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July 2, 2026

Licensee
The Willows
2918 7th Avenue North
Anoka, MN 55303

RE: Project Number(s) SL24668016

Dear Licensee:

The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) completed a survey on June 16, 2026, for the purpose of evaluating and assessing compliance with state licensing statutes. At the time of the survey, MDH noted violations of the laws pursuant to Minnesota Statute, Chapter 144G, Minnesota Food Code, Minnesota Rules Chapter 4626, Minnesota Statute 626.5572 and/or Minnesota Statute Chapter 260E.

MDH concludes the licensee is in substantial compliance. State law requires the facility must take action to correct the state correction orders and document the actions taken to comply in the facility's records. The Department reserves the right to return to the facility at any time should the Department receive a complaint or deem it necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of residents in your care.

STATE CORRECTION ORDERS

The enclosed State Form documents the state correction orders. MDH documents state licensing correction orders using federal software. Tag numbers are assigned to Minnesota state statutes for Assisted Living Facilities. The assigned tag number appears in the far left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state statute number and the corresponding text of the state statute out of compliance are listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column. This column also includes the findings that are in violation of the state statute after the statement, "This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by . . ."

IMPOSITION OF FINES

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.31, Subd. 4, fines and enforcement actions may be imposed based on the level and scope of the violations and may be imposed immediately with no opportunity to correct the violation first as follows:

Level 1: no fines or enforcement;

Level 2: a fine of \$500 per violation, in addition to any enforcement mechanism authorized in § 144G.20;

Level 3: a fine of \$1,000 per incident, in addition to any enforcement mechanism authorized in § 144G.20;

Level 4: a fine of \$3,000 per incident, in addition to any enforcement mechanism authorized in § 144G.20;

Level 5: a fine of \$5,000 per violation, in addition to any enforcement mechanism authorized in § 144G.20.

Therefore, in accordance with Minn. Stat. §§ 144G.01 to 144G.9999, the following fines are assessed pursuant to this survey:

0775 - 144g.45 Subd. 2. (a) - Fire Protection And Physical Environment - \$500.00

Therefore, in accordance with Minn. Stat. §§ 144G.01 to 144G.9999, **the total amount you are assessed is \$500.00**. You will be invoiced approximately 30 days after receipt of this notice, subject to appeal.

DOCUMENTATION OF ACTION TO COMPLY

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.30, Subd. 5(c), the licensee must document actions taken to comply with the correction orders within the time period outlined on the state form; however, plans of correction are not required to be submitted for approval.

The correction order documentation should include the following:

- Identify how the area(s) of noncompliance was corrected related to the resident(s)/employee(s) identified in the correction order.
- Identify how the area(s) of noncompliance was corrected for all of the provider's resident(s)/employees that may be affected by the noncompliance.
- Identify what changes to your systems and practices were made to ensure compliance with the specific statute(s).

CORRECTION ORDER RECONSIDERATION PROCESS

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.32, Subd. 2, you may challenge the correction order(s) issued, including the level and scope, and any fine assessed through the correction order reconsideration process. The request for reconsideration must be in writing and received by MDH within 15 calendar days of the correction order receipt date.

To submit a reconsideration request, please visit:

<https://forms.web.health.state.mn.us/form/HRDAppealsForm>

REQUESTING A HEARING

Alternatively, in accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.31, Subd. 5(d), an assisted living provider that has been assessed a fine under this subdivision has a right to a reconsideration or a hearing under this section and chapter 14. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 144G.20, Subd. 14 and Subd. 18, a request for a hearing must be in writing and received by the Department of Health within 15 business days of the correction order receipt date. The request must contain a brief and plain statement describing each matter or issue contested and any new information you believe constitutes a defense or mitigating

factor.

To submit a hearing request, please visit:

<https://forms.web.health.state.mn.us/form/HRDAppealsForm>

To appeal fines via reconsideration, please follow the procedure outlined above. Please note that you may request a reconsideration **or** a hearing, but not both. If you wish to contest tags without fines in a reconsideration and tags with the fines at a hearing, please submit two separate appeals forms at the website listed above.

The MDH Health Regulation Division (HRD) values your feedback about your experience during the survey and/or investigation process. Please fill out this anonymous provider feedback questionnaire at your convenience at this link: **<https://forms.office.com/g/Bm5uQEpHVva>**. Your input is important to us and will enable MDH to improve its processes and communication with providers.

You are encouraged to retain this document for your records. It is your responsibility to share the information contained in the letter and state form with your organization's Governing Body.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kelly Thorson".

Kelly Thorson, Supervisor

State Evaluation Team

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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 24668	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING _____		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/16/2026
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0 000	Initial Comments *****ATTENTION***** ASSISTED LIVING PROVIDER LICENSING CORRECTION ORDER(S) In accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 144G.08 to 144G.95, these correction orders are issued pursuant to a survey. Determination of whether violations are corrected requires compliance with all requirements provided at the Statute number indicated below. When Minnesota Statute contains several items, failure to comply with any of the items will be considered lack of compliance. INITIAL COMMENTS: SL24668016-0 On June 15, 2026, through June 16, 2026, the Minnesota Department of Health conducted a full survey at the above provider and the following correction orders are issued. At the time of the survey, there were seven resident(s); seven receiving services under the Assisted Living Facility license.	0 000	Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Correction Orders using federal software. Tag numbers have been assigned to Minnesota State Statutes for Assisted Living Facilities. The assigned tag number appears in the far-left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state Statute number and the corresponding text of the state Statute out of compliance is listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column. This column also includes the findings which are in violation of the state requirement after the statement, "This Minnesota requirement is not met as evidenced by." Following the evaluators' findings is the Time Period for Correction. PLEASE DISREGARD THE HEADING OF THE FOURTH COLUMN WHICH STATES,"PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION." THIS APPLIES TO FEDERAL DEFICIENCIES ONLY. THIS WILL APPEAR ON EACH PAGE. THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT TO SUBMIT A PLAN OF CORRECTION FOR VIOLATIONS OF MINNESOTA STATE STATUTES. THE LETTER IN THE LEFT COLUMN IS USED FOR TRACKING PURPOSES AND REFLECTS THE SCOPE AND LEVEL ISSUED PURSUANT TO 144G.31 SUBDIVISION 1-3.		
0 480 SS=F	144G.41 Subdivision 1 Subd. 1a (a-b) Minimum requirements; required food services	0 480			

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LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE

TITLE

(X6) DATE

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0 480	Continued From page 1 (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), food must be prepared and served according to the Minnesota Food Code, Minnesota Rules, chapter 4626. (b) For an assisted living facility with a licensed capacity of ten or fewer residents: (1) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 4626.0033, item A, the facility may share a certified food protection manager (CFPM) with one other facility located within a 60-mile radius and under common management provided the CFPM is present at each facility frequently enough to effectively administer, manage, and supervise each facility's food service operation; (2) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 4626.0545, item A, kick plates that are not removable or cannot be rotated open are allowed unless the facility has been issued repeated correction orders for violations of Minnesota Rules, part 4626.1565 or 4626.1570; (3) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 4626.0685, item A, the facility is not required to provide integral drainboards, utensil racks, or tables large enough to accommodate soiled and clean items that may accumulate during hours of operation provided soiled items do not contaminate clean items, surfaces, or food, and clean equipment and dishes are air dried in a manner that prevents contamination before storage; (4) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 4626.1070, item A, the facility is not required to install a dedicated handwashing sink in its existing kitchen provided it designates one well of a two-compartment sink for use only as a handwashing sink; (5) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, parts 4626.1325, 4626.1335, and 4626.1360, item A, existing floor, wall, and ceiling finishes are	0 480			

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0 480	Continued From page 2 allowed provided the facility keeps them clean and in good condition; (6) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 4626.1375, shielded or shatter-resistant lightbulbs are not required, but if a light bulb breaks, the facility must discard all exposed food and fully clean all equipment, dishes, and surfaces to remove any glass particles; and (7) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 4626.1390, toilet rooms are not required to be provided with a self-closing door. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to ensure food was prepared and served according to the Minnesota Food Code. This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death), and is issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has the potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents). The findings include: Please refer to the document titled, Food and Beverage Establishment Inspection Report (FBEIR) dated June 16, 2026, for the specific Minnesota Food Code violations. The Inspection Report was provided to the licensee within 24 hours of the inspection.	0 480			

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0 480	Continued From page 3	0 480			
0 660 SS=F	144G.42 Subd. 9 Tuberculosis prevention and control (a) The facility must establish and maintain a comprehensive tuberculosis infection control program according to the most current tuberculosis infection control guidelines issued by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Division of Tuberculosis Elimination, as published in the CDC's Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report. The program must include a tuberculosis infection control plan that covers all paid and unpaid employees, contractors, students, and regularly scheduled volunteers. The commissioner shall provide technical assistance regarding implementation of the guidelines. (b) The facility must maintain written evidence of compliance with this subdivision. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to establish and maintain a tuberculosis (TB) prevention program based on the most current guidelines issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Minnesota Department of Health (MDH), including a current two step tuberculin skin test (TST) or QuantiFERON GOLD, per the licensee's policy for two of two employees (clinical nurse supervisor (CNS)-B, and (unlicensed personnel (ULP)-D. This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or	0 660			

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0 660	Continued From page 4 safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death), and is issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has the potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents). The findings include: During the entrance conference on June 15, 2026, at 10:45 a.m., licensed assisted living director (LALD)-A, and CNS-B stated the licensee was familiar with the current minimum assisted living requirements. The facility's TB assessment was completed February 3, 2026, and the facility was determined to be at a low risk level. CNS-B CNS-B began employment on December 18, 2023, to supervise staff and provide direct care services to residents. CNS-B's employee record included a completed history and symptom screening for active TB. However, CNS-B's QuantiFERON Gold test was dated October 20, 2022, more than 90 days before date of hire. ULP-D ULP-D began employment on August 20, 2020, to provide direct care services to residents. ULP-D's employee record lacked a negative TB TST, IGRA blood draw. ULP-D's record also lacked history and symptom screening for active TB.	0 660			

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0 660	Continued From page 5 Throughout the survey, CNS-B and ULP-D were observed providing care and services to the licensee's residents. On June 16, 2026, at 4:10 p.m., LALD-A was unable to find CNS-B's two step TST, and ULP-D's TB screening form or documentation of a completed IGRA, or TST, LALD-A was unsure why neither were not competed. LALD-A stated the licensee's human resources (HR) department completed employee new orientation requirements, and HR was unable to provide a TST, from CNS-B's hire date. The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) guidelines, Regulations for Tuberculosis Control in Minnesota Health Care Settings, dated July 2013, and based on CDC guidelines, indicated an employee may begin working with patients after a negative TB history and symptom screen (no symptoms of active TB disease) and a negative IGRA (serum blood test) or TST (first step) dated within 90 days before hire. The second TST may be performed after the HCW (health care worker) starts working with patients. Baseline TB screening should be documented in the employees' record. In addition, the guidelines include, "TB training is required at time of hire for all HCWs." The Licensee's Infection Control Policy dated June 2021, indicated new staff will be screened for active signs of TB using the baseline screening tool for healthcare workers (HCW)'s, new staff will have an integrated gamma release assay (IGRA) blood test or a two-step TST conducted, and results will be documented on the baseline TB screening tool for HCW's. No staff will be permitted to begin work where the work	0 660			

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0 660	Continued From page 6 involves sharing the air space with residents until the negative results of the first Mantoux are read and documented or a negative IGRA blood test result is received and documented. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	0 660			
0 775 SS=F	144G.45 Subd. 2. (a) Fire protection and physical environment Each assisted living facility must comply with the State Fire Code in Minnesota Rules, chapter 7511, and: This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to ensure the physical environment of the facility was maintained in compliance with the requirements of Minnesota Statute 144G. This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death) and was issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has the potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents). The findings include: Please refer to the document titled, Physical Environment Inspection Report (PEIR) dated	0 775			

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0 775	Continued From page 7 June 16, 2026, for the specific violations related the physical environment under Minnesota Statute 144G. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: SEVEN (7) days.	0 775			
0 800 SS=F	144G.45 Subd. 2 (a) (4) Fire protection and physical environment (4) keep the physical environment, including walls, floors, ceiling, all furnishings, grounds, systems, and equipment in a continuous state of good repair and operation with regard to the health, safety, comfort, and well-being of the residents in accordance with a maintenance and repair program. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to ensure the physical environment of the facility was maintained in compliance with the requirements of Minnesota Statute 144G. This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death) and was issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has the potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents).	0 800			

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0 800	Continued From page 8 The findings include: Please refer to the document titled, Physical Environment Inspection Report (PEIR) dated June 16, 2026, for the specific violations related the physical environment under Minnesota Statute 144G. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: SEVEN (7) days.	0 800			



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Minnesota Department of Health
625 Robert St N, PO BOX 64975
St Paul, MN 55164
Phone: 651-201-4500

Food & Beverage Inspection Report

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Establishment Info

The Willows
2918 7TH AVENUE NORTH
Anoka, MN 55303
Anoka County
Parcel:

Phone:
bstanley@wpassistedliving.com

License Info

License: HFID 24668

Risk:
License:
Expires on:
CFPM: VACANT - SERVSAFE
BERINDA STANLEY 3/9/26
CFPM #: ; Exp:

Inspection Info

Report Number: F1029261192
Inspection Type: Full - Single
Date: 6/16/2026 Time: 11:05 AM
Duration: minutes
Announced Inspection:
Total Priority 1 Orders: 1
Total Priority 2 Orders: 0
Total Priority 3 Orders: 7
Delivery:

New Order: 2-100 Supervision

2-102.12AMN Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 2

MN Rule 4626.0033A Employ a certified food protection manager (CFPM) for the establishment.

COMMENT: SERVSAFE COMPLETION CERTIFICATE FROM 3/9/2026 PRESENT BUT MN ISSUED CFPM

CERTIFICATE ABSENT. PIC INSTRUCTED TO ENSURE COMPLETION CERTIFICATE IS USED BY 9/8/2026 TO
APPLY FOR THE MN CFPM CERTIFICATE AND TO POST THE MN CFPM CERTIFICATE ONCE OBTAINED.

<https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/food/cfpm/index.html>

<https://mn-mdh.portal.opengov.com/categories/1087/record-types/6498>

Comply By: 7/31/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026

New Order: 3-300C Protection from Contamination: equipment/utensils, consumers

3-307.11 Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 39

MN Rule 4626.0337 Protect food from miscellaneous sources of contamination.

COMMENT: METAL SCREW WITH CLEAN DISHES IN CABINET. REMOVED DURING INSPECTION. PIC

INSTRUCTED TO ENSURE ESTABLISHMENT STAFF ARE OBSERVANT FOR MISCELLANEOUS CONTAMINANTS
AND TO REMOVE IF IDENTIFIED.

Comply By: 6/16/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026

! New Order: 3-500D Microbial Control: disposition of food

3-501.18A Priority Level: Priority 1 CFP#: 23

MN Rule 4626.0405A Discard all TCS food prepared in the establishment or opened commercially packaged food when the
time exceeds 7 days from the preparation or opening date or if the container or package is not marked.

COMMENT: OPENED DELI MEATS DATE MARKED 6/1 AND 5/25 DISCARDED BY PIC. PIC INSTRUCTED TO
DISCARD REQUIRED ITEMS AFTER 7 DAYS. DANGERS OF LISTERIOSIS REVIEWED.

Comply By: 6/16/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026

New Order: 6-200 Physical Facility Design and Construction

6-202.11A Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 56

MN Rule 4626.1375A Provide effective shielding, coated or shatter-resistant light bulbs for all light fixtures where there is
exposed food, clean equipment, utensils and linens, or unwrapped single-service or single-use articles.

COMMENT: LIGHT SHIELDING MISSING ABOVE DOWNSTAIRS FRIDGE AREA. PIC INSTRUCTED TO ENSURE
LIGHT SHIELDING IS REPLACED OR THE LIGHT BULBS ARE SELF-SHIELDED.

Comply By: 7/31/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026

New Order: 6-300 Physical Facility Numbers and Capacities6-303.11C *Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 56**MN Rule 4626.1470C* Provide at least 50 foot candles (540 LUX) of light intensity for areas where food employees are working with utensils and equipment where safety is a factor.

COMMENT: KITCHEN LIGHTING TOO DIM. ENSURE KITCHEN LIGHTING IS BRIGHT ENOUGH TO EFFECTIVELY CLEAN SURFACES AND PREPARE FOODS.

*Comply By: 7/31/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026***New Order: 6-500 Physical Facility Maintenance/Operation and Pest Control**6-501.11 *Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 55**MN Rule 4626.1515* Maintain the physical facilities in good repair.

COMMENT: ROUGH CEILING WITH SPLATTERING AND RESIDUES. PIC INSTRUCTED TO ENSURE CEILING IS CLEAN, SMOOTH, AND EASILY CLEANABLE.

*Comply By: 10/31/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026***New Order: 6-500 Physical Facility Maintenance/Operation and Pest Control**6-501.12A *Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 55**MN Rule 4626.1520A* Clean and maintain all physical facilities clean.

COMMENT: FOOD DEBRIS AND RESIDUES IN CABINETS. PIC INSTRUCTED TO CLEAN AND MAINTAIN CLEAN.

*Comply By: 6/17/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026***New Order: 6-500 Physical Facility Maintenance/Operation and Pest Control**6-501.19 *Priority Level: Priority 3 CFP#: 53**MN Rule 4626.1555* Keep the toilet room doors closed except during cleaning and maintenance operations.

COMMENT: TOILET ROOM DOOR OPEN. PIC INSTRUCTED TO KEEP CLOSED WHEN NOT CLEANING OR MAINTAINING.

Comply By: 6/16/2026 Originally Issued On: 6/16/2026

Food & Beverage General Comment

FOOD AND BEVERAGE INSPECTION OF ALF CONDUCTED AS PART OF HRD NURSING SURVEY OF FACILITY.

SURVEYOR: WENDY ROBARGE MSN, RN, PHN HFE-NURSING EVALUATOR II

ESTABLISHMENT RESIDENTIAL IN NATURE WITH LAMINATE FLOORING, WOOD/COMPOSITE WOOD CABINETS AND DRAWERS, LAMINATE COUNTERTOPS, SMOOTH PAINTED WALLS, AND TEXTURED CEILING. ESTABLISHMENT USES HIGH HEAT SANITIZING DISHWASHER TO SANITIZE EQUIPMENT AND UTENSILS.

OPERATOR/PIC: BERINDA STANLEY

IDENTIFIED CORRECTION ORDERS REVIEWED WITH OPERATOR DURING INSPECTION.

NOTE: All new food equipment must meet the applicable standards of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). Plans and specifications must be submitted for review and approval prior to new construction, remodeling or alterations.

I acknowledge receipt of the Metro District Office inspection report number F1029261192 from 6/16/2026

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Temperature Observations/Recordings

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Establishment Info

The Willows
Anoka
County/Group: Anoka County

Inspection Info

Report Number: F1029261192
Inspection Type: Full
Date: 6/16/2026
Time: 11:05 AM

New Record: Product/Item/Unit: SOUR CREAM; **Temperature Process:** Cold-Holding

Location: MAIN FLOOR FRIDGE at 35 Degrees F.

Comment:

Violation Issued?: No

New Record: Product/Item/Unit: MILK ; **Temperature Process:** Cold-Holding

Location: DOWNSTAIRS FRIDGE at 41 Degrees F.

Comment:

Violation Issued?: No



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Sanitizer Observations/Recordings

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Anoka
County/Group: Anoka County

Inspection Info

Report Number: F1029261192
Inspection Type: Full
Date: 6/16/2026
Time: 11:05 AM

Sanitizing Equipment: Product: Hot Water; **Sanitizing Process:** Dish Machine
Location: Greater Than 150 Degrees F.
Comment:
Violation Issued?: No

Physical Environment Inspection Report

ENGINEERING | ASSISTED LIVING

Project No: SL24668016	Date: 6/16/2026
Facility Name: The Willows	
Facility Address: 2918 7 th Ave. North Anoka, MN 55303	

☒ **TAG IDENTIFICATION: 0775**

SCOPE/ SEVERITY: Level 2; Widespread

TIME PERIOD OF CORRECTION: Seven (7) days

1. Each assisted living facility must comply with the provisions of the Minnesota State Fire Code (MSFC) in Minnesota Rules chapter 7511. [Minn. Stat. 144G.45 subd. 2]
2. Egress doors shall be readily operable from the egress side without the use of a key or special knowledge. [Minn. Stat. 144G.45 subd. 2; MSFC 1010.1.9]

Comments: There was a child proof latch installed on the door going to the basement. It required special knowledge to operate the latch which could lead to a delay in egress in a fire or similar emergency. Maintenance (M)-E stated that in case there was a confused resident living here and had a concern with them opening this door and falling down the stairs. Any gates in the path of egress shall be readily operable from the egress side without the use of a key or special knowledge.

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1. The physical environment, including walls, floors, ceiling, all furnishings, grounds, systems, and equipment are in a continuous state of good repair and operation with regard to the health, safety, comfort, and well-being of the residents in accordance with a maintenance and repair program. [Minn. Stat. 144G.45 subd.2]

Comments: Finishes were coming off the door on bedroom #1. Trim was coming off the doorway and there were holes in the door on bedroom #5. Carpet going down the stairs to the basement and the in the living room on the main floor was heavily soiled. Finishes were worn off the backyard deck.