

Sauced BBQ & Spirits Orange
1535 W Katella Ave, Orange, Ca
Restaurant/Entertainment
Sun-Thu 11AM-10PM
Fri-Sat 11AM-11PM

To whom it may concern:

Sauced BBQ & Spirits locations are full-service restaurant specializing in BBQ, southern-inspired cocktails, large screen TVs, and axe throwing. We currently have 2 other locations which offer axe throwing. They are as follow:

1410 Locust Ave, Walnut Creek, Ca 94596 (925)433-5957

1028 7th Street, Sacramento, Ca 95128 (916)400-4341

The structure was an existing large restaurant we took over called Old Crow Smokehouse with around 7600 sq ft inside and a 1200 sq ft patio. The surrounding area is mixed use commercial made of almost exclusively of several other restaurants and a movie theater.

We are applying for a conditional use permit to allow the axe throwing as a Commercial Recreation Facility.” The axe throwing helps us create a unique environment inside the restaurant which helps us stand out from the competition and allows our guests another great experience that isn’t found anywhere in the areas inside full-service food-centric restaurants.

Operation of the Axe Lanes:

We do not contract a third party. We run these ourselves. Reservations are not required.

There are 5 lanes, each protected by a cage along the aisle to make sure axes stay within the designated area. Customers must wear closed toed shoes, must not be inebriated, and cannot order shots or double drunks before or during axe throwing. The axe throwers are trained inside the axe throwing cage one at a time, by the axe coach(es)

There is only 1 person per lane at a time and there are always at least one assigned axe coach to the area. On the weekends we have 2 staff members assigned as coaches. The hours of operation are Mon-Thu 3PM-10PM, and Fri-Sun 12:00PM to 10:00PM. Customers are allowed to eat and drink outside of the axe cages before, during, and after, but not inside.

When the axe throwers come in, they are seated at one of the tables in the restaurant close to the axe throwing which is their home base during throwing. The people who are not currently throwing sit at the table waiting for their turn. They are not allowed to eat or drink in the axe cage so this happens at the table. They are using the same space as was previously allotted for the public as they take up one of our tables. The amount of people who throw axes and eat or drink at the establishment is near 100%. In the rare case they are not eating or drinking they are occupying the same space as someone who would otherwise.

Access to the building is mainly through the front door. Our crowds are not rowdy, so we do not require specific security personnel. Our managers are trained to handle any guest issues. There have been no incidents or calls for service at any locations.

The axes are stored near the axe cages (to the left), in an area accessed by Sourced employees. The axes are stored and locked up in a tool box that requires a key by an employee. Customers do not bring in their own axes. If a customer does not comply with the rules, a manager on duty will approach them, as we do in all areas of the restaurant, and give them a chance to follow the rules or ask them to leave.

Thank you,

Barrett Gomes