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REBECCA M. JOHNSON,
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BY Tracie Hoffman D.C.

RESOLUTION 2024-09

CITY OF GEORGETOWN, KENTUCKY

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GEORGETOWN, PURSUANT TO KRS 218B.130(2)(C), DIRECTING THAT THE QUESTION OF PROHIBITING MEDICAL CANNABIS BUSINESSES TO OPERATE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF GEORGETOWN BE SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS WHO ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN THE CITY'S ELECTIONS AT THE NEXT REGULAR ELECTION.

WHEREAS, the 2023 Kentucky General Assembly passed KRS 218B.010-.155 relating to the production, delivery and use of medical cannabis by cardholders; and

WHEREAS, part of that law, specifically KRS 218B.130(2)(c), allows local governments to enact a resolution directing that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within its territory be submitted to the voters of its territory at the next regular election; and

WHEREAS, the City of Georgetown hereby adopts this resolution pursuant to said statute to place the issue before the eligible voters of Georgetown, Kentucky to ask: "Are you in favor of the sale of medicinal cannabis at a licensed dispensary and the operation of other cannabis businesses in the City of Georgetown? Yes...No..."; and

WHEREAS, if the question submitted to the voters passes, medical cannabis sales and cannabis business operations may be conducted within the city limits of Georgetown, Kentucky, subject to any local zoning and/or licensing ordinances and regulations that may be adopted by the City of Georgetown; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of general election law shall apply to public questions submitted to voters under this Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City of Georgetown that:

In accordance with KRS 218B.130(2)(c), the City of Georgetown, Kentucky directs that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within its territory be submitted to the eligible voters of its territory at the next regular election, by asking the question: "Are you in favor of the sale of medicinal cannabis at a licensed dispensary and the operation of other cannabis businesses in the City of Georgetown? Yes...No..."

This RESOLUTION was approved by vote of the City Council, City of Georgetown on the 13th day of May, 2024.

BY: Burney Jenkins
Burney Jenkins (May 14, 2024 14:25 EDT)
Burney Jenkins, Mayor

ATTEST: Tracie Hoffman
Tracie Hoffman, City Clerk