

Executive Summary

City Council Workshop

AGENDA ITEM: Ordinance 346 & 347 Cannabis Ordinance

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discussion

Summary:

Council is asked to consider Ordinance No. 346, which repeals Maple Plain City Code Chapter 4, Article 12, eliminating the local THC regulatory framework effective January 1, 2026, and Ordinance No. 347, which adds Article 14 to establish a local regulatory structure for cannabis retail businesses aligned with the Minnesota Office of Cannabis Management licensing process. Ordinance 346 serves as a code cleanup measure to remove outdated provisions and position the City for compliance with state law, while Ordinance 347 introduces requirements for registration, operational standards, enforcement procedures, and retail density limits to ensure safe and lawful cannabis retail operations in Maple Plain.

Staff will be recommending adoption of both ordinances and requests that Council reference the City Attorney's memo for additional legal context and guidance.