

Ordinance

No. 2-2024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 3-2023 OF THE BOROUGH OF WESTVILLE ESTABLISHING A NEW CHAPTER OF THE CODE BOOK OF THE BOROUGH OF WESTVILLE ENTITLED "CANNABIS ESTABLISHMENTS"

WHEREAS, the Borough of Westville had previously adopted Ordinance No. 3-2023 on May 22, 2023; and

WHEREAS, within the said Ordinance "Whereas" clauses, the Borough approved language which read as follows:

"WHEREAS, the Borough of Westville seeks to regulate the legalized marijuana market and industry by prohibiting the retail sale or delivery of cannabis within the Borough of Westville Class 5 Cannabis Retailer and/or Class 6 Cannabis Delivery, obtaining and selling cannabis items for later resale to other licensed businesses (Class 3 Cannabis Wholesaler) and transporting cannabis from one licensed business to another licensed business (Class 4 Cannabis Distributor), and permitting the growing and cultivation of cannabis (Class 1 Cannabis Cultivator), and manufacturing, preparation and packaging of cannabis items (Class 2 Cannabis Manufacturer), within the I-4 Light Industrial District."; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has decided to permit Class 3 (Cannabis Wholesaler License) and Class 4 (Cannabis Distributor License) within the Borough of Westville I-4 Light Industrial District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Westville, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey, that the governing body does hereby amend Ordinance No. 3-2023 entitled "Cannabis Establishments" above "WHERAS" clause to now permit Class 3 (Cannabis Wholesaler License) and Class 4 (Cannabis Distributor License) within the I-4 Light Industrial District.

Section 2. Repealer

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies.

Section 3. Severability:

Each section of this Ordinance is an independent section, and the holding of any section or part thereof to be unconstitutional, void or ineffective, shall not be deemed to affect the validity or constitutionality of any other sections or parts hereof.

Section 4. Effective date:

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and any publication as may be required by law.

Introduced: February 26, 2024

Adopted: March 25, 2024

BOROUGH OF WESTVILLE

**Fritz H. Sims, Jr.
MAYOR**

ATTEST:

**Kathleen Carroll
DEPUTY MUNICIPAL CLERK**