

## Cannabis Control Board Meeting Minutes – June 24, 2021

Chair calls to order meeting at 9:32am. Board members in attendance:

- James Pepper, Chair
- Julie Hulburd
- Kyle Harris

Minutes recorded by Nellie Marvel, Program Technician.

Administrative details: Chair Pepper highlights the physical meeting space for the CCB space, noting the end of the COVID-19 state of emergency. He also notes that the Board is hiring an Administrative Services Manager, and how one can go about applying.

The Chair asks for a motion to approve the minutes from the 6/17 meeting. Hulburd moves, Harris seconds. Vote is 3-0-0 to approve the minutes.

The Board then holds a discussion and hears an overview of the Vermont medical cannabis use market from two representatives of the Vermont Cannabis Trade Association – Virginia Renfrew and Meg D’Elia. The Chair opens the floor for public comment. Members of the public submit comment via Microsoft Teams and phone.

After public comment, the Board hears from patients and caregivers on their experiences in the medical-use market: Amelia Macchia, Meredith Mann, Eric St. Croix, and Jessilyn Dolan. After a discussion, the Board again takes public comment through Microsoft Teams and phone.

At 12:15pm, the Board breaks for lunch. They reconvene at 1pm to hear an update from Jim Romanoff and Dr. Joe McSherry of the Marijuana for Symptom Relief Oversight Committee. The Board takes public comment at 2pm via Microsoft Teams and phone.

At 2:20pm, Chair Pepper asks for a motion to adjourn. Member Hulburd moves, Harris seconds. Vote is 3-0-0 to adjourn.