

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, OREGON

ORDINANCE # 472

Relating to medical marijuana facilities; creating new provisions; and declaring an emergency.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners ordains as follows:

SECTION 1.

Temporary Moratorium on Medical Marijuana Facilities; Study

(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of the Lincoln County Code, no medical marijuana facility under ORS 475.314 and OAR Chapter 333, Division 008, shall be authorized, established or operated within the unincorporated areas of Lincoln County.

(2) Lincoln County will engage in a process to determine whether or not to prohibit or to regulate or restrict medical marijuana facilities in accordance with its authority under ORS 475.314, 2014 and Oregon Senate Bill 1531. That process will be completed no later than December 31, 2014.

SECTION 2.

Emergency; Repeal; Codification

(1) This Ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist and this Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

(2) The purposes of this Ordinance are temporary, and therefore this Ordinance is repealed on December 31, 2014.

(3) The Board of Commissioners may, through enactment of an additional Ordinance, implement its decisions made under subsection (2) of Section 1 of this Ordinance, or dissolve or extend this Ordinance.


(4) Since this Ordinance is temporary, County Counsel does not need to codify this Ordinance in the Lincoln County Code.

DATED this 26th day of February, 2014.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


TERRY N. THOMPSON, Chair


DOUG HUNT, Commissioner


BILL HALL, Commissioner

ATTESTED TO:


Kim Herring, Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Wayne Belmont, County Counsel