

Cannabis Control Board Meeting Minutes – October 12, 2022

Chair calls the meeting to order at 1:00pm. Board members in attendance:

- James Pepper, Chair
- Julie Hulburd
- Kyle Harris

Minutes recorded by Nellie Marvel.

Administrative Notes: The Board is aware of login issues to the CCB's application portal and is working to address them. Applicants with questions or concerns in the meantime should email CCB.Applications@vermont.gov. The Chair outlines the parameters for contacting Board staff, and reiterates that applicants should refrain from contacting Board members directly.

The Chair entertains a motion to adopt the minutes from October 6. Hulburd moves, Harris seconds. Vote is 3-0-0 to adopt the minutes.

Brynn Hare then provides the staff recommendations for license approval, as well as updates the Board on medical program statistics. She also presents the staff recommendations for social equity status.

Chair Pepper entertains a motion to adopt the register as presented. Hulburd moves, Harris seconds. Vote is 3-0-0 to adopt the register.

The Chair opens the floor to public comment at 1:15pm. Members of the public submit comment via Microsoft Teams and phone. The Chair closes public comment at 1:22pm and adjourns the meeting.

Video recording of October 12 Meeting:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kXRjGrJUGvI>

Medical Cannabis Program

10/5/22 - 10/12/22

New Patient Applications Received	Patient Renewal Applications Received	Patient Cards Issued	New Caregiver Applications Received	Caregiver Renewal Applications Received	Caregiver Applications Approved	Dispensary Employee Cards Issued
39	58	64	3	5	5	2

- Medical staff currently processing applications received on and after 9/19/2022

License Applications (as of 10/12/22)

Applying For	Submitted	Received	Under Review	Incomplete	Re-Submitted	Pending CCB Review	Approved	Issued	Withdrawn	Dismissed	Total
Employee ID Card	5	13	1	137	26	0	0	15	19	2	218
Indoor Cultivator Tier 1 Small Cultivator	2	0	1	13	5	1	15	38	3	2	80
Indoor Cultivator Tier 2	0	0	0	6	3	0	1	2	4	0	16
Indoor Cultivator Tier 3	0	0	0	4	1	1	1	3	1	0	11
Indoor Cultivator Tier 4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Indoor Cultivator Tier 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Integrated Licenses	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	3
Manufacturers Tier 1	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	7
Manufacturers Tier 2	0	1	5	8	8	1	3	4	2	0	32
Manufacturers Tier 3	0	0	1	2	2	0	2	0	1	1	9
Mixed Cultivator Tier 1 Small Cultivator	0	0	0	7	6	0	21	38	12	3	87
Mixed Cultivator Tier 2	0	0	1	1	1	0	6	3	1	0	13
Mixed Cultivator Tier 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	4
Mixed Cultivator Tier 4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Mixed Cultivator Tier 4 Renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Mixed Cultivator Tier 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Outdoor Cultivator Tier 1 Small Cultivator	0	0	0	7	4	0	11	67	10	7	106
Outdoor Cultivator Tier 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	9	3	2	22
Outdoor Cultivator Tier 3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	6
Outdoor Cultivator Tier 4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	7
Outdoor Cultivator Tier 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	4
Retailers	1	0	1	16	15	4	1	3	0	1	42
Testing Labs	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	5
Wholesalers	0	0	1	1	1	0	4	2	1	1	11
Total	9	14	14	206	76	7	77	202	60	25	690

Staff Recommendations for a Cannabis Establishment License

The following applicants have demonstrated compliance with all requirements for their license contained in CCB Rules 1.4 and 1.5 and 7 V.S.A. chapter 33.

Submission #	Business Name	Applying For	City	Priority Status
S-000000462	ForbinsFinest,LLC	Indoor Cultivator Tier 3	Barre	Social Equity
S-000000691	Cognizant Sparks, LLC DBA Homegrown Health	Indoor Cultivator Tier 1 Small Cultivator	Orange	Social Equity
S-000000905	GROW. by MJ Cultivators, LLC	Manufacturer Tier 2	Isle LaMotte	Economic Empowerment
S-000001172	Gram Central, LLC	Retailer	Montpelier	Standard
S-000001178	GB LLC dba 9th State Cannabis	Retailer	North Ferrisburgh	Standard
S-000001185	Lamoille County Cannabis, LLC	Retailer	Morrisville	Standard
S-000001294	The Green Man, LLC	Retailer	Saint Johnsbury Center	Standard
Total		7		

License Amendments (as of 10/12/22)

Applying For	Issued	Dismissed	Total
Mixed Cultivator Tier 1 Small Cultivator Amendment	3	6	9
Outdoor Cultivator Tier 1 Small Cultivator Amendment	3	0	3
Total	6	6	12

Submission Status of Social Equity Applications (as of 10/12/22)

Application Status:	Submitted	Received	Under Review	Incomplete	Re-Submitted	Pending Board Review	Approved	Issued	Withdrawn	Dismissed	Total
Social Equity	1	3	3	13	8	3	21	41	12	9	114

Social Equity Status Determination Pending (as of 10/12/22)

Status	Number
Received	1
Incomplete	4
Under Review	1
Pending CCB Review	1
Re-Submitted	4
Total	11