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The City Council approved a municipal ordinance in 2019 permitting the consideration of, and regulating consumption lounges. We did have public meetings and workshops and feel we have a strong code. The proposed regulations we are speaking about today help to strengthen our code with some minor changes we will need to make once these regulation pass. We do have few areas of interest we'd like to address with CCB Staff:

- 1) Section 15.030 (1) –
 - a. Hemp regulation. It appears that hemp is being explicitly introduced as a product for sale by the CCB regulations for the first time, and if the CCB is going to explicitly allow for hemp to be sold at a regulated lounge, then the CCB may want to consider testing and labeling requirements for the hemp being sold at a regulated lounge. The City has received some constituent complaints about buying hemp when they thought it was marijuana, so maybe if we are going to allow industrial hemp products then it should be regulated to protect the consumer from fraud. Today, there are no regulations to ensure that the industrial hemp products being sold have been tested and are under the THC requirement to keep it from being categorized as cannabis.
- 2) Section 15.030 (3) disallows the sales of nicotine products. We feel this then leads to the question about vaping products. If the products don't contain nicotine or cannabis, is the state restricting all other vaping products? There are "vaping juices" that are also not regulated and we are unsure as to what is in them.
- 3) Section 15.015 (3) (d) requires that unconsumed cannabis products must be destroyed. We would like it to be made clear that either by an approved disposal plan or a state regulated method is used. The concern we have here is opportunity for the diversion of the unconsumed products.

The City is happy to answer questions or work with the board.

Thank you for your time.

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