

Aurora Marijuana Informational Bulletin

This is the inaugural City of Aurora Marijuana Licensee informational bulletin. As a contact with a marijuana license, we have automatically signed you up for these bulletins. There is an unsubscribe option at the bottom of this email if you do not want to receive these. If you know of others that would benefit from subscribing, please forward them this link:

<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/fEhdOyy/marijuana>

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Updated Aurora Marijuana Rules and Regulations

Updated Aurora Marijuana Rules and Regulations have been posted on the city's website here:

Forms, Regulations and Publications

The rules and regulations were reduced from 42 pages to 16 pages by removing outdated processes and items that duplicated state rules, statutes or city ordinance. There will be a public hearing on the rules on May 11th at 10:00am via webex. Email marijuana@auroragov.org for a webex invite to the meeting. Alternatively the call in number for the meeting is 1-408-418-9388 access code 249 357 39852. You are also welcome to email comments on the rules to Marijuana@auroragov.org.

Also, the website is recently updated and includes new forms. We have been working diligently to reduce the information required on city forms and to rely more not only on information on state forms but also state processes when possible. The website can be found at auroragov.org/marijuana.

Other Aurora Newsletters

The city also has several other newsletters that you may be interested in that you can sign up for at the following links:

https://www.auroragov.org/city_hall/media___news_updates/newsletters

and one specifically for businesses at

<https://www.AuroraGov.org/BusinessEmails>.

Red Tape Reduction Committee Wants to Hear From You

The Aurora City Council's Red Tape Reduction Committee wants to hear about your experiences working through the city's development planning, permitting, licensing and other business-related processes. Your input will help guide the committee, City Council and staff in analyzing opportunities for improvement or changes necessary to allow Aurora

businesses to thrive and to ensure policies support the community as a whole.

There will be at least three public hearings for businesses, community groups and others to share their opinions, as well as an online feedback opportunity.

In order to ensure everyone has a chance to be heard, advance sign-up is required to speak at the public hearings:

- 6 p.m. Wednesday, April 20 - [Sign up to speak](#)

At this time, the public hearings are scheduled to be virtual events. Anonymous comments are welcome as well.

Reduction in Video Surveillance Retention Time

The updated regulations including reducing the video surveillance retention requirements to 40 days in alignment with the state requirement. This change is effective immediately. We still have a requirement for offsite video storage.

Holding Special Events

If you plan to host any special events, make sure to obtain [temporary use permit](#) from the city. The city does not allow for marijuana consumption in public and does not permit marijuana social lounges or membership clubs. Note that any event that is advertised to the general public is considered to be open to the public.

Reorganization of Aurora Licensing

To improve deployment of resources there has been a reorganization of the divisions within the Finance Department. The Aurora Marijuana Enforcement Division will no longer exist. Licensing is combined into a single division within Finance. The Tax Division was separated from licensing and is now a separate division of Finance. Trevor Vaughn is the manager of the Licensing Division and is happy to work with all of you.