

**ORDINANCE 853 -AMENDING
CHAPTER 355 – CANNABINOID PRODUCTS**

355.01 Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to establish licensing regulations for the sale of cannabinoid products derived from hemp as provided in Minn. Stat. § 151.72.

355.02 Application of Chapter. The provisions of Chapter 355 shall apply regarding the need to regulate, license, and inspect establishments that sell certain cannabinoid products.

355.03 Definitions

- (A) “Cannabinoid product” means any product containing nonintoxicating cannabinoids extracted from hemp, including an edible cannabinoid product, that is sold for human or animal consumption.
- (B) “Certified hemp” means the definition for the same provided in Minn. Stat. § 151.72, Subd. 1(b), as may be amended.
- (C) “Compliance checks” means the system the City uses to investigate and ensure that those authorized to sell cannabinoid products are following and complying with the requirements of state laws and this ordinance. Compliance checks involve the use of persons under the age of 21 who purchase or attempt to purchase cannabinoid products. Compliance checks may also be conducted by the City or other units of government for educational, research, and training purposes or for investigating or enforcing federal, state, or local laws and regulations relating to cannabinoid products.
- (D) “Moveable place of business” means any form of business that is operated out of a kiosk, truck, van, automobile or other type of vehicle or transportable shelter and that is not a fixed address or other permanent type of structure licensed for over-the-counter sales transactions.
- (E) “Retail establishment” means any fixed place of business where cannabinoid products are available for sale to the general public. Retail establishment for purposes of this ordinance does not include ~~exclusive liquor stores or~~ residences.
- (F) "Operator" means the person in legal possession and control of a location by reason of ownership, lease, contract or agreement, for the sale of cannabinoid products at retail.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect upon its summary publication in the City’s official newspaper. Said publication shall read as follows:

Ordinance # 853 amends Chapter 355 in regard to Cannabinoid Product sales. A copy of the full ordinance is available for review at City Hall.

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ADOPTED by the City Council this 27th day of June, 2024

Thom Walker; Mayor

ATTEST:

Shawna Jenkins Tadych; City Clerk