

RESOLUTION NO. _07-2024_

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A REFERENDUM TO DETERMINE WHETHER
CANNABIS BUSINESS OPERATIONS MAY OCCUR IN THE
COUNTY OF LYON**

WHEREAS, on April 15, 2024, the Kentucky General Assembly adopted House Bill 829, signed into law by the Governor 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 County of Lyon 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 County of Lyon be submitted to the voters of the County of Lyon at the next regular election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Fiscal Court of the County of Lyon, Commonwealth of 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 Lyon County Fiscal Court hereby resolves that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within the County of Lyon be submitted to the voters of the County of Lyon 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 the other cannabis businesses in Lyon County Kentucky? Yes or No?”.

Section 3

Effective Date

This resolution shall be effective upon its enactment and publication by the County of Lyon.



Lyon County Judge/Executive

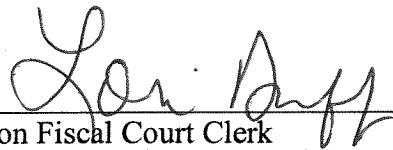
Passage by a vote of 3 to 0 on the 12th day of August, 2024

Bobby Cummins YES

Quin Sutton YES

Jaime Smith YES

Jeff Fowler ABSENT



Lyon Fiscal Court Clerk