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Subject: Adoption of Amendments to Cannabis Ordinances on November 7, 2018
Attachments: Cannabis Regulatory Ordinance.docx; Cannabis Land Use Ordinance.docx

Serena,

As you may know, the cannabis ordinances are being amended. On October 16, 2018, the Council introduced on "first reading" an ordinance to amend both the regulatory ordinance (Ord. 3201) and land use ordinance (Ord. 3206). You may recall this was coming because you attended and spoke at the meeting where City Council (July 24, 2018) first gave direction to amend these two ordinances.

Please be advised that this coming Wednesday, November 7, 2018, one week from today, the Council will consider adopting an ordinance that would amend both ordinances (sometimes referred to as a "second reading"). As always, you are welcome to attend and speak, or submit written comments without having to attend, whichever works for you.

Attached are the ordinances for your review. Here is a link to the agenda (the cannabis items are Nos. 5-L and 5-M), which will allow you to download all the relevant materials, including the attached ordinances and a short general description of the items:

http://legistar1.granicus.com/alameda/meetings/2018/11/4485_A_City_Council_18-11-07_Meeting_Agenda.pdf

- 5-L** [2018-6106](#) **Final Passage of Ordinance Amending the Alameda Municipal Code by Amending Section 30-10 (Cannabis) to (1) Add Cannabis Retail Businesses as Conditionally Permitted Uses in the C-1, Neighborhood Business, and C-M, Commercial-Manufacturing Zoning Districts, (2) Amend Certain Portions of the Zoning Code to Enable Cannabis Retail Businesses to Dispense Non-medicinal or "Adult Use" Cannabis, and (3) Amend Certain Portions of the Zoning Code to Remove the Dispersion Requirement. (Economic Development)**

5-M [2018-6107](#) Final Passage of Ordinance Amending the Alameda Municipal Code by Amending Article XVI (Cannabis Businesses) of Chapter VI (Businesses, Occupations and Industry) to (1) Eliminate the Cap on Testing Laboratories, (2) Allow for Two Additional Cannabis Businesses to Operate as "Dispensary/Delivery" (Delivery Required) Within the Zoning Districts for Cannabis Retail, (3) Amend the

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Dispersion Requirement to Require No More Than Two Cannabis Retail Businesses to Operate on Either Side of Grand Street, (4) Create a Two-Tier Buffer Zone from Sensitive Uses for Cannabis Businesses, (4) Amend Certain Portions of the Regulatory Ordinance to Enable Cannabis Retail Businesses to Dispense Non-medicinal or "Adult Use" Cannabis, (5) Modify Requirements for Off-Island Delivery, and (6) Make Other Clarifying or Conforming Amendments thereto. (Economic Development)

Also, I would contact the Clerk's Office if you would like to automatically be emailed the Council agenda going forward.

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