COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY UNION FISCAL COURT RESOLUTION NO. 24- 1\(\)

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

WHEREAS, on April 15, 2024, the Kentucky General Assembly adopted House Bill 829 signed into law by the Governor on April 17, 2024 amending KRS Ch. 218B, the Kentucky Medical Cannabis chapter; and

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 Union wishes to utilize the authority granted to it by KRS 218B.130 to direct that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within Union County be submitted to the voters of Union County at the next regular election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Fiscal Court of Union County, 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 Union County Fiscal Court hereby resolves that the question of prohibiting cannabis businesses from operating within the County of Union be submitted to the voters of the County of Union at the next regular election in accordance with the language in KRS 218B.130(3)(b).

Section 3

Effective Date

This resolution shall be effective upon its enactment by the County of Uniony.

ADAM O'NAN, JUDGE EXECUTIVE

Passage by a vote of \(\bullet \) YEAS and \(\bullet \) NAYS on this the \(\bullet \bullet \bullet \bullet \) day of July, 2024.

GARRICK THOMPSON, UNION COUNTY CLERK