

# County of Santa Barbara BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

## Minute Order

## February 2, 2021

## **Present:** 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino

### COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE

File Reference No. 21-00116

**RE:** HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding Chapter 50 - Licensing of Commercial Cannabis Operations Ordinance Amendments, as follows: (EST. TIME: 1 HR.)

a) Consider the introduction (First Reading) of an Ordinance of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara amending Chapter 50 of the Santa Barbara County Code, Licensing of Commercial Cannabis Operations;

b) Read the title: "An Ordinance Amending Chapter 50, Licensing of Commercial Cannabis Operations, of The Santa Barbara County Code," and waive reading of the Ordinance in full;

c) Set a hearing on the Administrative Agenda for February 9, 2021 to consider the adoption (Second Reading) of an Ordinance Amending Chapter 50 of the Santa Barbara County Code, Licensing of Commercial Cannabis Operations; and

d) Make the required California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) findings and determine for the purposes of CEQA that:

 i) These actions are within the scope of the Cannabis Land Use Ordinance and Licensing Program, and the Cannabis Land Use Ordinance and Licensing Program Final Programmatic Environmental Impact Report (PEIR) [Case No. 17EIR-00000-00003, State Clearinghouse No. 2017071016] adequately describes this activity for the purposes of CEQA; and

ii) Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15162(a), after considering the PEIR certified by the Board of Supervisors on February 6, 2018, that no subsequent EIR or Negative Declaration is required because: i) no substantial changes are proposed which require major revisions of the PEIR; ii) no substantial changes have occurred with respect to the circumstances under which the Ordinance is undertaken which require major revisions of the PEIR; and iii) no new information of substantial importance concerning the Ordinance's significant effects or mitigation measures, which was not known and could not have been known with the exercise of reasonable diligence at the time that the PEIR was certified, has been received;

That the Board of Supervisors on Administrative Agenda of February 9, 2021 consider recommendations, as follows:



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b) Make the required California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) findings and determine for the purposes of CEQA that:

 i) These actions are within the scope of the Cannabis Land Use Ordinance and Licensing Program, and the Cannabis Land Use Ordinance and Licensing Program Final PEIR [Case No. 17EIR-00000-00003, State Clearinghouse No. 2017071016] adequately describes this activity for the purposes of CEQA; and

ii) Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15162(a), after considering the PEIR certified by the Board of Supervisors on February 6, 2018, that no subsequent EIR or Negative Declaration is required because: i) no substantial changes are proposed which require major revisions of the PEIR; ii) no substantial changes have occurred with respect to the circumstances under which the Ordinance is undertaken which require major revisions of the PEIR; and iii) no new information of substantial importance concerning the Ordinance's significant effects or mitigation measures, which was not known and could not have been known with the exercise of reasonable diligence at the time that the PEIR was certified, has been received.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION: POLICY

HEARING TIME: 11:29 AM - 12:43 AM (1HR. 14 MIN.)



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Received and filed staff presentation and conducted public hearing.

A motion was made by Supervisor Lavagnino, seconded by Supervisor Williams, that this matter be acted on as follows:

a) Introduction (First Reading) approved as amended to incorporate the revised language as reflected on slide six(6) from staff's presentation before the Board on February 2, 2021;

Directed staff to return to the Board as appropriate regarding a discussion on the "Change of Ownership"; further directed staff to return to the Board on a yearly basis for updates to Chapter 50;

b) Read title, waived further reading of the Ordinance;

c) Set a hearing on the Administrative Agenda for February 9, 2021 to consider the Adoption (Second Reading) of the Ordinance; and

d) i) and ii) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino