

**ORDINANCE NO. 17-07**  
**ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE ESTABLISHMENT OR LOCATION OF**  
**MARIJUANA FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF MADEIRA**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Madeira is a Chartered Municipality in the State of Ohio;

**WHEREAS**, City Council desires to minimize adverse effects of medical marijuana facilities on the public; and

**WHEREAS**, City Council also desires to mitigate potential adverse impacts resulting from the location of medical marijuana facilities within the City of Madeira.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** *Purpose.* Pursuant to R.C. 3796.29 and as is set forth hereinafter, City Council desires to prohibit the establishment or location of medical marijuana facilities within the City of Madeira where medical marijuana may be cultivated, processed, or dispensed.

**Section 2.** *Definitions.* For purposes of this Ordinance, the following definitions shall apply:

- (A) **Medical Marijuana** shall have the meaning set forth in the Ohio Revised Code.
- (B) **Medical Marijuana Facility** shall mean a facility containing any one or more of the following uses: medical marijuana dispensary; medical marijuana processing; or medical marijuana cultivation.
- (C) **Medical Marijuana Dispensary** shall mean any entity that sells, distributes, transmits, gives, dispenses, or otherwise provides medical marijuana to qualifying patients.
- (D) **Medical Marijuana Cultivation** shall mean the process by which a person grows a marijuana plant.
- (E) **Medical Marijuana Processing** shall mean the process by which a person incorporates medical marijuana (cannabis) by means of cooking, blending, or incorporation into consumable/edible goods.

**Section 3.** *Prohibition.* Subject to the express exclusions set forth in R.C. 3796.29 pertaining to the limiting of research related to marijuana conducted at a state university, academic medical center, or private research and development organization as part of a research protocol approved by an institutional review board or equivalent entity, no Medical Marijuana Facilities shall established or located within the City of Madeira.

