

Resolution No.

# STOCKTON PLANNING COMMISSION

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## RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON RECOMMENDING THAT THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVE AN AMENDMENT TO TITLE 16 OF THE STOCKTON MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE SALE OF ADULT-USE CANNABIS TO EXISTING MEDICAL CANNABIS DISPENSARIES

The Planning Commission is authorized by section 16.212.040 of the Stockton Municipal Code (SMC) to review and make recommendations to the Council for amendments to the provisions of Title 16; and

A. Amending the provisions of Title 16 related to the sale of adult-use cannabis will comply with the Medicinal and Adult-Use Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act (Senate Bill 94) be consistent with the following General Plan goals and policies:

i Goal ED-1. To maintain a thriving business community that provides a sound tax base for the City, jobs for the local workforce, and commercial shopping opportunities for residents and visitors alike.

ii Goal ED-2. To expand job opportunities in the community, providing a full range of quality career choices, serving entry level as well as highly-trained workers.

iii Policy ED-2.1 Job Quality. The City shall focus its business expansion and industry attraction efforts on companies and institutions that bring to Stockton quality jobs that provide benefits and self-sufficiency wages for Stockton residents.

iv Goal ED-4. To promote business growth and industry diversification, maintaining a conducive business climate and a supportive economic foundation.

v Policy ED-4.1 Business Retention and Expansion. Existing business and industry have made significant investments and commitments in the community. The City should support and assist expansion and retention of existing businesses by ensuring they have access to the information and resources available in the community to address business concerns and issues.

vi Policy ED-4.2 Specialty Business Program. The City shall promote and support programs focused on specialty business and ethnically diverse enterprises.

B. The proposed amendment will address the sale of adult-use cannabis, including changes to Chapter 16.20 “Allowable land uses and permit requirements”, Section 16.240.020 “Definitions of specialized terms and phrases” and Chapter 16.80 Section 16.80.195 “Cannabis businesses—Permitting” The



2. The Planning Commission recommends that the City Council adopt an amendment to Title 16, Chapter 16.20, Section 16.20.020, Chapter 16.80 Section 16.80.195, and Chapter 16.240, Section 16.240.020; to allow the sale of Adult-Use Cannabis in existing cannabis dispensaries as set forth in Exhibit 1, attached hereto and incorporated by this reference.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED: August 23, 2018.

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DON M. AGUILLARD, CHAIR  
CITY OF STOCKTON PLANNING COMMISSION

ATTEST:

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DAVID W. KWONG, SECRETARY  
CITY OF STOCKTON PLANNING COMMISSION