

RESOLUTION G2024-46

**A RESOLUTION RESCINDING THE PROHIBITION ON MEDICAL MARIJUANA
DISPENSARIES WITHIN THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF SYMMESTOWNSHIP,
HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO**

WHEREAS, in 2016, Chapter 3796 of the Ohio Revised Code was adopted granting the authority to township boards of trustees to prohibit, or limit the number of, cultivators, processors, or retail dispensaries of medical marijuana; and

WHEREAS, shortly thereafter, the Symmes Township Board of Trustees adopted a resolution prohibiting cultivators, processors, or retail dispensaries of medical marijuana within the unincorporated area of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Township Trustees finds it in the best interest of the Township to limit medical marijuana dispensaries in the same manner as adult-use cannabis operators licensed under R.C. Chapter 3780 within the unincorporated area of the Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio, ____ members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That all terms used in this resolution shall be defined in the same manner as R.C. Chapter 3796 as it pertains to medical marijuana retail dispensaries.

Section 2. That the previously adopted prohibition upon medical marijuana retail dispensaries is hereby rescinded, and medical marijuana retail dispensaries are hereby limited to no more than one (1) operating within the unincorporated area of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio.

Section 3. That the Trustees of Symmes Township upon a majority vote do hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days, and hereby authorize the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading.

Section 4. That it is hereby determined that all formal actions of the Board of Trustees relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of

the Board of Township Trustees and that all deliberations of such Board of Trustees were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

ADOPTED THIS 2nd DAY OF APRIL, 2024

MS. LEIS _____ MR. BRYANT _____ MR. BECK _____

Jodie L. Leis, President

Kenneth N. Bryant, Vice President

Phillip J. Beck, Trustee

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Joseph C. Grossi, Fiscal Officer

Jeff Forbes, Law Director