

Member
resolution and moved its adoption:

introduced the following

CITY OF BROOKLYN CENTER
HENNEPIN COUNTY

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-___

RESOLUTION APPROVING SUMMARY PUBLICATION OF INTERIM
ORDINANCE NO. 2022-02 AUTHORIZING A STUDY AND IMPOSING A
MORATORIUM ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW USES OR THE EXPANSION
OF EXISTING USES RELATED TO THE SALE OF THC PRODUCTS

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Brooklyn Center acted at its August 22, 2022 meeting to adopt Ordinance No. 2022-02, “An Interim Ordinance Authorizing a Study and Imposing a Moratorium on the Establishment of New Uses or the Expansion of Existing Uses related to the Sale of THC Products” (“Ordinance”); and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes, section 412.191, subdivision 4 allows publication of adopted ordinances by title and summary in the case of lengthy ordinances or those containing maps or charts; and

WHEREAS, the City Council determines publishing the entire text of the Ordinance is not in the best interests of the City as the Ordinance is readily available to the public on the City’s website and by contacting City Hall; and

WHEREAS, the City Council determines the following summary clearly informs the public of the intent of Ordinance and where to obtain a copy of the full text.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Brooklyn Center hereby approves publication of the following summary language as publication of the Ordinance:

CITY OF BROOKLYN CENTER
SUMMARY PUBLICATION
Ordinance No. 2022-02

AN INTERIM ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A STUDY AND IMPOSING A
MORATORIUM ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW USES OR THE EXPANSION OF
EXISTING USES RELATED TO THE SALE OF THC PRODUCTS

The Brooklyn Center City Council adopted the above-referenced interim ordinance establishing a moratorium on the sale of cannabinoid products, as that term is now defined in state law. The 2022 Legislature adopted an amendment to Minnesota Statutes, section 151.72 which permits the retail sale of edible cannabinoid products as of July 1, 2022. The act authorizes the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy to enforce the law but provides no guidance regarding regulation. Brooklyn

Center, like most cities, is unprepared to regulate the sale of these products. The interim ordinance declares a moratorium on such sales and authorizes a study to determine if and how the City wishes to regulate sales. Medical cannabis and hemp products which could be sold legally before July 1, 2022, are exempt from the moratorium. The ordinance is in effect 30 days from this publication. The full text of the ordinance is available on the City's website and can be obtained by contacting City Hall.

August 22, 2022

Date

Mayor

ATTEST: _____

City Clerk

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by member

and upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.