

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ROOM
13TH FLOOR
COLEMAN A. YOUNG. MUNICIPAL CENTER

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2020

10:05 A.M. – PUBLIC HEARING

(JT/mgw)

RE: An Proposed Ordinance to amend Chapter 20 of 2019 Detroit City Code, *Health*; by amending Article VI, *Medical Marihuana Facilities*, to amend section 20-6-7 to prohibit marihuana establishments under the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act, being Initiated Law 1 of 2018, until July 31, 2020 (REPORTED OUT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE ON 03-16-2020)

Attending:

(Law Department; Legislative Policy Department; Division; Buildings, Safety Engineering and Environmental Department; Health Department; and Police Department)

City of Detroit

CITY COUNCIL



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City Clerk

March 17, 2020

Mr. Lawrence Garcia, Law Department
Mr. David Whittaker, Director, Legislative Policy Division (LD)
Mr. David Bell, BSEED
Ms. Denise Fair, Health
Chief Craig, Police Department

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Your respective departments are requested to be present or represented at the **PUBLIC HEARING** on the above-captioned proposed ordinance amendment, scheduled for **TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2020 AT 10:05 A.M.**, in the Committee of the Whole Room, 13th Floor, Coleman A. Young Municipal Center.

A copy of the proposed ordinance is enclosed for your convenience. Please note, increased security measures for entrance into this building may cause delays, therefore, allow sufficient time for prompt arrival.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Janice M. Winfrey".

Janice M. Winfrey
City Clerk

JMW/cmw

Enclosure

cc: Ms. Avery Peebles, Legislative Liaison, Mayor's Office; Gail Fulton

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All interested persons are invited to be present and heard as to their views. Persons making oral presentations are encouraged to submit written copies to the City Clerk's Office for the record. A copy of the ordinance amendment is available in the office of the City Clerk during regular business hours.

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Janice M. Winfrey
City Clerk

JMW/mgw

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City of Detroit

CITY COUNCIL

JAMES E. TATE, Jr.
COUNCIL MEMBER

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Colleagues

FROM: Councilman James E. Tate, Jr. J.T.

DATE: March 6, 2020

RE: Prohibition of the Approval of Adult-Use Marihuana Establishments

On January 28, 2020, this Honorable Body adopted an ordinance to amend Chapter 20 of the 2019 Detroit City Code, *Health*; Article VI, *Medical Marihuana Facilities*, to temporarily prohibit the approval of adult-use marihuana establishments under the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act, being Initiated Law 1 of 2018, until March 31, 2020, to allow additional time for the development of a comprehensive social equity program that benefits Detroit residents in accordance with state law.

Since that time, my office has been deeply engaged in that effort with industry stakeholders, the Mayor's Office, the Law Department, the Legislative Policy Division, and other interested parties. Although we have made significant progress, there is still much more work that needs to be done and additional time is required. Therefore, I am requesting that this Honorable Body adopt the attached ordinance to extend the temporary opt-out period through July 31, 2020 to provide additional time to accomplish our legislative goals.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact DeAndree Watson of my office at (313) 224-0278. Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this matter.

ATTACHMENT

CC: Louise Jones, City Clerk's Office
Avery Peoples, Mayor's Office

MAR 16 2020 M.T.F. to NB (2M) 3-0

CITY CLERK 2020 MAR 6 PM 12:34

Introduced
3/17/2020
3/4/20 (mgw)

1 BY COUNCIL MEMBER _____:

2 AN ORDINANCE to amend Chapter 20 of the 2019 Detroit City Code, *Health*;
3 by amending Article VI, *Medical Marihuana Facilities*, to amend Section 20-6-7 to prohibit
4 marihuana establishments under the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act, being
5 Initiated Law 1 of 2018, until July 31, 2020.

6 IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF DETROIT THAT:

7 Section 1. Section 20-6-7, Chapter 20, Article VI of the 2019 Detroit City Code is amended as
8 follows:

9 ARTICLE VI. - MEDICAL MARIHUANA FACILITIES

10 DIVISION 1. - GENERALLY

11 Sec. 20-6-7. Opt Out

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13 (a) Pursuant to Sec. 6 (1) of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act, being
14 Initiated Law 1 of 2018, MCL 333.27956(1), marihuana establishments are prohibited until ~~March~~
15 ~~31, 2020~~ July 31, 2020.

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17 Section 2. This ordinance is hereby declared necessary to preserve the public peace, health, safety
18 and welfare of the People of the City of Detroit.

19 Section 3. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, that conflict with this ordinance are repealed.

20 Section 4. In the event this ordinance is passed by two-thirds (2/3) majority of City Council
21 Members serving, it shall be given immediate effect and become effective upon publication in
22 accordance with Section 4-118 of the 2012 Detroit City Charter. Where this ordinance is passed
23 by less than a two-thirds (2/3) majority of City Council Members serving, it shall become
24 effective on the thirtieth (30) day after enactment, or on the first business day thereafter, in

1 accordance with Section 4-118 of the 2012 Detroit City Charter; if this ordinance specifies a
2 certain date to become effective, it shall become effective in accordance with the date specified
3 therein, subject to the publication requirement in Section 4-118 of the 2012 Detroit City Charter.

4 Approved as to form:

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Lawrence T Garcia

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Corporation Counsel

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