



TOWN OF ACUSHNET
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REVISED POSTING - NON-MEDICAL MARIJUANA ESTABLISHMENTS
PROHIBITION

Notice of Planning Board Hearing
Relative to Proposed Zoning By-Law Amendments
Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 40A, § 5

The Planning Board of the Town of **Acushnet** will hold a public hearing to discuss proposed amendments to the town's zoning by-laws. The public hearing will be held as follows:

- Place:** Planning Office, 130 Main Street, Parting Ways, 2nd floor
- Date:** April 19, 2018
- Time:** 7:00 pm

The subject matter of the proposed amendments is/are as indicated below (*attach additional sheets if necessary*). The complete text and maps relative to the proposed amendments are available for inspection during regular business hours at the following place(s):¹

- Place:** Bulletin Board in the Town Clerk's Office - Town Hall
- Place:** Bulletin Board outside Tax Collector's Office - Town Hall
- Place:** Bulletin Board outside Planning Office - Parting Ways Building

Article Number XX: Subject Matter of Proposed Amendments Sufficient for Identification
Non-Medical Marijuana establishments Prohibited Use

Section ____ Marijuana Establishments Prohibited

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaw of the Town of Acushnet by amending Section _____, to add: Consistent with M.G.L. c.94G, §3(a)(2), all types of non-medical “marijuana establishments” as defined in M.G.L.c.94G, §1, including marijuana cultivators, independent testing laboratories, marijuana product manufacturers, marijuana retailers or any other type of licensed marijuana-related businesses, shall be prohibited within the Town of Acushnet.

Or take any action relative thereto.

OR

If the Town votes to allow non-medical marijuana establishments....

¹ **Note:** The above information is *strictly required* by M.G.L. c. 40A, § 5.

Zoning Bylaw Warrant Article

To see if the Town will vote to amend Town of Acushnet Bylaws, Zoning Article VIII, Section 3.3., to allow non-medical marijuana establishments as a permitted use by special permit **in I-1 and I-2 Districts**. Consistent with G.L. c.94G, §3(a)(2), all types of non-medical “marijuana establishments” shall be defined as marijuana cultivators, independent testing laboratories, marijuana product manufacturers, and licensed marijuana retailers
Or take any action relative thereto.

If the Town votes to prohibit non-medical marijuana establishments, this Bylaw amendment can be tabled.

Submitted jointly by the Board of Selectmen and the Planning Commission

The full text of the amendment, together with public hearing notices and supporting documentation, are available for inspection at the Town Clerk’s office during normal Town Hall business hours.