

RESOLUTION NO. 141-2022
AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION OF
A SEA BRIGHT CANNABIS COMMITTEE

Councilmember Booker introduced and offered for adoption the following resolution; seconded by Councilmember Birdsall:

WHEREAS, in 2020 New Jersey voters approved Public Question No. 1, which amended the New Jersey Constitution to allow for the legalization of a controlled form of marijuana called "cannabis" for adults and on February 22, 2021, Governor Murphy signed into law P.L. 2021, c. 16, known as the "New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory, Enforcement Assistance, and Marketplace Modernization Act" (the "Act"), which legalizes the recreational use of marijuana by adults 21 years of age or older, and establishes a comprehensive regulatory and licensing scheme for commercial recreational cannabis operations; and

WHEREAS, Section 31a of the Act authorizes municipalities to adopt by ordinance regulations governing the local licensing endorsement, location, manner and times of operation of cannabis establishments and cannabis distributors, and the location and manner of cannabis delivery services, and establishing civil penalties for the violation of any such regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council wish to determine what regulations governing cannabis are appropriate, and in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of Sea Bright's residents and members of the public; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey does, hereby appoint a Mayor's Blue Ribbon Committee, pursuant to Chapter 3-7 of the Code of the Borough of Sea Bright, which shall act as the Cannabis Committee to research and in due course make recommendations to the Governing Body to establish cannabis regulations within the Borough; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following Council members be appointed to the Sea Bright Cannabis Committee:

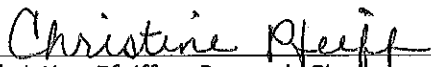
- 1. Councilman Bieber**
- 2. Councilman Birdsall**
- 3. Councilman Booker**

Roll Call:	Bieber,	Birdsall,	Booker,	Catalano,	Keeler,	Lamia
	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent

July 19, 2022

CERTIFICATION

I, Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a Resolution adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey at a Council meeting held on July 19, 2022.


Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk