



PLANNING COMMISSION RESOLUTION 2016-312

A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE CITY COUNCIL AMEND THE NEWBERG DEVELOPMENT CODE REGARDING MEDICAL MARIJUANA GROW SITES, PROCESSORS AND DISPENSARIES

RECITALS

1. On March 19, 2014, Senate Bill 1531 was signed into law. SB 1531 gives local governments the ability to impose certain regulations and restrictions on the operation of medical marijuana dispensaries.
2. House Bill (HB) 3400 was approved in the 2015 Oregon Legislative session related to recreational and medical marijuana. Some of the provision of HB 3400 modified the laws related to medical marijuana.
3. The Newberg City Council initiated a potential amendment to Newberg's Development Code regarding medical marijuana grow sites and processors on December 7, 2015.
4. After proper notice, the Newberg Planning Commission held a hearing on January 14, 2016 to consider the amendment. The Commission considered testimony and deliberated.

The Newberg Planning Commission resolves as follows:

1. The Commission finds that adding regulations for medical marijuana grow sites, medical marijuana processors and modifications to a footnote for medical marijuana dispensaries regarding Career Schools and definition of public elementary or secondary school or private or parochial school to align with HB 3400 would be in the best interests of the city and recommends that the City Council adopt the amendments to the Newberg Development Code as shown in Exhibit "A". Exhibit "A" is hereby adopted and by this reference incorporated.
2. The findings shown in Exhibit "B" are hereby adopted. Exhibit "B" is by this reference incorporated.

Adopted by the Newberg Planning Commission this 14th day of January, 2016.



Planning Commission Chair

ATTEST:



Planning Commission Secretary

List of Exhibits:

- Exhibit "A": Development Code Text Amendments
- Exhibit "B": Findings

**Exhibit “A” to Planning Commission Resolution 2016-312
Development Code Amendments –File DCA-15-002
Medical Marijuana Grow Sites, Processors and Dispensaries**

Section 1. The Newberg Development Code 15.05.030 shall be amended as follows:

**Note: Existing text is shown in regular font.
Added text is shown in double-underline
Deleted text is shown in ~~strikethrough~~.**

15.05.030 Definitions

For the purpose of this title, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning:

“Medical marijuana dispensary” means a medical marijuana facility registered by the Oregon Health Authority and in compliance with all other provisions of Oregon law.

“Medical Marijuana Grow Site” means a location registered under ORS 475.304 where marijuana is produced for use by a registry identification cardholder.

“Medical Marijuana Processor” means a medical marijuana processing facility registered by the Oregon Health Authority.

“School, primary or secondary category” means a category of uses under Chapter 15.303 NMC that includes public and private schools, secular or parochial, at the primary, elementary, middle, junior high, or high school level that provide state mandated basic education primarily to minors.

~~“School, career”, for the purposes of medical marijuana dispensaries, means any private proprietary professional, technical, business or other school instruction, organization or person that offers any instruction or training for the purpose or purported purpose of instructing, training or preparing persons for any profession at a physical location attended primarily by minors.~~

Section 2. Newberg Development Code Section 15.305.020 shall be amended as follows:

15.305.020 Zoning use table

See Exhibit A, Attachment 1

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Findings –File DCA-15-002
Medical Marijuana Grow Sites, Processors and Dispensaries

I. Statewide Planning Goals - relevant goals

Goal 1, Citizen Involvement, requires the provision of opportunities for citizens to be involved in all phases of the planning process.

Finding: The City Council initiated the potential development code amendment at a public meeting on December 7, 2015. The Marijuana Subcommittee meet on December 9, 2015 at a public meeting to review potential place, time and manner regulations for Medical Marijuana Grow Sites, Processors and Dispensaries. The Planning Commission, after proper notice, held a public hearing on January 14, 2016. The City Council will consider the recommendation of the Planning Commission at a future public hearing date, and decide whether or not to adopt the development code amendment. The development code amendment process provides opportunity for public comments throughout the planning process.

Goal 2, Land Use Planning, requires the development of a process and policy framework that acts as a basis for all land use decisions.

Finding: The Medical Marijuana Grow Site, Processor and Dispensary proposal is supportive of this goal because it was developed following city procedures for legislative action.

II. Newberg Comprehensive Plan - relevant policies

A. CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT GOAL: To maintain a Citizen Involvement Program that offers citizens the opportunity for involvement in all phases of the planning process.

Finding: The City Council initiated the potential development code amendment at a public meeting on December 7, 2015. The Marijuana Subcommittee meet on December 9, 2015 at a public meeting to review potential place, time and manner regulations for Medical Marijuana Grow Sites, Processors and Dispensaries. The Planning Commission, after proper notice, held a public hearing on January 14, 2016. The City Council will consider the recommendation of the Planning Commission at a future public hearing date, and decide whether or not to adopt the development code amendment. The development code amendment process provides opportunity for public comments throughout the planning process.

B. LAND USE PLANNING GOAL: To maintain an on-going land use planning program to implement statewide and local goals. The program shall be consistent with natural and cultural resources and needs.

Finding: The Medical Marijuana Grow Sites, Processors and Dispensaries proposal is supportive of this goal because it was developed following city procedures for legislative action.

H. THE ECONOMY GOAL: To develop a diverse and stable economic base.

1. General Policies

c. The City will encourage the creation of a diversified employment base, the strengthening of trade centers and the attraction of both capital and labor intensive enterprises.

g. The City shall encourage business and industry to locate within the Newberg City limits.

Finding: The city encourages new businesses to develop within the city. A Medical Marijuana Grow Sites, Processor and Dispensary operation is a legal business under State law. Allowing Medical Marijuana Grow Sites in residential zones R-1, R-2 and R-3 as permitted uses with up to 12 mature plants or two patients as an indoor operation and as conditional in all other zones; allowing Medical Marijuana Processors as a permitted use in M-1, M-2, M-3, M-4, AI and SD/E; and adjusting the footnote language for Medical Marijuana Dispensaries to align with HB 3400 definitions for public, private or parochial schools, is consistent with this Comprehensive Plan goal.

III. Conclusion: The proposed development code amendments meet the applicable requirements of the Statewide Planning Goals, and the Newberg Comprehensive Plan, and should be approved.

- (14) Allowed exclusively for employers or employees of businesses located within this district.
- (15) Facility over 40,000 square feet gross floor area requires a conditional use permit.
- (16) Allowed in areas designated in Industrial area plans.
- (17) Limited to facilities owned or operated by a public agency.
- (18) Parking garages are a conditional use, and must have first floor street frontage of 40 feet or less for ingress or egress. First floor development must be commercial.
- (19) A conditional use permit is required if the facility is less than 2,000 feet from the nearest telecommunication facility.
- (20) Businesses in the C-1 zone that have hours of operation between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. require a conditional use permit.
- (21) Drive-up service windows accessory to an existing business on the site with walk-in customer service, such as a drive-up bank window, are allowed only with a conditional use permit. Otherwise, drive-up service windows, except those in service on April 1, 2002, are prohibited. Changes in use will not be allowed.
- (22) Retail sales of goods on site not allowed.
- (23) Limited to secondhand stores.
- (24) Store size is limited to 2,000 square feet gross floor area.
- (25) Store size is limited to 5,000 square feet gross floor area.
- (26) Use must demonstrate that it is compatible with airport operations.
- (27) Limited to service stations.
- (28) Limited to card lock fueling only. Retail services are limited to self-vending services.
- (29) Permitted provided the structure is designed for easy conversion to industrial use, including not having fixed seating.
- (30) Limited to 10,000 square feet maximum floor area.
- (31) Allowed indoors only.
- (32) Allowed indoors only. Outdoor use requires a conditional use permit.
- (33) Must be aviation-related. See Chapter 15.332 NMC.
- (34) Limited to expansion or change of existing heavy manufacturing uses.
- (35) Shall not be located at the same address as a state-registered marijuana grow site, or within 1,000 feet of the real property comprising a public park, a public elementary or secondary school for which attendance is compulsory under ORS 339.020 or a private or parochial elementary or secondary school, teaching children as described in ORS 339.030 (1)(a) ~~public or private primary, elementary, secondary or career school.~~ Distance is measured in a straight line in a radius extending for 1,000 feet or less in any direction from the closest point anywhere on the boundary line of the real property comprising an existing public park, public elementary or secondary school or a private or parochial elementary or secondary school ~~private elementary, secondary or career school~~ to the closest point of the premises of a dispensary. The premises consist of the dispensary building, or the portion of the building used for a dispensary. Shall not be located within 1,000 feet of another medical marijuana dispensary. Operating hours are limited to the hours between 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
- (36) Allows up to 12 mature plants; indoor operations only.
- (37) Provide for electrical inspection for permitted uses to support proposed operations as inspected by Yamhill County.

1 Code reviser's note: Section 25 of Ordinance 2763 provides:

SECTION 25: Grace period for previously permitted or conditional uses. Where an applicant demonstrates that a particular use was a permitted or conditional use on a specific property immediately prior to adoption of this ordinance, but that the use is no longer either a permitted or conditional use on that property due to this ordinance, the applicant may establish the use as either a permitted or conditional use, as provided in the prior code, provided the use is legally commenced prior to January 1, 2018.



RESOLUTION No. 2015-3244

A RESOLUTION INITIATING AN AMENDMENT TO THE NEWBERG MUNICIPAL CODE, TITLE 15 DEVELOPMENT CODE FOR TIME, PLACE AND MANNER REGULATIONS FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA GROWERS AND PROCESSORS

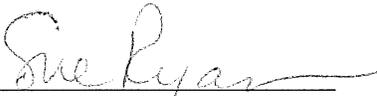
RECITALS:

1. The Oregon Legislature enacted four bills during the 2015 legislative session related to the Oregon Medical Marijuana Act and Measure 91. House Bill (HB) 3400 was the omnibus bill covering recreational marijuana and modifications to the medical marijuana program.
2. The Oregon Health Authority adopted temporary OAR's on September 22, 2015 for revisions to the medical marijuana program under Chapter 333, Division 8.
3. On September 8, 2015 the Newberg City Council was provided background information on medical and recreational marijuana at its Work Session. At its Business Session on September 8th the City Council established the Marijuana Subcommittee (Subcommittee) comprised of Councilors Rourke, Bacon and McKinney along with nonvoting member Mayor Andrews.
4. The Subcommittee met on November 19, 2015 to review the similarities and differences between the medical marijuana and recreational marijuana programs. The Subcommittee was briefed that the operational date for the medical marijuana modifications in HB 3400 is March 1, 2016. The Subcommittee was also provided a timeline of dates and activities that would need to occur to prepare time, place and manner land use regulations for medical marijuana growers and processors.
5. The Subcommittee passed a motion 3-0 directing staff to create an RCA to initiate the Development Code Amendment for medical marijuana grower and processor regulations to bring forward for Council consideration on December 7.

THE CITY OF NEWBERG RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council initiates an amendment to the Newberg Municipal Code, Title 15 Development Code for Time, Place and Manner Regulations for Medical Marijuana Growers and Processors. This starts the public process to study the proposed amendments.
2. By initiating this amendment, the council does not commit to taking any specific action on the proposal. It only wishes to give the amendment full consideration in a public hearing.

➤ **EFFECTIVE DATE** of this resolution is the day after the adoption date, which is: December 8, 2015
ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Newberg, Oregon, this 7th day of December, 2015.



Sue Ryan, City Recorder

ATTEST by the Mayor this 10th day of December, 2015.



Bob Andrews, Mayor