



CITY OF BURTON

PLANNING COMMISSION

MINUTES

NOVEMBER 13, 2017

Community Room

Workshop

10:00 AM

4303 S. CENTER ROAD
BURTON, MI 48519

This meeting was opened by Chairman Deb Walton at 10:00 AM.

A. CALL TO ORDER

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Vaughn Smith	Councilman	Present	
Kevin Burge	Vice Chair	Present	
Tom Gorang	Commissioner	Present	
Deb Walton	Chairman	Present	
John Benthall	Commissioner	Excused	
Kris Johns	Commissioner	Excused	
Mary Ann White	Commissioner	Present	
Robert Johnson	Commissioner	Present	

B. STAFF PRESENT

Amber Abbey, Planning/Zoning
Tina Conley, Councilwoman
Dennis O'Keefe, Councilman
Marcy Kimball, Clerk's Office

C. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

None.

D. BOARD DISCUSSION

1. Medical Marijuana Law review

Mrs. Abbey stated this workshop is to discuss the Zoning laws and the State of Michigan Medical Marijuana Law and enforcement. The State doesn't have their administrative rules yet. December 15, 2017 they will be operating under emergency rules. The official rules will come later. So depending on what the State Laws will be, we may need to change things on our end. We don't want to have an ordinance that violates State Law. This ordinance would be for commercial only. We have distance requirements that will limit the number of business's coming in, but we could still put a limit on the number or not allow them at all. They would have to be 1,000 feet from any church, school, daycare, public park and 500 feet from each other. We could allow co-locating. This would allow Grow Facilities, Processing Centers and Provisional Centers on one property and we could charge each business the license fee. We can charge each individual facility up to \$5,000 per year for licensing with renewals fees. Site plan approvals would be good for one year. Provisioning Centers are the only place that retail sales would happen. The fee will be determined by Council. The Public Hearing will be held tomorrow night at our regular meeting in the Council Chambers at 5:00 PM.

Board discussion on the following:

- House Bill 4209, Medical Marijuana Facilities Licensing Act
- House Bill 4210, Michigan Medical Marijuana Act (MMMA)
- House Bill 4827, Marijuana Tracking Act
- House Bill 4209, Provisioning Center, Grower, Processor, Safety Compliance Facility and Secure Transporter Licenses
- Licensing Process, Issuance & Renewal
- Application Fee and Eligibility
- Licensing Board responsibilities and Advisory Panel created within LARA
- Medical Marijuana Excise Fund
- Inventory Control & Tracking System
- Municipal Ordinance

Meeting was adjourned at 12:15 PM.
