ALERT ROMAINE LETTUCE

To Our Valued Customers:

Today the CDC issued an alert advising U.S. consumers not to eat and retailers and restaurants not to sell or serve any romaine lettuce harvested from the coastal regions of California (Salinas, Monterrey County, Santa Cruz County, Watsonville, Santa Clara County). https://www.cdc.gov/ecoli/2019/o157h7-11-19/index.html

Out of an abundance of caution and in response to this alert WE WILL NOT BE SELLING any Romaine or Romaine products from the coastal regions of California until further notice.

This CDC alert does not pertain to product coming from Fresno, California, Santa Maria, California, Imperial Valley, California or Yuma, Arizona.

Most Romaine lettuce products are labeled with a harvest location showing where they are grown. Please review this label and throw out any Romaine grown in the affected regions. If your Romaine is not labeled please throw it out as well.

The CDC has not identified the source of the outbreak and has not recalled any specific products or lots. At this time, no common grower, supplier, distributor, or brand of romaine lettuce has been identified.

As always, we will let you know as soon as we hear anything else regarding this situation.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to your sales rep with any questions.

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