



## OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE

**CODE AMENDMENT CO-17-07: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COSTA MESA AMENDING ARTICLE 5 (ADMINISTRATION, APPLICATION AND PROCEDURES) OF CHAPTER I (BUSINESS TAX) AND CHAPTER VI (MEDICAL MARIJUANA BUSINESS PERMITS) OF TITLE 9 (LICENSES AND BUSINESS REGULATIONS); CHAPTER IV (CITYWIDE LAND USE MATRIX) AND ARTICLE 21 (MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISTRIBUTING, MANUFACTURING, PROCESSING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, TESTING LABORATORIES AND TRANSPORTING LOCATIONS) OF CHAPTER IX (SPECIAL LAND USE REGULATIONS) OF TITLE 13 (PLANNING ZONING AND DEVELOPMENT), RELATING TO AMENDMENTS TO VOTER APPROVED ORDINANCE 16-15 (MEASURE X, THE COSTA MESA MEDICAL MARIJUANA MEASURE)**

The Costa Mesa Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider Code Amendment CO-17-07. The proposed Code Amendment will amend portions of Title 9 and Title 13 of the Costa Mesa Municipal Code as they pertain to provisions for medical marijuana uses permitted in the City pursuant to Measure X. The proposed Code amendment allows for adult use marijuana to be distributed, manufactured, researched and developed and tested in the same locations and subject to the same permitting process and restrictions as medical marijuana and makes textual revisions to conform to state law. Cultivation, to the extent allowed by state law, dispensaries, and retail sales of marijuana will continue to be prohibited in the City.

Environmental Determination: The ordinance is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Section 15061(b)(3) (General Rule).

The public hearing will be held as follows:

**DATE:** Monday, February 26, 2018  
**TIME:** 6:00 p.m. or as soon as possible thereafter  
**PLACE:** City Hall Council Chambers  
77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, California

**Additional Information:** For more information, call (714) 754-5245, or email [PlanningCommission@costamesaca.gov](mailto:PlanningCommission@costamesaca.gov) or visit the Planning Division on the Second Floor of City Hall, 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, California. The Planning Division is open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except specified holidays. A copy of the draft amendment can be viewed on the City's webpage [www.costamesaca.gov](http://www.costamesaca.gov) 72 hours prior to the hearing date. All interested parties may appear and present testimony in regard to this application. If you challenge this project in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you, or someone else raised, at the public hearing or in written correspondence delivered to the City, at or prior to, the public hearing. Any written correspondence or other materials for distribution to the Planning Commission must be received by Planning Division staff prior to **3:00 p.m.** on the day of the hearing.

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