

Current/Proposed Local Ordinances

Medical Marijuana

October 17, 2016

City of Vacaville

- Adopted “No Grow” Ordinance which bans all commercial cannabis cultivation, dispensary and delivery.
- Includes a ban on personal cultivation for 48 months with a sunset clause.

City of Suisun

- Bans marijuana dispensaries, mobile marijuana dispensaries and cultivation EXCEPT for personal individual cultivation as permitted by State law.

City of Rio Vista

- Prohibits deliveries and mobile dispensaries and regulates cultivation.
- Allows outdoor cultivation in enclosed detached structure (no kitchen, no bathroom) of 120 sq. ft. or less with a 10' setback from property line and defers to State law for # of plants. Must have medical recommendation from physician and obtain license from Police Chief.

City of Dixon

- Prohibits commercial cannabis activity including cultivation, possession, manufacture, processing, storing, laboratory testing, labeling, transporting, distribution or sale of medical cannabis or medical cannabis product.
- Does not regulate activities of qualified patients and primary caregivers.
- In September 2016, Council approved an ordinance to repeal the ban on commercial cannabis activity while maintaining the ban on commercial cultivation. The ordinance will allow two dispensaries to operate within the city limits of Dixon.
- Dixon also has Measure K on the November 2016 ballot for a business license tax of 15% on medical marijuana businesses.

City of Benicia

- Prohibits dispensaries, deliveries, and commercial cultivation.
- Allows indoor cultivation in a fully enclosed structure if there is no visual or olfactory evidence of cultivation detectable from the public right of way or from adjoining properties.
- Requires a qualified patient to live on the parcel and no more than 6 mature plants and 12 immature plants per the State Guidelines and per qualified patient.
- Will revisit delivery at a future date.

City of Vallejo

- Currently has ten compliant dispensaries meaning the dispensary was operating prior to April 2013, paid taxes and have obtained building, fire approval including ventilation updates.
- Has established an advisory group (16-20 members) that is currently reviewing the creation of cultivation, delivery and other marijuana business regulations. Expected to report back to the City Council on November 1, 2016 limiting on-site cultivation and addressing delivery.