

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-06
City of Morganfield, Kentucky

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A REFERENDUM TO DETERMINE
WHETHER MEDICAL CANNABIS BUSINESS OPERATIONS MAY OCCUR
WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF MORGANFIELD, KENTUCKY**

WHEREAS, on April 15, 2024, the Kentucky General Assembly passed 2024 House Bill 829, signed into law by Governor Andy Beshear on April 17, 2024, that amends KRS Chapter 218B, which codifies the statutes governing the Kentucky Medical Cannabis Program;

WHEREAS, KRS 218B.130 authorizes local governments to pass resolutions 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 Morganfield, Kentucky wishes to utilize the authority granted to it by KRS 218B.130 to direct that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within the City of Morganfield be submitted to the voters of the City of Morganfield at the next regular election

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Morganfield, Kentucky

Section 1

Definitions

The definitions within KRS 218B.010 are hereby adopted as if set out herein and as relevant to this resolution.

Section 2

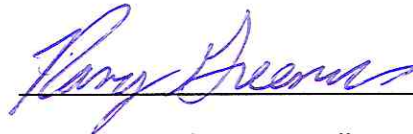
Cannabis Business Referendum Authorized

Pursuant to KRS 218B.130(2)(a)(2) and KRS §218B.130(3)(b), the City Council for the City of Morganfield, Kentucky hereby resolves that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within the City of Morganfield, Kentucky be submitted to the voters of the City of Morganfield at the next regular election in accordance with the language in KRS 218B.130(3)(b).

The ballot for the 2024 election shall state as follows: "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 Morganfield, Kentucky? Yes or No?"

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED ON THE 25th DAY OF JULY, 2024.

APPROVED:

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Mayor, Randy Greenwell

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Clements", written over a horizontal line.

City Administrator, Scott Clements

Date: 7/25/2024