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ORDINANCE NO. 2018-1

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PROHIBITION OF MARIHUANA ESTABLISHMENTS ORDINANCE

An Ordinance pursuant to Public Act 246 of 1945, MCL 41.181, et seq., to prohibit marihuana establishments to the fullest extent possible pursuant to section 6 of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act and all other applicable Michigan laws.

THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP, SANILAC COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Title

This ordinance shall be known as the "Prohibition of Marihuana Establishments Ordinance" (hereinafter referred to as "Ordinance").

Section 2. Purpose

Watertown Township finds that it is necessary and reasonable to prohibit marihuana establishments within its boundaries to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the persons and property within the township. Furthermore, marihuana establishments, which include, but are not limited to, the activities of growing marihuana, operating a marihuana safety compliance facility, processing marihuana, and selling marihuana are currently illegal under federal law.

Section 3. Regulation

Marihuana establishment(s), as defined by the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act including, but not limited to, a marihuana grower, marihuana safety compliance facility, marihuana processor, marihuana microbusiness, marihuana retailer, marihuana secure transporter, or any other type of marihuana-related business licensed by the department of licensing and regulatory affairs of the State of Michigan are prohibited to fullest extent possible pursuant to section 6 of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act and all other applicable Michigan laws within the boundaries of Watertown Township.

Section 4. Severability

This Ordinance and the various parts, sentences, paragraphs, sections, subsections, phrases, and clauses are hereby declared severable, and if any of them are adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, it is hereby declared that the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected by such determination.

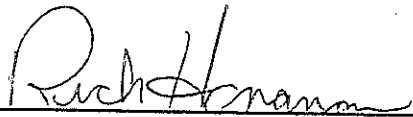
Section 5. Repealer

All ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

Section 6. Effective Date

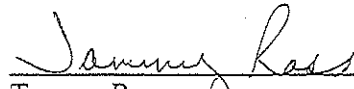
This Ordinance shall become effective on the day after publication as required by law following adoption by the Township Board.

Approved this 16th day of October, 2018.

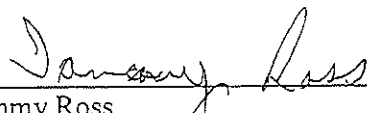

Rich Honaman, Supervisor


Tammy Ross, Township Clerk

I, Tammy Ross, Clerk of the Township of Watertown, Sanilac County, Michigan, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 2018-1 was published in the Tribune Recorder Leader on the 24 day of October, 2018.


Tammy Ross
Watertown Township Clerk

I, Tammy Ross, Clerk of the Township of Watertown, Sanilac County, Michigan, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 2018-1 was filed with the Sanilac County Clerk on the 19 day of October, 2018.


Tammy Ross
Watertown Township Clerk