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Summary

Company Announcement Date:
December 09, 2024

FDA Publish Date:
December 10, 2024

Product Type:
Food & Beverages

Reason for Announcement:
Potential Metal Contaminant

Company Name:
Riverside Natural Foods Inc.

Brand Name:
MadeGood

Product Description:
Granola bars

Company Announcement

Chicago, Illinois, December 9, 2024 – Riverside Natural Foods Inc. is voluntarily recalling certain batches of MadeGood granola bars due to the potential presence of a piece of metal in the product, which, if consumed, may result in a safety hazard. The health and safety of our consumers is our highest priority. This recall is being initiated as a precautionary measure; no injuries have been reported.

Specific products impacted by this recall include the following MadeGood products: *Chocolate Chip Granola Bars, Mixed Berry Granola Bars, Strawberry Granola Bars, Cookies & Crème Granola Bars, Chocolate Banana Granola Bars, Chocolate Drizzled Birthday Cake Granola Bars, Chocolate Drizzled Cookie Crumble Granola Bars, and Chocolate Drizzled Vanilla Granola Bars*. Recalled products were produced between January and November 2024 and distributed throughout Canada, the United States and other international markets. Product UPCs and best by dates included in the recall can be found on the website madegoodfoods.com.

Riverside has conducted an extensive investigation where the recalled products were manufactured and has identified the source of the ssue in the manufacturing process. The company has remediated the issue and tested the new processes to ensure that any future isk is fully mitigated.

The company is conducting the voluntary recall with the knowledge of regulatory authorities and working closely with retailers for the emoval of recalled products from store shelves.

Consumers who have purchased these products are asked to check them against the list and return the recalled product to the store where they bought it for a full refund.

The health and safety of our consumers is our highest priority. If you have questions regarding the recall, please contact the MadeGood Consumer Hotline at 855-215-5695 between 8am and 5pm EST. For more information, visit the MadeGood website.

mpacted product list can be found below:

December 9, 2024 – Voluntary Recalled Products:

*Items with a **Z** after the Best By Date are excluded from this recall [e.g., **10/14/2025 Z**].

Product Description	Size	UPC	Best By Date*
Chocolate Chip Granola Bars	34oz (40 bars)	X002FK5HCF	05/03/2025 up to and including 12/06/2025
		10687456216451	05/03/2025; 10/12/2025

	53.55 oz (63 bars)	10687456216055	08/05/2025; 10/25/2025
	5.1oz (6 bars)	687456213057	05/03/2025 up to and including 01/16/2026 and 02/01/2026
	10.2oz (12 bars)	687456214115	05/10/2025; 05/11/2025; 06/13/2025; 06/28/2025; 06/29/2025; 07/01/2025; 07/05/2025; 07/06/2025; 07/07/2025; 08/04/2025; 08/05/2025; 09/09/2025; 09/10/2025; 09/22/2025; 09/23/2025; 10/12/2025; 10/13/2025; 12/19/2025; 12/20/2025; 12/21/2025; 12/22/2025; 01/11/2026; 01/12/2026; 01/13/2026; 02/07/2026; 02/08/2026; 02/21/2026
	20.4oz (24 bars)	687456215587	05/10/2025 up to and including 02/21/2026 and 02/25/2026;
	5.1oz (6 bars)	00687456215792	02/01/2026
Chocolate Banana Granola Bars	5.1oz (6 bars)	687456213088	05/11/2025 up to and including 01/17/2026
Mixed Berry Granola Bars	34oz (40 bars)	X002FK87OZ	10/04/2025; 11/23/2025; 11/24/2025
		10687456216475	10/04/2025; 11/24/2025
	5.1oz (6 bars)	687456213064	05/22/2025 up to and including 12/30/2025 and 02/11/2026
	5.1oz (6 bars)	00687456215808	07/19/2025; 09/08/2025; 09/16/2025; 01/19/2026
Strawberry Granola Bars	30.6oz (36 bars)	X00485O4XN	09/06/2025; 10/03/2025; 11/22/2025
	5.1oz (6 bars)	30.6oz (36 bars)	09/06/2025; 10/03/2025; 11/22/2025; 01/18/2026;
Cookies & Creme Granola Bars	30.6oz (36 bars)	X002H3FXVZ	05/29/2025 up to and including 10/27/2025
	5.1oz (6 bars)	687456213743	05/29/2025 up to and including 12/26/2025 and 02/10/2026
Halloween Chocolate Chip Granola Mini Bars	12.6oz (30 bars)	687456216508	11/02/2025; 11/03/2025
Chocolate Drizzled Birthday Cake Granola Bars	25.5oz (30 bars)	X002SSIRIF	01/09/2025 up to and including 06/16/2025
	4.2oz (5 bars)	687456214160	01/09/2025 up to and including 09/21/2025
	17oz (20 bars)	687456215594	03/05/2025 up to and including 07/25/2025
	8.5oz (10 bars)	687456215709	01/09/2025 up to and including 09/04/2025
	4.2oz (5 bars)	00687456215815	04/25/2025; 08/29/2025; 05/17/2025

Chocolate Drizzled Cookie Crumble Granola Bars	4.2oz (5 bars)	687456214177	01/04/2025 up to and including 09/15/2025
	25.5oz (30 bars)	X002SSOR5H	01/05/2025 up to and including 06/02/2025
Chocolate Drizzled Granola Bars Variety Pack	25.5oz (30 bars)	X002SSNEF1	01/05/2025 up to and including 07/12/2025
Holiday Sprinkles Chocolate Drizzled Granola Mini Bars	10.5oz (25 bars)	687456214696	08/15/2025; 08/22/2025
Chocolate Drizzled Vanilla Granola Bars	25.5oz (30 bars)	X002SSLE1R	02/14/2025; 03/08/2025; 05/10/2025; 06/25/2025
	4.2oz (5 bars)	687456214153	02/14/2025 up to and including 08/06/2025 and 09/17/2025
MadeGood Variety Pack	37 count	X0043RL9KR	12/12/2024 up to and including 07/16/2025
	7 count	B079LY41VY	02/17/2025; 02/22/2025; 03/24/2025; 03/25/2025

About Riverside Natural Foods

Riverside Natural Foods is a family-owned business and the parent company of MadeGood, Good To Go, and Cookie Pal brands. Our purpose is to inspire a healthier and more compassionate world, where access to good food becomes a reality for all. We are a certified B Corporation and part of a group of for-profit companies certified by the nonprofit B Lab to meet rigorous standards of social and environmental performance, accountability, and transparency. For more information, visit www.riversidenaturalfoods.com.

About MadeGood

MadeGood® is dedicated to providing healthier snacks that are organic, allergy-friendly, rich in nutrients, and minimally processed. All MadeGood products contain wholesome organic ingredients that are ethically sourced.

Media requiring further information can contact: madegood@webershandwick.com

Photos represent the traditional package sizes of the recalled varieties. Other package sizes can be found on the recall list.

Company Contact Information

Consumers:

855-215-5695

Media:

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Product Photos

Example images of MadeGood granola bars



- - * We believe that none of the product being recalled were processed or offered through the national office
 - * We strongly encourage you to notify your agencies within one business day from receipt of this notice.
 - * ALL cased and uncased inventories, both at the member level and agency level, need to be checked. This product may have entered member and agency warehouses through salvage, local donations, TEFAP, local purchases, retail pickups, food drives, or other avenues.
 - * For additional local details, please contact the Health Department(s) for the area(s) your food bank serves.

About Feeding America Recall Notices

The Feeding America national office issues notifications of all national Class I and II recalls--those involving a health hazard situation in which there is reasonable probability that eating the food will cause health problems or death--and other recalls that may affect the safety of food supplied to network members.

The national office strongly encourages all member product solicitors, operations managers, and others involved in food and grocery distribution to regularly consult resources provided by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) at <http://www.fda.gov/opacom/7alerts.html>, and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) at http://www.fsis.usda.gov/Fsis_Recalls/index.asp. Additionally, members can often receive information on national, state, and local recalls by contacting their local health departments.

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