

CITY OF HAMILTON

MOTION

Council: May 10, 2017

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR J. FARR.....

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR

AUTHORITY TO ENACT A RADIAL SEPARATION BY-LAW

WHEREAS illegal marijuana dispensaries have been opening and operating in Hamilton prior to regulation on distribution by the province;

WHEREAS in some areas of our city , there is already a clear over -concentration of marijuana dispensaries; and

WHEREAS the City of Hamilton has the authority to enact a radial separation by-law for certain businesses, but are unable to do so without said business being legal.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

That the appropriate staff from Planning and Economic Development begin conducting research now and undertake any necessary draft policy measures that will ensure that in the event provincial marijuana distribution regulation permits these businesses to operate legally, a City of Hamilton Radial Separation by-law can be immediately implemented.