



City of Fort Lupton
Marijuana Licensing Authority
Agenda
Tuesday, January 7, 2025
6:00 PM
130 South McKinley Avenue

Zo Hubbard, Mayor
Valerie Blackston, Ward 1
Chris Ceretto, Ward 2
Carlos Barron, Ward 3
David Crespín, Ward 1
Claud Hanes, Ward 2
Bruce Fitzgerald, Ward 3

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Approval of Agenda

Consent Agenda - Consent Agenda items are considered to be routine and will be enacted by one motion and vote. There will be no separate discussion of Consent Agenda items unless a Councilmember so requests, in which case the item may be removed/moved from the Consent Agenda.

Action Memorandum

- a. AM 2025-001 Consideration of an Application for Change of Manager at Silver Stem Fine Cannabis
- b. AM 2025-002 Consideration of an Application to Modify Premises Submitted by Natures Herbs and Wellness of Fort Lupton at 1310 Factory Circle

Adjourn



SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION

Consideration of an Application for Change of Manager at Silver Stem Fine Cannabis

SUMMARY STATEMENT/BACKGROUND DISCUSSION

Silver Stem Fine Cannabis, located at 7853 Hwy 85, has submitted an application for Change of Manager. The applicant is Mariah Hernandez. Ms. Hernandez currently possesses a Colorado Marijuana license (badge) to work in a Marijuana Business, has not applied for a Marijuana license in any other jurisdiction, and has not been denied a Marijuana license, withdrawn a Marijuana license application or had any disciplinary action taken against the Marijuana license.

Pursuant to the Municipal Code, Section 6-361 (g) The manager of a marijuana store shall register with the state and the local licensing authority. Whenever a person ceases to be a registered manager of a marijuana store, the marijuana licensee shall notify the licensing authorities within five (5) days and shall designate a new registered manager within thirty (30) days. Either the state or the local licensing authority may refuse to accept any person as a registered manager unless the person is satisfactory to the respective licensing authorities as to character, record, and reputation. In determining a registered manager's character, record, and reputation, the state or local licensing authority may have access to criminal history record information furnished by a criminal justice agency subject to any restrictions imposed by such agency.

The municipal code does not provide for administrative review of manager applications, therefore, the application is being brought before the Authority.

Fingerprint results were received and a background check conducted by the Police Department. The results indicated that a record exists.

The City Attorney will address the moral character and reputation with the applicant at the hearing. The owners and applicant will be attending the meeting to address any concerns or answer any questions the Marijuana Licensing Authority has.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

N/A

LEGAL/POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS

N/A

ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS

N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff seeks direction.

Certification of Council Approval:

Ordinance No. _____

Resolution No. _____

City Clerk

Date



SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION

Consideration of an Application to Modify Premises Submitted by Natures Herbs and Wellness of Fort Lupton at 1310 Factory Circle

SUMMARY STATEMENT/BACKGROUND DISCUSSION

An application has been submitted by Tucker Elridge, Operations Director of Natures Herbs and Wellness of Fort Lupton to modify the marijuana licensed premises at 1310 Factory Circle.

The municipal code does not provide for administrative review of such applications, therefore, the application is being brought before the Authority.

The application has been reviewed by the Police Department with no concerns noted on the layout.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

N/A

LEGAL/POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS

N/A

ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS

1. Approve the Modification of Premises.
2. Deny the Modification of Premises – If denied the applicant shall be entitled to a hearing on the denial.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Attachments: a. n/a

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