

**NOTICE OF HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Walla Walla County, Washington, will hold a public hearing at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 2, 2014 in Commissioners' Chambers, Walla Walla County Public Health and Legislative Building, 314 West Main, Walla Walla, Washington to receive public testimony regarding proposed amendments to Walla Walla County Code regarding recreational marijuana uses. The following options will be discussed:

The Planning Commission's recommendation to allow recreational marijuana production, processing, warehousing, storage, packing and retail sales facilities as conditional uses in the Heavy Industrial zone subject to Washington State Liquor Control Board approval and a 1,000 foot setback from urban single family and multi-family zoned properties. The Board may consider modifying the setback requirements to less than 1,000 feet from urban single family and multi-family zoned properties.

Allowing recreational marijuana production, processing, warehousing, storage, packing and retail sales facilities as conditional uses in the Light Industrial zone subject to Washington State Liquor Control Board approval and a possible buffer of up to a 1,000 foot setback from urban single family and multi-family zoned properties. This option was reviewed by the Planning Commission but not recommended.

Consideration of an outright ban based on zoning principles. This option was set forth in the "Principles for Recreational Marijuana Regulations" adopted by the Board before the matter was referred to the Planning Commission. As noted in that document, such a ban would be considered by the Board after receiving the Planning Commission's Recommendation.

Consideration of a prohibition on recreational marijuana land uses until the uses are allowed by Federal Law. This option was set forth in the "Principles for Recreational Marijuana Regulations" adopted by the Board before the matter was referred to the Planning Commission. As

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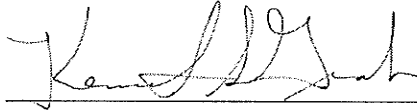
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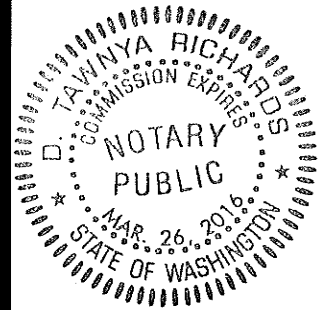


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noted in that document, such a prohibition would be considered by the Board after receiving the Planning Commission's Recommendation.

Extension of the current Moratorium, which expires September 15, 2014. This may be necessary, if, as a result of discussion of the above options, additional staff work, analysis, environmental reviews or public hearings are deemed necessary.

Any citizen may appear at said hearing and testify, or written testimony, which will become a part of the record, may be sent to: Walla Walla County Commissioners, P. O. Box 1506, Walla Walla, WA 99362.

Dated this 18th day of August, 2014  
Board of County Commissioners  
Walla Walla County, Washington

/s/ Connie R. Vinti, Clerk of the Board

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