



# PORTAGE

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**TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE CITY OF PORTAGE AND ALL INTERESTED PERSONS.**

The City of Portage Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on the following proposed ordinance amendment at the meeting on **Thursday, January 4, 2018** in the Council Chambers of Portage City Hall, 7900 South Westnedge Avenue at 7:00 p.m. (or as soon thereafter as may be heard) on the following:

Ordinance Amendment #17/18-A: Ordinance to amend Chapter 42, Article 4: Division 4, Subdivision 6, Business Districts; Division 4, Subdivision 7, Industrial Districts; and Division 3, General Provisions. In summary, the amendment proposes to allow medical marihuana provisioning centers in the B-3, general business zoning district subject to conditions; medical marihuana growers, processors, safety compliance, and secure transporter facilities in the I-1, light industrial and I-2, heavy industrial zoning districts; and prohibit nuisances associated with medical marihuana home occupations that may negatively impact surrounding property.

All interested persons are welcome to attend the public hearing and comment on the proposed ordinance amendment. Written comments may also be submitted to the Department of Community Development prior to 12:00 noon the day of the public hearing. A copy of the proposed ordinance amendment is available for review between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday in the Department of Community Development, Portage City Hall, 7900 South Westnedge Avenue, Portage, Michigan, 49002. Contact the Department of Community Development at 329-4477 for additional customer assistance.

Dated: Sunday, December 17, 2017