

Ordinance Fact Sheet

TO: CITY COUNCIL DATE: November 6, 2017

FROM: CITY ATTORNEY

SUBJECT: AN ORDINANCE REGARDING THE DELIVERY OF MARIJUANA INTO THE CITY OF PASADENA

TITLE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA AMENDING TITLE 8 (HEALTH AND SAFETY), CHAPTER 8.77 (PROHIBITION OF COMMERCIAL MARIJUANA ACTIVITY) OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE TO ALLOW COMMERCIAL MARIJUANA DELIVERY INTO THE CITY

PURPOSE OF ORDINANCE

At its meeting of this same date, the City Council will be asked to direct the City Attorney's Office to prepare this Ordinance, and to conduct first reading at the same time This Ordinance, if adopted, will permit the delivery of marijuana into and through the City.

REASON WHY LEGISLATION IS NEEDED

This Ordinance will amend the City's prior ban on delivery of marijuana into the City This will address issues associated with access to marijuana by local residents following the passage of Proposition 64 and the signing of Senate Bill 94

PROGRAMS, DEPARTMENTS OR GROUPS AFFECTED

Adoption of the Ordinance is not anticipated to affect the work load for any City department.

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FISCAL IMPACT

There is no anticipated fiscal impact, nor impact to other operational programs or capital projects as a result of this action.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

On this same date, the Council will be asked to find that the ordinance is not a project subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) in accordance with Section 21065 of CEQA and State CEQA Guidelines Sections 15060 (c)(2), 15060 (c)(3), and 15378, and that the proposed action is exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3), the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment.

Respectfully submitted,

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Concurrence.

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