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Commercial Shopping Cart Fleet Inspection Daily Log Sheet

Operational Scope: This daily log sheet establishes a mandatory pre-operational inspection protocol for the commercial shopping cart fleet to mitigate patron trip hazards, structural failure risks, and employee musculoskeletal strains. Full compliance ensures adherence to retail safety mandates and significantly reduces the liability associated with damaged material handling assets.

MANDATORY PPE:	High-Visibility Safety Vest (ANSI/ISEA 107 Class 2), Steel-Toe Safety Boots (ASTM F2413), Cut-Resistant Work Gloves (ANSI/ISEA 105 Level A4), Weather-Appropriate Outerwear (High-Visibility)
PREREQUISITES:	Verify weather and parking lot surface conditions before retrieving carts. | Ensure designated quarantine and tagging station is clear and operational. | Confirm two-way radio or communication device is functioning for fleet retrieval coordination.

STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY & CHASSIS INSPECTION

#	COMPONENT / ITEM	VERIFICATION CRITERIA & ACCEPTANCE STANDARD	SEVERITY	STATUS
1	**Welded Wire Frame & Basket Assembly**	No broken, cracked, or protruding wire struts; basket edge properly welded without sharp points or burrs.	**Critical (Immediate Out of Service)**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A
2	**Child Safety Seat & Flap**	Safety restraint strap is intact and functional; swing-flap moves freely without binding or dropping unexpectedly.	**Warning**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A
3	**Push Handle & Plastic Corner Guards**	Handle is securely anchored to the frame with end caps intact; corner bumpers firmly attached to prevent impact injuries.	**Standard**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A

MOBILITY & SAFETY MECHANISM VERIFICATION

#	COMPONENT / ITEM	VERIFICATION CRITERIA & ACCEPTANCE STANDARD	SEVERITY	STATUS
4	**Caster Wheels & Swivel Bearings**	All four wheels rotate and swivel freely without excessive wobble, binding, or wrapping of debris (hair/string).	**Warning**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A
5	**Wheel Tread & Rolling Surface**	Treads are free of severe flat spots, deep gouges, or embedded metal shavings that cause erratic tracking.	**Standard**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A
6	**Parking/Brake Locking Mechanism (If Equipped)**	Brake pedal engages securely on designated wheel sets to prevent unintended rolling on sloped pavement.	**Critical (Immediate Out of Service)**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A

SANITATION & FLEET CONTROL AUDIT

#	COMPONENT / ITEM	VERIFICATION CRITERIA & ACCEPTANCE STANDARD	SEVERITY	STATUS
7	**Handle & Basket Cleanliness**	Surfaces are free from biohazardous waste, sticky residues, bodily fluids, or excessive grime; sanitized per retail hygiene protocol.	**Warning**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A
8	**Nesting & Interlock Bumpers**	Front and rear nesting bumpers are present to prevent metal-on-metal friction and allow smooth un-nesting during retrieval.	**Standard**	[ ] PASS [ ] FAIL [ ] N/A

Certified Cart Retrieval Attendant / Asset Inspector Signature: _____	**Date / Time:** _____	**Badge / Cert #:** _____
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