



Department of City Planning - Code Studies Division
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Citywide Proposed Municipal Code Amendment

CASE: CPC-2017-2260-CA
ENV-2017-2261-EAF

**Commercial Cannabis Location Restriction
Ordinance**
Council District: All

This notice is to inform you of a public hearing for case number CPC-2017-2260-CA, a proposed amendment to the Los Angeles Municipal Code concerning location restrictions and limited immunity from enforcement of specified City prohibitions relating to commercial cannabis activity consistent with Measure M adopted by Los Angeles City voters on March 7, 2017. All interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing, at which you may listen, speak, and submit written information relating to the proposed amendment.

PLACE: Los Angeles City Hall, Room 1010
200 N Spring St, Los Angeles CA 90012

DATE: Thursday June 29, 2017
TIME: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Please submit comments by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 12, 2017 to:
Niall Huffman niall.huffman@lacity.org, (213) 978-3405.

PROPOSED PROJECT: An amendment to the Los Angeles Municipal Code concerning location restrictions and limited immunity from enforcement of specified City prohibitions relating to commercial cannabis activity consistent with Measure M adopted by Los Angeles City voters on March 7, 2017.

PURPOSE: The purpose of the hearing is to obtain testimony from affected and/or interested persons regarding this project. The hearing will be conducted by a Hearing Officer who will consider all the testimony presented at that time and any written communication received prior to or at the hearing from affected and/or interested persons regarding this proposed code amendment, as well as the merits of the draft ordinance as it relates to existing land use regulations. After the hearing, Department staff will finalize a report including a recommendation that will be considered by the City Planning Commission at a later date.

The city is currently reviewing the project pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines and will prepare the necessary CEQA clearance for approval of the project based on that review. The public will be given a chance to comment on the CEQA clearance during applicable public comment periods and/or consideration of the project at future public hearings or meetings.

EXHAUSTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES: If you challenge a City action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence on these matters delivered to the Department before the action on this matter. Any written correspondence delivered to the Department before the action on this matter will become a part of the administrative record. Note: This may not be the last hearing on this matter.

WRITTEN COMMUNICATION: Written communications should cite the Case Number indicated at the top of this notice and may be mailed to the attention of the staff contact identified above at the Los Angeles Department of City Planning, Code Studies Division, City Hall - Room 701, 200 North Spring Street, Los Angeles CA 90012.

REVIEW OF THE FILE: The complete file including application and an environmental assessment is available for public review at the Department of City Planning, City Hall - Room 701, 200 North Spring Street, Los Angeles CA 90012 between the hours of 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday. Please call the staff contact identified in this notice several days in advance to assure its availability. Case files will not be available for inspection on the day of the hearing.

ACCOMMODATIONS: As a covered entity under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability. The hearing facility and its parking are wheelchair accessible. Sign language interpreters, assistive listening devices, or other auxiliary aids and/or services may be provided upon request. *Como entidad cubierta bajo el Título II del Acto de los Americanos con Desabilidades, la Ciudad de Los Angeles no discrimina. La facilidad donde la junta se llevará a cabo y su estacionamiento son accesibles para sillas de ruedas. Traductores de Lengua de Muestra, dispositivos de oído, u otras ayudas auxiliares se pueden hacer disponibles si usted las pide en avance.* Other services, such as translation between English and other languages, may also be provided upon request. *Otros servicios, como traducción de Inglés a otros idiomas, también pueden hacerse disponibles si usted los pide en avance.*

To ensure availability of services, please make your request no later than three working days (72 hours) prior to the hearing by calling the staff person referenced in this notice. *Para asegurar la disponibilidad de éstos servicios, por favor haga su petición al mínimo de tres días (72 horas) antes de la reunión, llamando a la persona del personal mencionada en este aviso.*