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MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 1, 2006

TO: Hon. Members of the St. Charles Parish Council

FROM: Michael Henderson, Director Planning and Zoning 

RE: **PZHO 2006-62 Requested by Sergio and Juanita Cabrera**

It has come to our attention that the applicants for the above mentioned home occupation are in violation of the State Sanitary Code. Based on the information given to us by the State Health Officer (attached) we are changing our recommendation for this request to DENIAL.

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Cc: Karen Howat, State Health Officer
Hon. Albert Laque, Parish President
Tim Vial, Parish Administrator



Kathleen Babineaux Blanco
GOVERNOR

STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HOSPITALS



Fraterick P. Corise, M.D., M.P.H.
SECRETARY

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

RFL-12
(10/06/2006)

November 13, 2006

Sergio & Juanita Cabrera
21 Wagon Train Lane
St. Rose, LA 70087

RE: FOOD PREPARATION FOR SALE TO THE PUBLIC WITHOUT A PERMIT

It has come to our attention that you illegally cater food without a permit from this Department. You must cease operation immediately!

I direct your attention to the Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 51, State Sanitary Code, Part XXIII, Chapter 5, §501 A. which states:

"No person shall operate a food establishment or retail food store/market of any type without first having received a valid permit to operate from the state health officer. Permits are not transferable. A valid permit shall be posted in a location of the establishment conspicuous to the public."

The Louisiana State Sanitary Code regulates the permitting of all retail food establishments in order to prevent food poisoning and food-borne disease outbreaks.

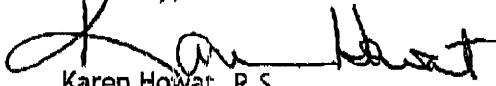
According to the Louisiana State Sanitary Code, the definition of a Food Service Establishment is any place where food is prepared and intended for individual portion service, and includes the site at which individual portions are provided. The term includes any such place regardless of whether the consumption is on or off the premises and regardless of whether there is a charge for the food.

If you wish to continue to prepare meals for the public, you must secure a Permit to Operate. Written application should be made on forms provided by this office. The permit shall be in the name of the owner, President of the corporation, or such other officer duly delegated by the corporation entity to act on behalf of the corporation.

Please contact me at 985-785-1029 for further information.

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"AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER"

Sincerely,



Karen Howat, R.S.
Sanitarian Parish Manager

cc: Teda Boudreaux, Sanitarian Regional Director
Occupational Licensing
Sales Tax Office
Planning & Zoning