## ROSS TOWNSHIP KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN

## **NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE**

## TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF ROSS TOWNSHIP, KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the following is a summary of an Ordinance which was adopted by the Township Board of Ross Township at its meeting held on November 14, 2017.

## **ORDINANCE 205 – MEDICAL MARIHUANA FACILITIES ORDINANCE**

<u>SECTION I.</u> <u>TITLE</u>. The Ordinance is entitled the Ross Township Medical Marihuana Facilities Ordinance.

<u>SECTION II.</u> <u>DEFINITIONS</u>. This section references definitions per PA 218 of 2016, as may be amended.

<u>SECTION III</u>. <u>AUTHORIZED MARIHUANA FACILITIES</u>. This section authorizes the establishment and operation in the Township of growers, processors, safety compliance facilities and secure transporters, upon proper licensing and approvals. This section prohibits the establishment and/or operation of a provisioning center in the Township. This section provides the Township's authorization process.

<u>SECTION IV.</u> <u>GENERAL REGULATIONS REGARDING AUTHORIZED MEDICAL</u> <u>MARIHUANA FACILITIES.</u> This section requires state licensure, zoning compliance, compliance with all applicable township ordinances, including police power ordinances, inspection regulations, revocation process and no vested rights.

<u>SECTION V.</u> <u>ANNUAL FACILITY FEE.</u> This section establishes an annual fee to defray administrative and enforcement costs associated with authorized medical marihuana facilities.

<u>SECTION VI</u>. <u>VIOLATION AND PENALTIES</u>. This section details violations of the Ordinance, provides that a violation is a nuisance per se and a municipal civil infraction and provides penalties.

<u>SECTION VII</u>. <u>SEVERABILITY</u>. The provisions of this Ordinance are severable.

<u>SECTION VIII.</u> <u>REPEAL</u>. This section provides that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed.

<u>SECTION IX</u>. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>. This Ordinance shall take effect December 20, 2017.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that the full text of the Ordinance has been posted in the office of the Ross Township Clerk at the address set forth below and that copies of this Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the office of the Ross Township Clerk during regular business hours of regular working days following the date of this publication.

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