

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING PROCESS FOR CANNABIS LICENSING, INCLUDING CREATING A
SUB-COMMITTEE TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR CANNABIS LICENSING, INCLUDING THE
REVIEW AND EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS**

WHEREAS, on December 7, 2021, the Borough adopted Ordinance No. 2021-1480 (the “Ordinance”), pursuant to the authority of P.L. 2021, c. 16, known as the “New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory, Enforcement Assistance, Marketplace Modernization Act” (“Cannabis Act”), which authorizes municipalities to adopt regulations governing cannabis licensees; and

WHEREAS, the Ordinance provides for the issuance of licenses in the Borough for the cultivation, manufacture, wholesale and distribution of cannabis, as well as retail sale, subject to certain conditions and locations as specified in the Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council now desires to implement an orderly process to accept applications for such licenses, to review the applications and to evaluate prospective applicants for licenses; and

WHEREAS, the Borough is committed to undertaking a thorough and detailed review of the applicants; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to appoint a sub-committee to evaluate the prospective licensees and to make recommendations to the full Borough Council for appropriate action.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Tinton Falls, as follows:

1. A Cannabis Application Sub-Committee is hereby established, with the purpose of accepting applications for cannabis licenses, reviewing the applications and evaluating prospective applicants, and then to make recommendations to the full Borough Council for appropriate action.
2. The following persons are hereby appointed to the Cannabis Application Sub-Committee:
 - a. Councilmember Risa Clay
 - b. Councilmember John Manginelli
3. The Cannabis Application Sub-Committee is authorized to consult with Borough employees and professionals as needed by the Sub-Committee to perform its duties.
4. Each of the members of the Cannabis Application Sub-committee shall serve until August 31, 2023 so as to complete the review, evaluation and recommendation of applications that are submitted in accordance with the timeframes to be established by the Borough Council.

TRACY BUCKLEY, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

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Council Member	Moved	Second	Ayes	Nays	Absent	Abstain
Mrs. Clay						
Dr. Dobrin						
Mr. Manginelli						
Mr. Nesci						
Ms. Buckley						

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Tinton Falls Borough Council at their meeting held on September 6, 2022.

MICHELLE HUTCHINSON, BOROUGH CLERK