

General Discussion: July 18, 2017

8:00 a.m. – BCC Conference Room

Commissioners Simon G. Hare, Lily N. Morgan (arrived at 8:05 a.m.) and Daniel E. DeYoung; Wendy Watkins, Recorder

Chair Simon G. Hare called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

1. Order No. 2017-034; In the Matter of Authorizing the Josephine County Community Development (Planning) Director to Initiate a Land Use Application to Amend the Rural Land Development Code to Provide for Regulation to Prohibit Marijuana Production in Rural Residential Zones; and Suspending Processing of Requests for Land Use Compatibility Statements (LUCS) Submitted for all Rural Residential Zones

Commissioner Hare mentioned, based on the voters results of Ballot Measure 17-81, the Board should listen to the people and move this forward. Commissioner DeYoung advised he does not want to ignore the 65% who voted, and noted it is not the recreational grows that are the problem, it is the medical grows. Julie Schmelzer, Community Development Director, advised this order starts the process to draft the code and in three months will be the first reading of the ordinance.

Commissioner Hare left the meeting at 8:20 a.m. to attend another meeting in Jacksonville, OR.

Commissioner Morgan would like to change the verbiage in item number 2. The Board has agreed to change the title in Order No. 2017-034 and amend item number 2 to read “Potential regulation shall include all OLCC regulated marijuana, or marijuana produced for strictly personal use”.

2. Other (*ORS 192.640(1)* “. . . notice shall include a list of the principal subjects anticipated to be considered at the meeting, but this requirement shall not limit the ability of a governing body to consider additional subjects”.)

None heard.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 a.m.