

## RESOLUTION 17-12

### A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARY ESTHER, FLORIDA PROVIDING FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA TREATMENT CENTERS; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER CLAUSE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

*WHEREAS*, the City's Comprehensive Fee and Fine Schedule establishes revenue and guidelines and a fee and schedule;

*WHEREAS*, City Ordinance 2017-09 establishes Medical Marijuana Treatment Centers to operate within the Limited Commercial (C-1) zoning district of the City and creates an entirely new chapter within the City's Code of Ordinances to describe and define said centers;

*WHEREAS*, City Council has determined that such Medical Marijuana Treatment Centers are a viable and necessary business to serve the medical needs of the community and to operate within its jurisdictional limits.

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED*, that the City Council of the City of Mary Esther, Florida, hereby amends its Comprehensive Fees, Fines and Revenues schedule to include medical marijuana treatment centers for the purposes of Business Tax Receipts as follows:

*NOTE: Language contained within this ordinance that is ~~struck through~~ is proposed to be deleted, language which is underlined is proposed to be added, and \*\*\*\* denotes a section or sections of the existing Code that have been omitted and are to remain unchanged.*

Section 1. Authority. Authority for enactment of this Resolution is Section 166.021, Florida Statutes.

Section 2. Repealer Clause. All sections or parts of sections of any City of Mary Esther's Ordinances or parts of Ordinances and any City of Mary Esther Resolutions or parts of Resolutions, and any City of Mary Esther's policies or parts of policies, which are in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

#### Section 3. BUSINESS TAX RECEIPTS

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**16** **Retail and Wholesale Outlets**, consisting of, but not limited to, persons, firms or corporations, selling or renting assorted goods, appliances, automobiles, baked goods, candies, boats, trailers, wares, or merchandise at the retail or wholesale level or providing a specific service from a fixed place of business within the city, such as—Appliance and home furnishings; automobile parts and supplies; building and construction supplies; cosmetics; jewelry; clothing stores, convenience stores, to include selling of gasoline and motor oils in conjunction therewith; department stores; drug stores selling merchandise and wares in addition to prescription drugs; dry goods; electronic equipment, parts and supplies; office equipment, computers, computer programs, parts and supplies, grocers; hardware stores; furniture and supplies, garden and nursery; medical marijuana treatment centers, pet and pet

supply sales outlets other than animal shelters; recreational vehicles; video sales and rentals, and any other retail or wholesale merchandising outlet of like character to include repairs and maintenance.

Business taxes are to be based on sales from the preceding year. Gross sales shall be determined by the amount declared in income tax returns to the U.S. Government, at the end of the calendar or fiscal year preceding the application for business tax receipt:

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(b) The following tax schedule shall apply in determining the amount to be charged for each local business tax receipt:

<u>Gross Sales</u>	<u>Local Business Tax</u>
\$ 0 to 25,000 (minimum) .....	\$25.00
25,001 to 50,000.99 .....	\$40.00
50,001 to 100,000.99 .....	\$80.00
100,001 to 200,000.99.....	\$150.00
200,001 to 300,000.99.....	\$275.00
300,001 to 600,000.99.....	\$550.00
600,001 to 1,000,000.99.....	\$950.00
1,000,001 to 1,500,000.99.....	\$1,200.00
1,500,001 to 3,000,000.99.....	\$1,950.00
3,000,001 to 6,000,000.99.....	\$3,000.00
6,000,001 to 10,000,000.99.....	\$4,500.00
10,000,001 to 15,000,000.99.....	\$6,000.00
15,000,001 and over .....	\$7,000.00

Section 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval by the City Council and signature by the Mayor.

SO DONE THIS 4<sup>th</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2017.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

*Chris Stein*

*Chris Stein, Mayor*

ATTEST:

*Dana L.S. Williams*

Dana L.S. Williams, CMC  
City Clerk

