

TOWN OF PINETOP-LAKESIDE

ORDINANCE NO. 14-381

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PINETOP-LAKESIDE AMENDING TOWN CODE CHAPTER 17.102 "MEDICAL MARIJUANA," SECTION 17.102.010 "PURPOSE."

WHEREAS, the voters of the State of Arizona in 2010 approved Proposition 203 which was an Initiative adding to Title 36 "Public Health and Safety," Chapter 28.1 "Arizona Medical Marijuana Act" (A.R.S. § 36-2801 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Medical Marijuana Act allows local land use regulations relative to the growing, refining, and distribution of marijuana; and

WHEREAS, the Town by Ordinance 11-346 adopted Chapter 17.102 "Medical Marijuana" to which staff and the Planning and Zoning Commission has recommended amendment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, the Mayor and Town Council approve and adopt the amendment to Section 17.102.010 "Purpose," of Chapter 17.102 "Medical Marijuana" by designating the current language as Subsection "A" and adding new Subsection "B" to read as set forth below:

17.102.010 Purpose.

A. The purpose of these regulations is to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens and visitors of the Town of Pinetop-Lakeside by enacting reasonable zoning regulations that limit the use of land for medical marijuana dispensaries, medical marijuana infusion (manufacturing) facilities, and medical marijuana cultivation in accordance with the Arizona Medical Marijuana Act, A.R.S. Title 36, Chapter 28.1.

B. The provisions of this Chapter are generally intended to apply to a licensed and regulated "medical marijuana" activity under current Title 36 Chapter 28.1 "Medical Marijuana Act". The provisions of this Chapter will also apply to any other person or entity that is selling, distributing, transmitting, giving, dispensing, cultivating, infusing, and manufacturing marijuana; or otherwise involved in similar activities with marijuana or marijuana products to the public or others.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Pinetop-Lakeside, Arizona, this 20th day of March 2014.

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ROGER WILLIAMS, Mayor