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California firm recalls coconut product due to possible health risk

The Kane County Health Department is advising residents that Nutiva, an Organic Superfoods company of Richmond, Calif., has initiated a voluntary product recall of O'Coconut products after being notified by a supplier that samples of a raw material in this product have the potential to be contaminated with *Salmonella*. The recall is being conducted as a precautionary measure.

Although no illnesses related to this product have been reported, the product was distributed nationwide. Photographs of the recalled products are available by clicking [here](#).

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Customers with questions or who would like product replacements or refunds may contact (800) 993-4367 or email help@nutiva.com.

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