



**City of Rochester Hills  
AGENDA SUMMARY  
NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS**

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**Legislative File No:** 2010-0297

**TO:** City Council Members  
**FROM:** Bryan K. Barnett, Mayor  
**DATE:** July 14, 2010  
**SUBJECT:** Medical Marihuana

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**REQUEST:**

Mayor Barnett would like City Council to consider the attached Resolution that establishes a Moratorium immediately for 180 days.

**BACKGROUND:**

On a statewide initiative to legalize medical marihuana, the question was approved in November 2008 on a statewide margin of 63% to 37%. After numerous discussions with Mr. Staran and staff, I would like to request the City Council to consider the attached Resolution that establishes a Moratorium immediately for 180 days. This will provide the Administration and the City Attorney with additional time to conduct more research, evaluate and communicate with other communities as to their efforts, and to seek public input before the Planning Commission with public hearings.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

It is requested that the City Council schedule this matter as a discussion item once the Administration has had some time to prepare the alternatives for consideration.

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<b>APPROVALS:</b>	<b>SIGNATURE</b>	<b>DATE</b>
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