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**CITY OF MASON  
ORDINANCE NO. 223**

**AMEND CHAPTER 10 BY ADDING ARTICLE IV. "MARIHUANA ESTABLISHMENTS" AND SECTION 10-70, "PROHIBITION OF MARIHUANA ESTABLISHMENTS"**

THE CITY OF MASON ORDAINS

To amend the Mason City Code by adding a new article and section that shall be designated as Article IV, Section 10-80 of Chapter 10, "Businesses" of the Code of Ordinances to read as follows:

**Article IV. Marihuana Establishments**

**Sec. 10-80. Prohibition of Marihuana Establishments.**

(A) Pursuant to the provisions of Section 6.1 of the Michigan Regulation and Taxation of Marihuana Act (the "Act"), marihuana establishments, as defined by the Act, are completely prohibited within the boundaries of the City of Mason.

(B) Any applicant for a state or local license to establish a marihuana establishment, as defined by the Act, within the boundaries of the City shall be deemed to be not in compliance with this Ordinance or with the Code of Ordinances amended by this Ordinance.

(C) This section does not supersede rights and obligations with respect to the transportation of marihuana through the City to the extent provided by the Act, and does not supersede rights and obligations under the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act, the Medical Marihuana Licensing Act, 2016 PA 281, or any other law of the State of Michigan allowing for or regulating marihuana for medical use.

**Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become effective 20 days after adoption and upon publication.

The foregoing Ordinance was moved for adoption by Council Member \_\_\_\_\_ and supported by Council Member \_\_\_\_\_, with a vote thereon being: YES ( ) NO ( ), at a regular meeting of the City Council held pursuant to public notice in compliance with the Michigan Open Meetings Act, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

Ordinance No. 223 declared adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

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