

## REPORT TO THE CITY COUNCIL

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**DATE:** January 16, 2018

**TITLE:** Second Reading and Adoption of an Ordinance Amending All Validly Approved Medical Marijuana Cultivation, Manufacturing, Testing, Distribution and Dispensary Development Agreements, Entitlements, Permits and Licenses That Are in Good Standing With the City to Include Recreational/Adult Marijuana Use

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

Approve Second Reading, read by title only and adopt, "an Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Desert Hot Springs, California, amending all validly approved Medical Marijuana Cultivation, Manufacturing, Testing, Distribution and Dispensary Development Agreements, Entitlements, Permits and Licenses that are in good standing with the City to include Recreational/Adult Marijuana Use.

### **BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION**

The Ordinance (Exhibit 2) was introduced for First Reading by the City Council at a Special meeting of the City Council held on December 12, 2017 amended as follows:

#### **Section 2. APPROVAL OF RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA**

*That the City Council of the City of Desert Hot Springs recognizes that since all City-issued entitlements (including but not limited to development agreements and conditional use permits), permits and licenses (collectively "Approvals") have been issued or approved for medical marijuana to be dispensed, manufactured, tested or distributed, all Approvals are collectively hereby amended and revised to grant all current and future holders of the aforementioned Approvals, in good standing with the City, to include recreational marijuana as part of their approved marijuana-related activities.*

The Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its Second Reading.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

None.

### **EXHIBIT(S)**

- 1) First Reading Staff Report from December 12, 2017
- 2) Ordinance