

LEGAL NOTICE
WHITEWATER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT NO. 85

The Whitewater Township Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing at their regularly scheduled meeting on **Wednesday, July 6th, 2022 beginning at 7 o'clock in the evening at the Whitewater Township Hall, 5777 Vinton Road, Williamsburg, Michigan**. The purpose of the public hearing will be to receive comments regarding certain proposed amendments to the Whitewater Township Zoning Ordinance as described below:

Article 3, DEFINITIONS: The purpose of this amendment is to add a definition for “Residential Development” and to add a section for “Marijuana Related Definitions”.

Article 6, RESIDENTIAL R-1: The purpose of this amendment is to add Caregiver Operations as a “Permitted Use” in all districts.

Article 9, INDUSTRIAL N: The purpose of this amendment is to add Medical Marijuana Grow and Processing facilities as a “Use Permitted by Special Use” in the Industrial district.

Article 10, AGRICULTURAL A-1: The purpose of this amendment is to add Medical Marijuana Grow and Processing facilities as a “Use Permitted by Special Use” in the Agricultural district.

Article 25, SITE PLAN REVIEW AND SPECIAL USE PERMITS: The purpose of this amendment to Article 25 by adding 25.22.E, S.U.P. STANDARDS GOVERNING LOCATION AND OPERATION OF MARIJUANA BUSINESSES, providing for the regulation of Commercial Medical Marijuana Facilities, and define guidelines for evaluation of such Facilities, Establishments, and Operations as Special Uses.

Article 37: SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS: The purpose of this amendment is to add Article 37.60, MARIJUANA CAREGIVER OPERATIONS, providing standards for the regulation and operation of Primary Caregiver facilities as a Permitted Use.

All persons are welcome to attend and will be heard concerning the proposed amendments. Remote participation through Zoom will be available. A copy of the proposed zoning ordinance amendment language is available for public inspection at the Whitewater Township offices, 5777 Vinton Road, Williamsburg, Michigan 49690, during regular business hours, and on the township website at www.whitewatertownship.org.

Written comments will be received until the time of the meeting and should be addressed to the Whitewater Township Planning Commission, P.O. Box 159, Williamsburg, Michigan 49690.

Whitewater Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities who are planning to attend. Contact the township clerk at (231) 267-5141 x24 at least 5 days in advance of the public hearing.

Cheryl A. Goss
Whitewater Township Clerk

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