



## Watertown Town Council

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ORDER # 91

2019- O- 91

**AN ORDER ACCEPTING THE PROVISIONS OF GENERAL LAWS CHAPTER 64N, SECTION 3 ALLOWING FOR IMPOSITION OF A SALES TAX UPON MARIJUANA RETAILERS.**

**WHEREAS**, the operation of adult use marijuana establishments has been legalized in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and

**WHEREAS**, the General Court has provided for the imposition of a local sales tax upon marijuana retailers; and


**WHEREAS**, imposition of such local sales tax is subject to statutory acceptance by vote of the Town Council as the Town's legislative body.

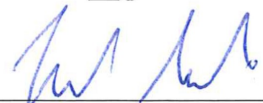
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED** by the Town Council of the City Known as the Town of Watertown that the provisions of General Laws Chapter 64N, Section 3, as most recently amended by Section 13 of Chapter 55 of the Acts of 2017, are hereby accepted for the purpose of imposing a local sales tax upon the sale or transfer of marijuana or marijuana products by a marijuana retailer operating within the Town of Watertown to anyone other than a marijuana establishment at a rate of three per cent (3%) of the total sales price received by the marijuana retailer as consideration for the sale of marijuana or marijuana products;

**AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that this acceptance of General Laws Chapter 64N, Section 3 shall take effect in the Town on the first day of the calendar quarter following 30 days after this vote of acceptance.

  
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Council Member

I hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the Town Council for which a quorum was present, the above Order was adopted by a vote of 9 for, 0 against and 0 present on November 26, 2019.

  
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Marilyn W. Pronovost, Council Clerk

  
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Mark S. Sideris, Council President