquatic areas must be of sufficient surface area and depth to allow each bird to make normal postural and social adjustments, such as immersion, bathing, swimming, and foraging, with adequate freedom of movement and freedom to escape from aggression demonstrated by other birds in the enclosure. Dry areas must be of sufficient size to allow each bird to make normal postural and social adjustments with adequate freedom of movement and freedom to escape from aggression demonstrated by other birds in the enclosure. Inadequate space may be indicated by evidence of malnutrition, poor condition, debility, stress, or abnormal behavior patterns.

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### 3.154

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

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There is no plan for environmental enhancement for the 46 chickens and 9 ducks held by the facility. Birds have complex needs which if unmet may cause stress, boredom, and the development of abnormal harmful behaviors.

Dealers, exhibitors, and research facilities must develop, document, and follow a species-appropriate plan for environment enhancement adequate to promote the psychological well-being of birds. The plan must be approved by the attending veterinarian and must be in accordance with the regulations in this subpart and with currently accepted professional standards as cited in appropriate professional journals or reference guides. This plan must be made available to APHIS upon request.

Corrected at time of inspection

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee and a family member.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
7815	34-C-0352	001	WESTVIEW ORCHARDS	02-OCT-2024

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000019	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000008	<i>Ovis aries aries</i>	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000025	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000046	<i>Gallus gallus domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC CHICKEN (INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS / TURKIN / COCK / HEN / ROOSTER)
000002	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000009	<i>Anas platyrhynchos domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC DUCK INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000109	<b>Total</b>	