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DATE: February 11, 2015

TO: All Local Health Departments
Attn: Chief Food Inspection Officer

FROM: *Laurie Kidwell*
Laurie Kidwell, RRT Supervisor
Food Protection Program

SUBJECT: Whole Foods Markets, Inc. - RECALL [Food]

**AFFECTED
PRODUCT:** Ready to eat products

SUMMARY: Class I Recall; The recall has been initiated because the product contains peanut, a known allergen which is not declared on the product label.

The following products are subject to recall:

- 16 lb bulk containers of "CHILI, TURKEY AND BLACK BEAN" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 16 lb bulk containers of "CHILI, BRAISED BEEF" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15
- 24 oz packages of "CHICKEN CHILI BURRITO" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 24 oz packages of "PORK CARNITAS BURRITO" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 24 oz packages of "GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST QUESADILLA" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 10 lb bulk containers of "CHICKEN CHILI VERDE" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 10 lb bulk container of "PORK CARNITAS" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 1.5 lb packages of "CHILI, TURKEY & BLACK BEAN" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 1.5 lb packages of "CHILI, BRAISED BEEF" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 23 oz packages of "BLAZIN' BEEF CHILI" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15.
- 10 lb bulk containers of "Beef for Barbacoa (Beef and Onions in Spicy Sauce)" with production dates of 1/14/15 to 2/5/15

The items were produced on various dates from January 14, 2015 through February 5, 2015. The products bear the establishment number "20234" and "18768" inside the USDA mark of inspection and have the sell by date printed on the product label.

The products were shipped to retail outlets in the nearby states of Kentucky and Ohio.

**SUGGESTED
ACTION:** Recommend notification of affected parties via phone, fax, or e-mail. Consumers with questions about the recall can contact Whole Foods Markets Customer Service at 1-512-477-5566 extension 20060. Media with questions about the recall can contact Michael Silverman, Director of Media Relations at 1-512-542-3031. Furthermore, if any recalled products are found, notify this office at 317-233-8475.



Recall -- Firm Press Release

FDA posts press releases and other notices of recalls and market withdrawals from the firms involved as a service to consumers, the media, and other interested parties. FDA does not endorse either the product or the company.

Whole Foods Markets, Inc. Recalls Products Due to Misbranding and an Undeclared Allergen

Class I Recall 030-2015
Health Risk: High Feb 10, 2015

Congressional and Public Affairs
Benjamin Bell
(202) 720-9113

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10, 2015 – Whole Foods Markets, Inc. is recalling approximately 33,191 pounds of ready to eat products due to misbranding and an undeclared allergen, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) announced today. The product contains peanut, a known allergen which is not declared on the product label.

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The items were produced on various dates from January 14, 2015 through February 5, 2015. The products bear the establishment number “20234” and “18768” inside the USDA mark of inspection and have the sell by date printed on the product label. The products were shipped to retail outlets in Connecticut, Kentucky, Ohio, Maryland, Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Virginia, and the District of Columbia.

The problem was discovered when a Whole Foods manufacturing plant was notified by its spice supplier that cumin used in the chili may have been contaminated with peanut allergens.

FSIS and the company have received no reports of adverse reactions due to consumption of these products. Anyone concerned about a reaction should contact a healthcare provider.

FSIS routinely conducts recall effectiveness checks to verify recalling firms notify their customers of the recall and that steps are taken to make certain that the product is no longer available to

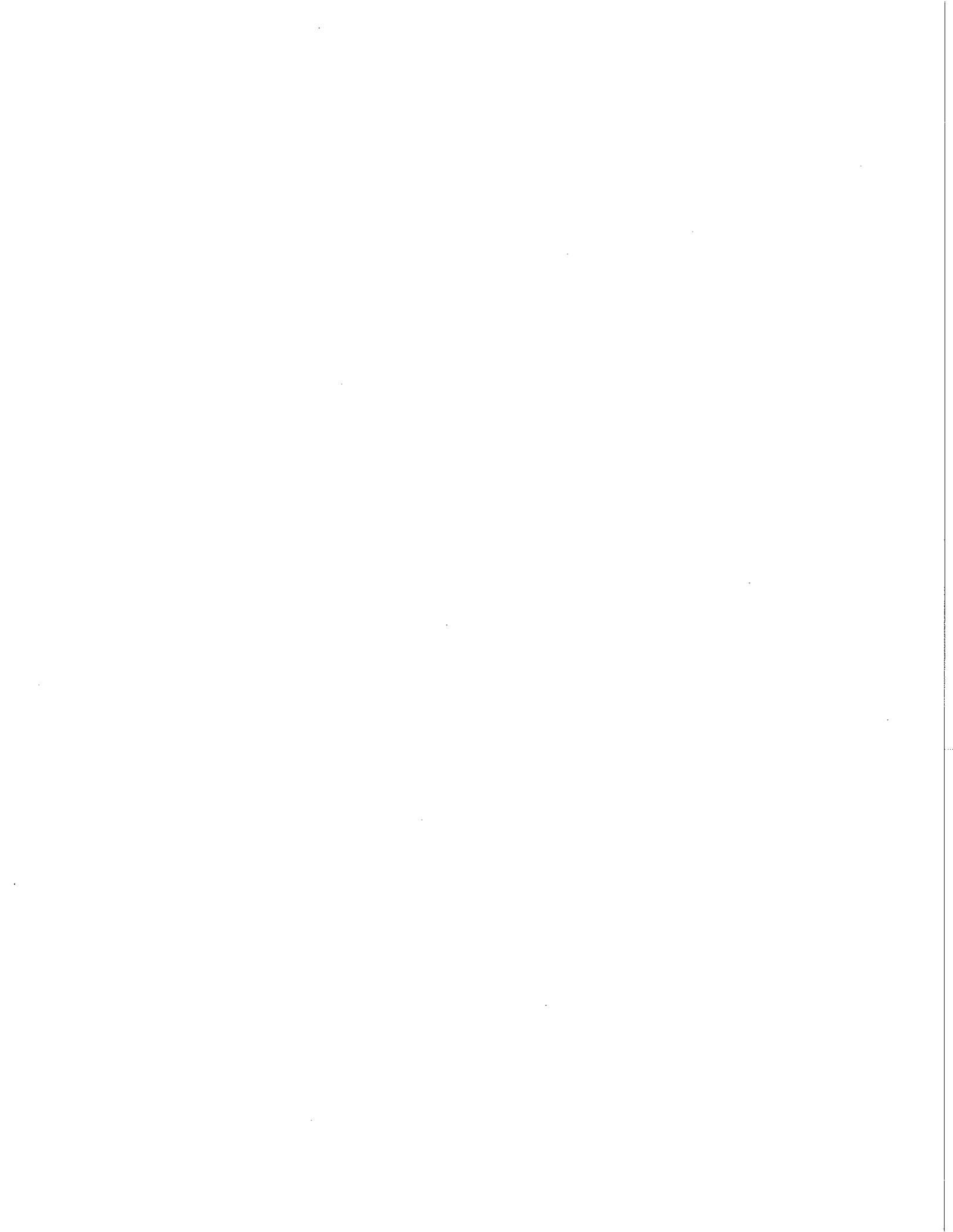
consumers. When available, the retail distribution list(s) will be posted on the FSIS website at www.fsis.usda.gov/recalls.

Consumers with questions about the recall can contact Whole Foods Markets Customer Service at 1-512-477-5566 extension 20060. Media with questions about the recall can contact the Michael Silverman, Director of Media Relations at 1-512-542-3031.

Consumers with food safety questions can "Ask Karen," the FSIS virtual representative available 24 hours a day at AskKaren.gov or via smartphone at m.askkaren.gov. The toll-free USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline 1-888-MPHotline (1-888-674-6854) is available in English and Spanish and can be reached from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Eastern Time) Monday through Friday. Recorded food safety messages are available 24 hours a day. The online Electronic Consumer Complaint Monitoring System can be accessed 24 hours a day at: <http://www.fsis.usda.gov/reportproblem>.

USDA Recall Classifications	
Class I	This is a health hazard situation where there is a reasonable probability that the use of the product will cause serious, adverse health consequences or death.
Class II	This is a health hazard situation where there is a remote probability of adverse health consequences from the use of the product.
Class III	This is a situation where the use of the product will not cause adverse health consequences.

Last Modified Feb 10, 2015



PORK CARNITAS BURRITO

SELL BY:
02.14.15

INGREDIENTS: JALAPENO TORTILLA (ENRICHED UNBLEACHED HALTED FLOUR (WHEAT FLOUR, HALTED BARLEY FLOUR, NIACIN, REDUCED IRON, THIAMINE MONONITRATE (VITAMIN B1), RIBOFLAVIN (VITAMIN B2), FOLIC ACID (VITAMIN B9)), WATER, SUNFLOWER OIL, SALT, CULTURED WHEAT FLOUR, SOY LECITHIN (EMULSIFIER), LEAVENINGS (SODIUM ACID PYROPHOSPHATE, SODIUM BICARBONATE), GREEN JALAPENO, JALAPENO POWDER, CITRIC ACID), WATER, PORK, BROWN RICE, QUESO FRESCO CHEESE (CULTURED PASTEURIZED WHOLE MILK, SALT, NON-ANIMAL KOSHER RENNET), AVOCADO, TOMATOES (TOMATOES, TOMATO JUICE, SALT, CALCIUM CHLORIDE AND CITRIC ACID), ONION, KIDNEY BEANS, GARLIC, LIME JUICE, SEA SALT, CANOLA OIL, CUMIN, CHIPOTLE (CHIPOTLE PEPPERS), WATER, TOMATO PUREE, VEGETABLE OIL (CORN OR SAFFLOWER), WHEAT FLOUR, SALT, VINEGAR, STARCH, ONION POWDER, GARLIC POWDER, CARAMEL COLOR AND SPICES), EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL, CANOLA OIL, DREGANO, CHILI POWDER, CHILI PEPPER, PAPRIKA, CILANTRO, PEPPER, BAY,
PRODUCT CONTAINS: MILK, SOY, & WHEAT.

TOTAL #: 1



UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
\$9.32	\$6.99

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CHICKEN CHILI BURRITO

SELL BY:
02.14.15

Spinach Tortilla (Enriched unbleached halted flour (wheat flour, halted barley flour, niacin, reduced iron, thiamine mononitrate (vitamin B1), riboflavin (vitamin B2), folic acid (vitamin B9)), water, sunflower oil, Spinach, cultured wheat flour, salt, soy lecithin (emulsifier), leavenings (sodium acid pyrophosphate, sodium bicarbonate, monocalcium phosphate), citric acid, cornstarch), Chicken, Brown rice, Lecithin (maltitol, water, citric acid, salt, calcium chloride), Water, Onion, Bell Pepper, Poblano Pepper, Canola Oil, Garlic, Sea Salt, Cumin, Jalapeno Pepper, Lime Juice, Cilantro, Chili Pepper, Paprika,
PRODUCT CONTAINS: WHEAT & SOY.

TOTAL #: 1



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GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST QUESADILLA

SELL BY:
02.14.15

INGREDIENTS: GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST, WHITE FLOUR TORTILLA (ENRICHED UNBLEACHED HALTED FLOUR (WHEAT FLOUR, HALTED BARLEY FLOUR, NIACIN, REDUCED IRON, THIAMINE MONONITRATE (VITAMIN B1), RIBOFLAVIN (VITAMIN B2), FOLIC ACID (VITAMIN B9)), WATER, SUNFLOWER OIL, SALT, CULTURED WHEAT FLOUR, SOY LECITHIN (EMULSIFIER), LEAVENINGS (SODIUM ACID PYROPHOSPHATE, SODIUM BICARBONATE, MONOCALCIUM PHOSPHATE), CITRIC ACID), YELLOW CHEDDAR CHEESE (PASTEURIZED MILK, NATURAL DAIRY PRODUCT SOURCED CHEESE CULTURES, SALT VEGETABLE SOURCE ENZYMES AND NATURAL SOURCED (ANNATO BEAN) COLOR VEGETABLE SOURCED CELLULOSE POWDER ADDED TO PREVENT CAKING), HELL PEPPER, ONION, TOMATOES, TOMATO JUICE, SALT, CALCIUM CHLORIDE AND CITRIC ACID), CANOLA OIL, TOMATO PASTE, CHILI POWDER, CUMIN, EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL, SEA SALT, BASIL, GARLIC, PARSLEY, BALSAMIC VINEGAR, DREGANO, PEPPER, CHILI PEPPER,
CONTAINS: MILK, SOY, WHEAT

TOTAL #: 1



UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
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CHILI, BRAISED BEEF

SELL BY:
02.15.15

NUTRITION FACTS Serv size: 1 CUP
Servings: 3 Amount Per Serving Calories 530.
Fat Cal.: 170, Total Fat: 19g (29% DV), Sat.
Fat: 5g (25% DV), Trans Fat: 0000g, Cholest.:
35mg (12% DV), Sodium: 340mg (14% DV), Total
Carb.: 65g (22% DV), Fiber: 7g (20% DV),
Sugars: 21g, Protein: 18g, Vitamin A: (20%
DV), Vitamin C: (30% DV), Calcium: (20% DV),
Iron: (20% DV). Percent Daily Values (DV)
are based on a 2,000 calorie diet.

BEEF BASE (ROASTED BEEF, SEA SALT, BEEF FLAVOR (BEEF
BROTH, BEEF FAT, NATURAL FLAVOR), ORGANIC EVAPORATED
CANE JUICE, CORN OIL, NATURAL FLAVOR, DRIED BEEF
STOCK), KIDNEY BEANS, BEEF, ONION, TOMATOES, BELL
PEPPER, BOURBON ALCOHOL, TOMATO PASTE, WATER, GARLIC,
CANOLA OIL, CILANTRO, CUMIN, BITTERSWEET CHOCOLATE,
ESPRESSO, CORIANDER, ANCHO PEPPER, ANAHEIM PEPPER,
CALIFORNIA PEPPER, CANOLA OIL, CHILI POWDER, PEPPER,
PAPRIKA, SEA SALT, STAR ANISE, GARLIC POWDER, ONION
POWDER, CHILI PEPPER, GROUND NUTHEG, OREGANO, CAYENNE
PEPPER.

NET WT 24oz (1.50lb)



TOTAL PRICE
\$8.99



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PEPPER, BOURBON ALCOHOL, TOMATO PASTE, WATER, GARLIC,
CANOLA OIL, CILANTRO, CUMIN, BITTERSWEET CHOCOLATE,
ESPRESSO, CORIANDER, ANCHO PEPPER, ANAHEIM PEPPER,
CALIFORNIA PEPPER, CANOLA OIL, CHILI POWDER, PEPPER,
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CHILI, TURKEY & BLACK BEAN

SELL BY:
02.17.15

NUTRITION FACTS Serv size: 1 CUP
Servings: 3 Amount Per Serving Calories 200.
Fat Cal.: 40, Total Fat: 4.5g (7% DV), Sat.
Fat: 1g (5% DV), Trans Fat: 0000g, Cholest.:
25mg (8% DV), Sodium: 110mg (30% DV), Total
Carb.: 15g (5% DV), Fiber: 5g (20% DV),
Sugars: 3g, Protein: 13g, Vitamin A: (25%
DV), Vitamin C: (50% DV), Calcium: (4% DV),
Iron: (15% DV). Percent Daily Values (DV)
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WATER, TURKEY, BLACK BEANS, BOURBON, ONION, TOMATOES,
BELL PEPPER, GREEN CHILI PEPPER, TOMATO PASTE,
CILANTRO, GARLIC, CHICKEN BASE (COOKED CHICKEN MEAT,
CHICKEN STOCK, SEA SALT, CHICKEN FAT, DEXTROSE,
EVAPORATED CANE JUICE, NATURAL FLAVORING, TURMERIC),
SEA SALT, CUMIN, CANOLA OIL, CHILI POWDER, COCOA
POWDER, ESPRESSO, ANCHO PEPPER, ANAHEIM PEPPER,
CALIFORNIA PEPPER, CORIANDER, PEPPER, STAR ANISE,
GROUND NUTHEG.

TOTAL # 1



TOTAL PRICE
\$8.00

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\$12.00



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CILANTRO, GARLIC, CHICKEN BASE (COOKED CHICKEN MEAT,
CHICKEN STOCK, SEA SALT, CHICKEN FAT, DEXTROSE,
EVAPORATED CANE JUICE, NATURAL FLAVORING, TURMERIC),
SEA SALT, CUMIN, CANOLA OIL, CHILI POWDER, COCOA
POWDER, ESPRESSO, ANCHO PEPPER, ANAHEIM PEPPER,
CALIFORNIA PEPPER, CORIANDER, PEPPER, STAR ANISE,
GROUND NUTHEG.

NET WT 24oz (1.50lb)



TOTAL PRICE
\$22.00



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PORK CARNITAS

SELL BY:
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PORK MIX (PORK SHOULDER, WATER, ONIONS, ROASTED CHIPOTLE SALSA (ROASTED TOMATOES (TOMATOES, CANOLA OIL), CUMIN ROASTED TOMATOES (TOMATOES, ONION, GARLIC, EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL, OREGANO), SEA SALT, CUMIN SEED, BLACK PEPPER), ONION, WATER, ROASTED GARLIC, LIME JUICE, CHIPOTLE PEPPER ADOBO (CHIPOTLE PEPPER, TOMATO PASTE, WATER, VINEGAR, SUGAR, SALT, GARLIC AND SPICES), SEA SALT, CILANTRO), PORK CARNITAS RUB (CUMIN SEED, CUMIN POWDER, CHILI POWDER, SEA SALT, OREGANO, BLACK PEPPER), GARLIC, BAY LEAF, CANOLA OIL), JALAPENO.

NET WT 16Oz (10.01b)



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CHICKEN CHILI VERDE

SELL BY:
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CHICKEN CHILI VERDE (CHICKEN THIGH, TOMATILLO (WHOLE TOMATILLO, WATER, CITRIC ACID, SALT, CALCIUM CHLORIDE), ONION, GREEN PEPPER, PUBLANO PEPPER, CANOLA OIL, GARLIC, SEA SALT, JALAPENO PEPPER, LIME JUICE, CILANTRO, CUMIN, BLACK PEPPER.

NET WT 16Oz (10.01b)



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