

TOWNSHIP OF BLENDON
COUNTY OF OTTAWA, MICHIGAN

At a regular meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Blendon, held at the Township Hall, 7161 72nd Avenue, Hudsonville, Michigan, on the 21st day of January, 2019, at 7 p.m.

PRESENT: Overway, Vanden Berg, Vander Veen, DeLange, Golembiewski

ABSENT:

The following ordinance was offered by Member Bill Vanden Berg and seconded by Member Robin Overway.

ORDINANCE NO. 95

**AN ORDINANCE TO COMPLETELY PROHIBIT THE ESTABLISHMENT
OR OPERATION OF RECREATIONAL MARIHUANA ESTABLISHMENTS
IN THE TOWNSHIP**

THE TOWNSHIP OF BLENDON ORDAINS:

Section 1. Recreational Marihuana Establishments Prohibited. The establishment and/or operation of any and all types of a “marihuana establishment,” as that term is defined and used in Michigan Initiated Law 1 of 2018, commonly known as the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act, is prohibited throughout the jurisdictional boundaries of Blendon Township. This prohibition includes, but is not limited to, the following types of marihuana establishments:

- (a) Marihuana grower.
- (b) Marihuana safety compliance facility.
- (c) Marihuana processor.
- (d) Marihuana microbusiness.
- (e) Marihuana retailer.
- (f) Marihuana secure transporter.
- (g) Any other type of marihuana-related business that is subject to licensing by the state department of licensing and regulatory affairs (“LARA”) under Michigan Initiated Law 1 of 2018 or the rules promulgated thereunder.

Section 2. Rights Under MMMA Not Impaired. This Ordinance does not limit any privileges, rights, immunities or defenses of a person as provided in the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act, Michigan Initiated Law 1 of 2008, MCL 333.26421, *et seq.*

Section 3. Transportation of Marihuana. This Ordinance does not restrict or prohibit the transportation of marihuana through the Township authorized by state law.

Section 4. Violations; Injunctive Relief. A violation of this Ordinance is hereby declared to be a nuisance per se. The Township may seek injunctive relief against a violator, in order to abate the violation or to seek such other relief provided by law. In a proceeding for injunctive relief, the violator shall be responsible for all costs, damages, expenses and attorney fees incurred by the Township and shall be subject to all other remedies provided to the Township by law.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be effective 30 days after publication of this Ordinance or a summary of its provisions.

AYES: Vanden Berg, Overway, Vander Veen, DeLange, Golembiewski

NAYS:

ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.



Robin Overway, Township Clerk