



DATE: February 11, 2021

DEPT: Community Development

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THE PLANNING COMMISSION TO RECOMMEND TO THE CITY COUNCIL ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PLANNING AND ZONING CODE RELATED TO REDUCING THE DISTANCE REQUIREMENT BETWEEN COMMERCIAL CANNABIS FACILITIES AND SCHOOLS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, on February 23, 2021 at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as possible, the Planning Commission of the City of Coalinga will hold a public hearing at a regularly scheduled meeting VIA ZOOM WEBINAR for the following purpose:

Consideration of a City initiated zoning text amendment amending the planning and zoning code related to reducing the distance requirement from where non-retail commercial cannabis facilities may operate in proximity to a school. Currently, cannabis facilities are prohibited from operating closer than 1,800 feet from any existing school (as prescribed by law) or proposed school site as identified in the General Plan. Non-Retail Cannabis facilities are permitted in the Manufacturing/Business Light (MBL) zoning district so long as they meet the distance criteria. The City desires to amend section 9-5.128(d)(12) of the planning and zoning code to reduce the distance requirement from within 1,800 feet to within 930 feet.

All interested persons are invited to appear at the time and place specified above to give testimony regarding the proposed action(s) listed above. Written comments may be forwarded to the City of Coalinga Community Development Department, attention Sean Brewer, Assistant City Manager via email at sbrewer@coalinga.com or mailed to or dropped off at 155 W. Durian, Coalinga, CA 93210.

Zoom Webinar Information

Web Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82030216254?pwd=MTFFQlEzMkprbnRmQ3hPTGNrWjFGdz09>

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Please share this notice with your neighbors or anyone you feel may be interested. Anyone may testify at this hearing. For information contact City Hall (935-1533). The agenda for this public hearing will be posted at the City's website at <https://coalinga.novusagenda.com/AgendaPublic/> on or around Thursday February 18, 2021.

If you challenge the above matter 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 Planning Commission at, or prior to, the Public Hearing.

SEAN BREWER, ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER