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To: Winslow Town Council

From: Winslow Planning Board

Date: June 21, 2023

RE: Proposal to amend the primary use in the Industrial District to include recreational marijuana facilities

Esteemed Councilors,

The Winslow Planning Board considered the request to amend the principal uses in the Industrial District to include adult-use recreational marijuana facilities at our June 21, 2023 public meeting. Mark Ward and Larry Desmond were not in attendance and so abstained from voting.

The Planning Board is issuing an "Ought to Pass" recommendation on this zoning change by a 4 to 1 vote with Christopher Dawe being the sole 'no' vote. The basis for this recommendation is that medical marijuana facilities are listed as a primary use in the Industrial District, making it the logical zone for adult-use recreational marijuana to be incorporated.

Sincerely,

Gary Owen, Planning Board Chair