

Planning and Economic Development

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From: Ed Anzek, Director
To: Planning Commission

Date: June 1, 2012

Re: Medical Marihuana Moratorium

As discussed at the joint meeting with City Council on May 29, 2012, attached is a motion for consideration, asking City Council to extend the Moratorium another twelve months. The date will be determined from the date of City Council's passage of the Resolution. As all the Commissioners are aware there has been considerable discussion at the State level among legislators and the State Attorney General. However, there have been no tangible solutions or directions provided.

Attached is a letter from the City Attorney providing an overview along with his recommendation to extend the moratorium. As advised the issue before the city are the land use and zoning related matters dealing with the sale, distribution, and cultivation of the medical marihuana. The Moratorium will not prohibit a qualifying patient's use of medical marihuana in his or her private residence.

Thank you.

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