

MULTI-YEAR FDD ANALYSIS · 2-YEAR PACKAGE · SAMPLE

Bluebird Bagel Co.

Fiscal years 2024 – 2025, from 2 consecutive franchise disclosure documents

Franchisor entity, current	Bluebird Bagel Co., LLC
Franchisor entity, window start	Bluebird Bagel Co., LLC
Fiscal years covered	FY2024 – FY2025
Source documents	2 FDD instances · 2025, 2026

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SECTION 01

Executive Summary

Source documents: 2025, 2026 FDDs · Fiscal years covered: FY2024 – FY2025

206 → 231 FRANCHISED UNITS AT FISCAL YEAR END, FY2024 → FY2025	+25 CALC NET CHANGE IN YEAR-END FRANCHISED UNITS, VS FY2024	+12.1% CALC PERCENT CHANGE IN YEAR-END FRANCHISED UNITS, VS FY2024
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Metric	Window movement
Company-owned outlets	14 → 16
States & jurisdictions with outlets	12 → 12
Total investment (midpoint)	\$407,750 → \$435,500 CALC
Royalty rate	5% → 5%
Item 19 presented	2 of 2 issuances
Litigation matters disclosed (Item 3)	1 → 1
Franchisor net income	\$2.1M → \$2.7M

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SECTION 02

Change index

Each row is a disclosure this report tracks; a filled dot marks the transition between filings where it changed. The last column names the section with the detail.

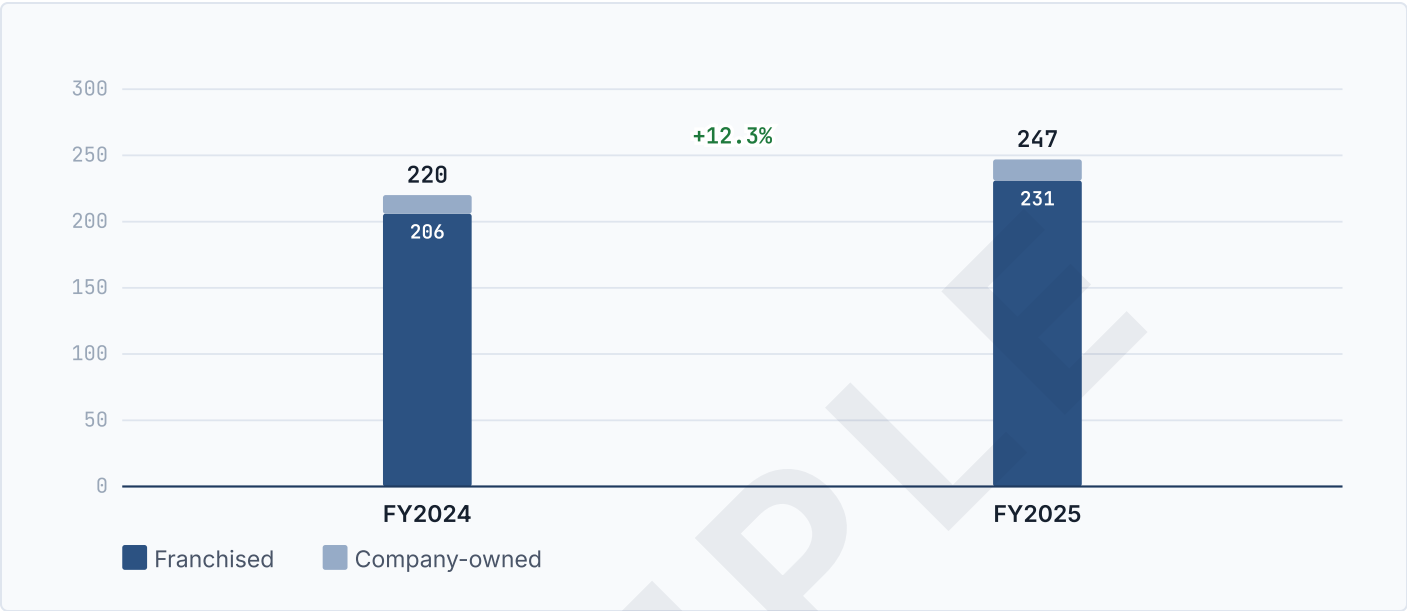
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FDD Item	Tracked disclosure	2025→2026	Detail in
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2	Officer roster composition	○	§ 09
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SECTION 03

Consolidated Unit Summary

Year-end outlet counts



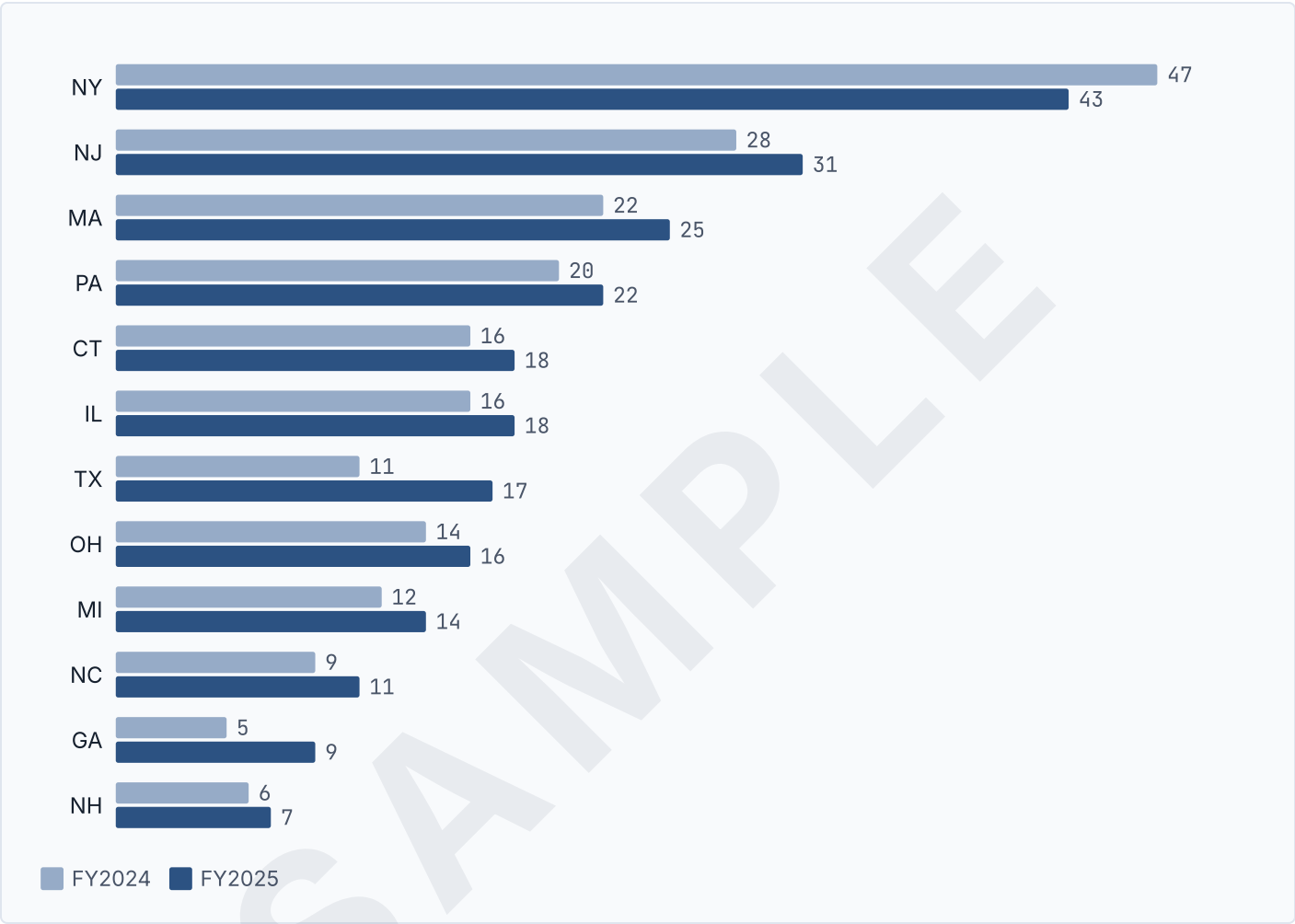
Fiscal year	Franchised units							Company-owned units (end)	Source
	Start	Opened	Terminated	Non-renewed	Reacquired	Ceased other	End		
FY2024	185	31	5	1	2	2	206	14	[2025 FDD, Item 20, p. 57]
FY2025	206	34	6	1	1	1	231	16	[2026 FDD, Item 20, p. 57]

The 2026 FDD restates FY2024 year-end outlet count: 206 [2025 FDD, Item 20, p. 57] vs 207 [2026 FDD, Item 20, p. 57], an increase of 1. This report follows the most recent filing.

SECTION 04

Geographic Summary

Units by state



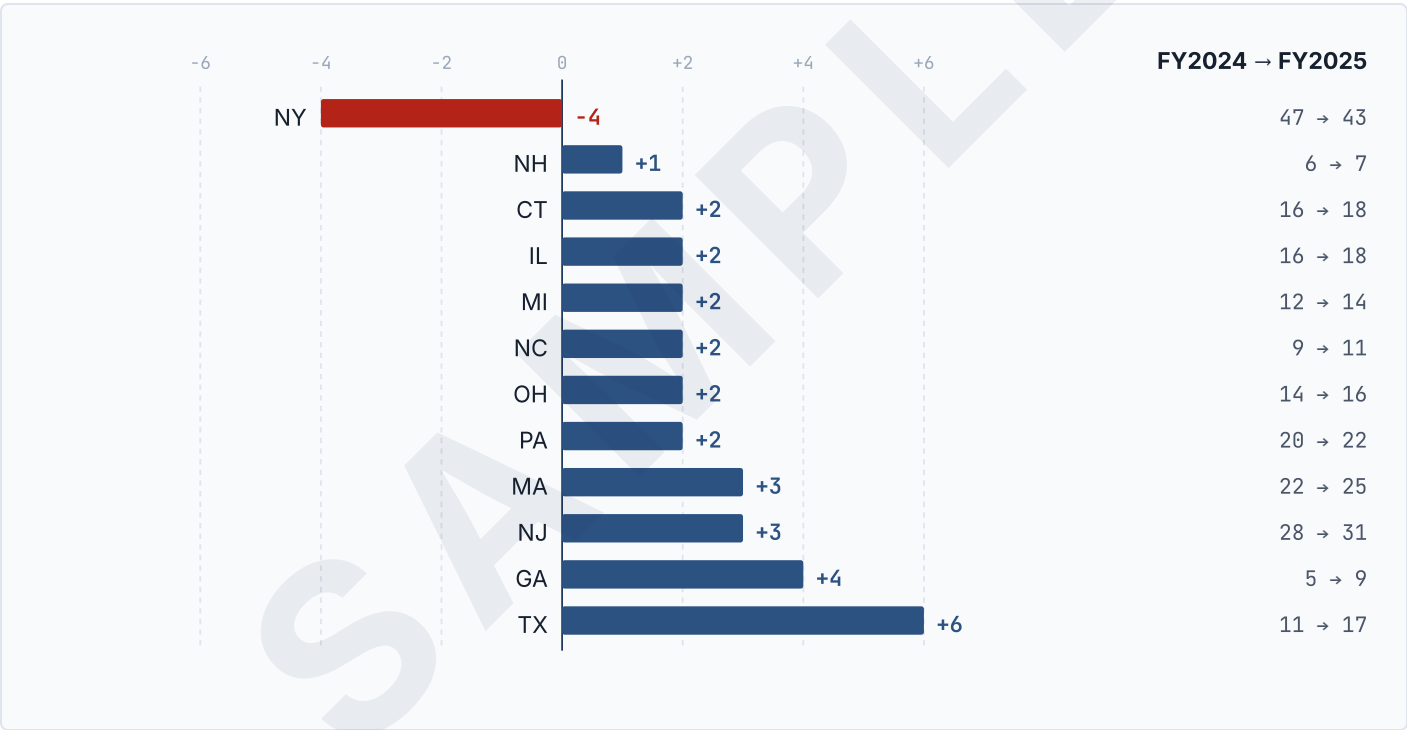
State detail

State	FY2024	FY2025	Net
CT	16	18	+2
GA	5	9	+4
IL	16	18	+2
MA	22	25	+3
MI	12	14	+2
NC	9	11	+2

State	FY2024	FY2025	Net
NH	6	7	+1
NJ	28	31	+3
NY	47	43	-4
OH	14	16	+2
PA	20	22	+2
TX	11	17	+6

Franchised outlets at fiscal year end, Item 20 state tables. [2025 FDD, Item 20, p. 60] [2026 FDD, Item 20, p. 60]

Net change by state



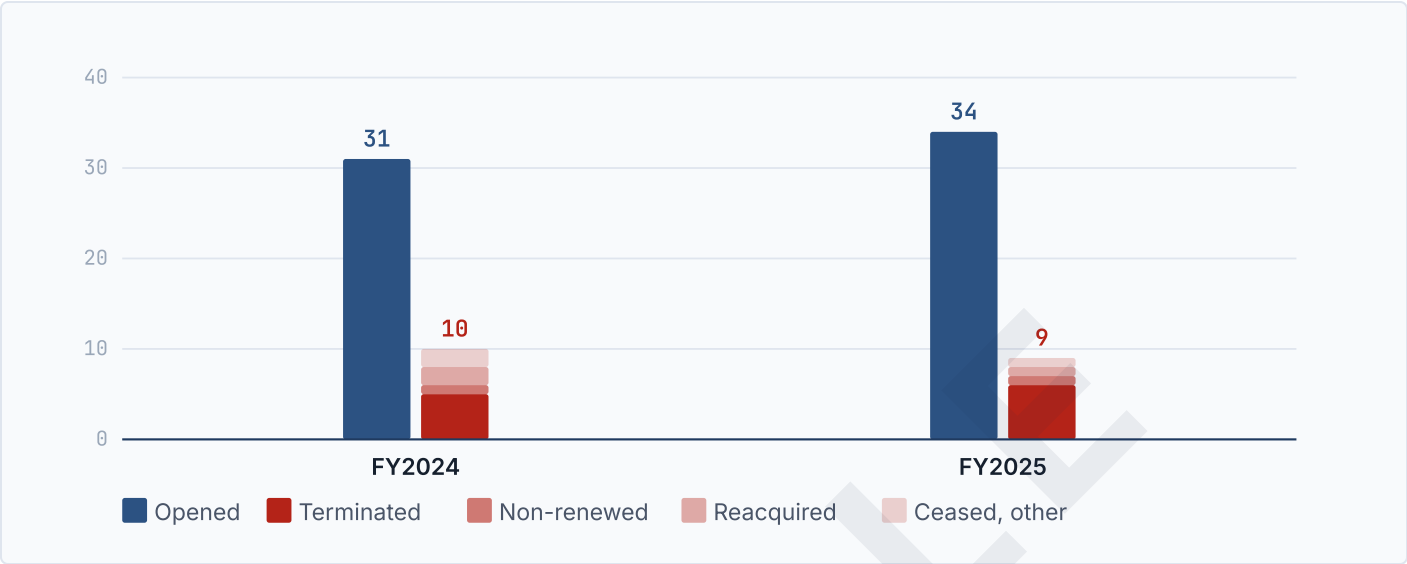
SECTION 05

Turnover, Transfers & Closure Rates

How many franchised units opened and closed in each fiscal year, as reported in Item 20: the left bar of each pair is openings; the right bar stacks the closure categories. The table below expresses the same

closures as a rate.

Openings and closures



Closure and transfer rates

Fiscal year	Closures	Closure rate	Transfers	Transfer rate	Source
FY2024	8	4.3% CALC	7	3.8% CALC	[2025 FDD, Item 20, p. 57]
FY2025	8	3.9% CALC	8	3.9% CALC	[2026 FDD, Item 20, p. 57]

Closures = terminations + non-renewals + outlets that ceased operations for other reasons, as reported in Item 20. Closure rate = closures as a share of franchised units open at the start of that fiscal year. Transfers = franchisee-to-franchisee ownership changes (Item 20, Table 2); a transferred unit stays open, so transfers do not count as closures. Both rates are derived by this report.

SECTION 06

Franchisee Investment and Fees

MULTIPLE INVESTMENT TABLES

This brand's Item 7 presents more than one estimated-initial-investment table (typically one per unit configuration); a single range would misstate the offer, so each table's total row is shown, cited to its own page.

Issuance	Total row (as published)	Range	Source
2025 FDD	Total Estimated Initial Investment	\$287,500 – \$528,000	[2025 FDD, Item 7, p. 22]
2025 FDD	Total Estimated Initial Investment – Kiosk Format	\$148,500 – \$244,000	[2025 FDD, Item 7, p. 23]
2026 FDD	Total Estimated Initial Investment	\$309,500 – \$561,500	[2026 FDD, Item 7, p. 22]
2026 FDD	Total Estimated Initial Investment – Kiosk Format	\$156,000 – \$259,500	[2026 FDD, Item 7, p. 23]

Item 7 figures reflect the total-row range as published; line-item detail is not presented in this edition.

Recurring fees

Fee	2025	2026
Royalty	5%	5%
Brand fund contribution	2.5%	2.5%
Local advertising	1%	1%
Technology fee	\$299	\$299

“not read” — no amount for this fee was read from that filing; the filing may disclose it under different wording, or may not charge it. “?” — the filing's fee tables were not read at all.

All disclosed fees, 2026 FDD

Item	Fee	Amount as published	Movement across window	Source
5	Initial Franchise Fee	\$34,500	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 5, p. 13]
6	Additional Training Fee	\$395	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 15]
6	Audit Fee	\$2,500	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 16]
6	Brand Fund Contribution	2.5%	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 14]
6	Grand Opening Marketing	\$5,000	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 15]

Item	Fee	Amount as published	Movement across window	Source
6	Interest/Late Charge	\$100	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 16]
6	Local Advertising Requirement	1%	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 14]
6	Renewal Fee	\$5,000	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 15]
6	Royalty	5%	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 14]
6	Supplier Approval Fee	\$500	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 16]
6	Technology Fee	\$299	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 15]
6	Transfer Fee	\$7,500	unchanged since the 2025 FDD	[2026 FDD, Item 6, p. 15]

SECTION 07

Financial performance representation

Item 19 is the FDD section where a franchisor may — but is not required to — disclose historical or projected sales, income, or profit figures. A franchisor that makes no such representation must say so in Item 19.

Issuance	Item 19 presented	# Units reporting	Source
2025 FDD	Yes	171	[2025 FDD, Item 19, p. 52]
2026 FDD	Yes	196	[2026 FDD, Item 19, p. 52]

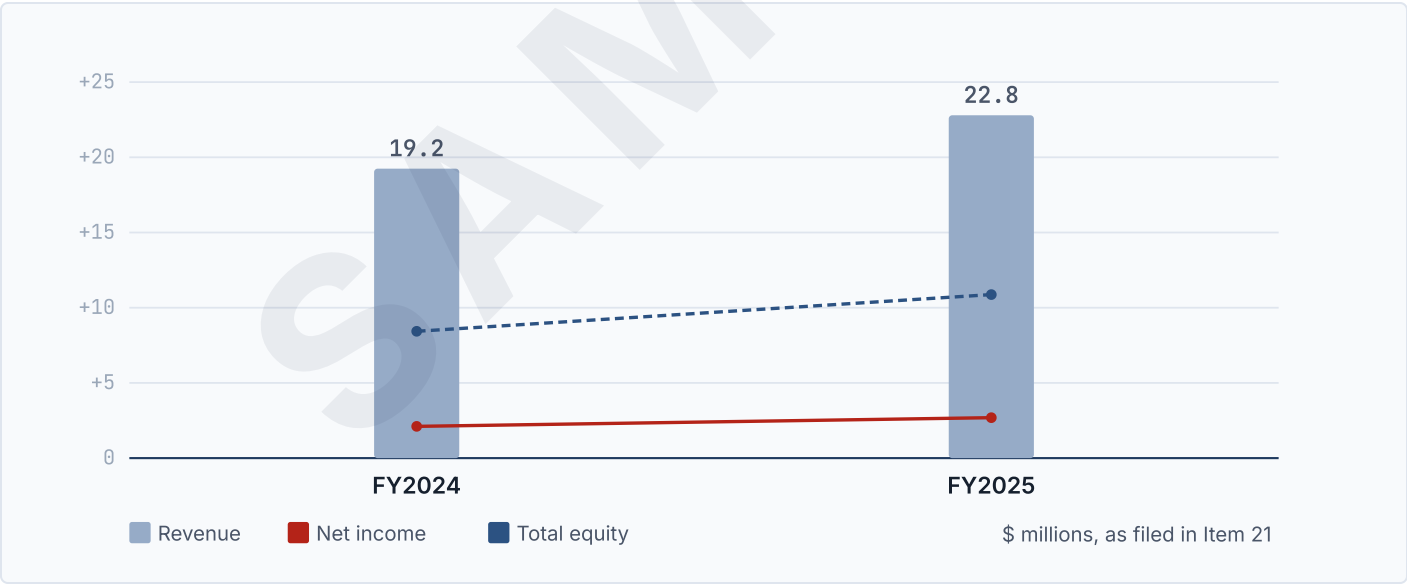
Item 19 figures as disclosed

Issuance	Measure (as disclosed)	Outlet group (as disclosed)	Value	# Units	Source
2025 FDD	Average Gross Sales	Reporting Outlets	\$764,800	171	[2025 FDD, Item 19, p. 52]
2025 FDD	Median Gross Sales	Reporting Outlets	\$722,500	171	[2025 FDD, Item 19, p. 52]
2026 FDD	Average Gross Sales	Reporting Outlets	\$811,900	196	[2026 FDD, Item 19, p. 52]
2026 FDD	Median Gross Sales	Reporting Outlets	\$768,200	196	[2026 FDD, Item 19, p. 52]

Measure and outlet-group wording is the filing's own; values are reproduced as filed. Rows are not comparable to each other except where the filing presents them as a series.

SECTION 08

Franchisor financial condition



Fiscal year	Revenue	Net income	Equity	Source
FY2024	\$19,238,914	\$2,109,876	\$8,434,270	[2025 FDD, Item 21, p. 165]
FY2025	\$22,804,631	\$2,687,445	\$10,871,355	[2026 FDD, Item 21, p. 165]

Figures as filed; no audit-opinion information is extracted or represented.

SECTION 09

Franchisor entity & leadership

Franchisor entity by filing

Issuance	Franchisor entity as named	Source
2025 FDD	Bluebird Bagel Co., LLC	[2025 FDD, Item 1, p. 9]
2026 FDD	Bluebird Bagel Co., LLC	[2026 FDD, Item 1, p. 9]

Officer roster

Roster sizes across the window: 4 (2025 FDD), 4 (2026 FDD). Names not in the prior filing: 0; prior-filing names not listed later: 0. [CALC](#)

Seat and officer as listed	In role since	2025	2026	Status in window
CEO				
Dana Merrill Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer	< 2013	< 		Listed through 2026
CFO				
Walter Osei Chief Financial Officer	< 2016	< 		Listed through 2026
VP				2 holders
Sam Kessler Vice President, Franchise Development	< 2018	< 		Listed through 2026
Priya Natarajan Vice President, Real Estate and Development	< 2024	< 		Listed through 2026

Roster movement

	2025 FDD	2026 FDD
Officers listed	4	4
Names not in the prior filing	—	0
Prior-filing names not listed here	—	0

Roster structure only (name, title, listed since, filing) as disclosed in Item 2. A name absent from a later filing is stated as “not listed after” that filing; this report draws no conclusion about why.

SECTION 10

Litigation & bankruptcy

Issuance	Litigation matters disclosed under Item 3	Source
2025 FDD	1	[2025 FDD, Item 3, p. 12]
2026 FDD	1	[2026 FDD, Item 3, p. 12]

Litigation matters as disclosed

Caption	Initiator	Status	Disclosed in	Source
HOLLIS POINT PLAZA ASSOCIATES, LP v. BLUEBIRD BAGEL CO., LLC	other	pending	2025–2026	[2025 FDD, Item 3, p. 12]

Matters are reproduced as disclosed; no characterization of merits, likely outcome or significance is made. A matter no longer disclosed is exactly that — this report does not infer resolution.

Item 4 — bankruptcy

Issuance	Bankruptcy disclosed under Item 4	Source
2025 FDD	No	[2025 FDD, Item 4, p. 12]
2026 FDD	No	[2026 FDD, Item 4, p. 12]

Each filing marked “No” states: “NO BANKRUPTCY INFORMATION IS REQUIRED TO BE DISCLOSED IN THIS ITEM.”

SECTION 11

Method, limits and disclaimer

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Derived figures

Figure	Formula
Net franchised units / % change	count_end(last FY) - count_end(first FY); % of first
Total investment (midpoint)	(Item 7 total low + high) / 2
Year-over-year % on the outlet chart	(count_end(FY) - count_end(prior FY)) / prior FY
Closure rate	(terminated + non_renewed + ceased_other) / count_start
Transfer rate	transferred / count_start
Roster movement counts	set difference of name keys between adjacent rosters

Derived percentages are shown to one decimal; derived currency to whole dollars; derived ratios to two decimals.

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What this report does not include

Listed so that an absence is never ambiguous: what the franchisor did not disclose is a finding about the franchise; what this report does not collect is a limit of the product, not a statement about the brand.

Information this report does not collect

Item	Fact	Years	What the reader cannot conclude	Section
8, 11, 12, 17	Terms & obligations detail	–	No provision-level comparison of supplier restrictions, assistance/technology, territory, or renewal/termination terms appears in this report; the change index records only that Item text changed, not which provision moved.	§ 02
20	Franchisee count	–	Outlets-per-franchisee and ownership concentration are not computed; the outlet counts here are outlet counts, not owner counts.	§ 05

APPENDIX

Sources and verification

One row per source document. “Items used” lists the parts of each filing this report drew on; “Checks” reports the automated validation outcome for that filing.

Issuance	Issue date	Issuing entity	Fiscal year	Items used	Checks
2025 FDD	2025-04-25	Bluebird Bagel Co., LLC	FY2024	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 19, 20, 21	all checks passed
2026 FDD	2026-04-24	Bluebird Bagel Co., LLC	FY2025	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 19, 20, 21	all checks passed; restates an earlier year's counts (footnoted)

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