CITY OF CORDOVA, ALASKA
INITIATED ORDINANCE 1167

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA VIA THE PUBLIC INITIATIVE PROCESS AMENDING CORDOVA MUNICIPAL CODE 8.04.020 TO PROHIBIT THE OPERATION OF MARIJUANA CULTIVATION FACILITIES, MARIJUANA PRODUCT MANUFACTURING FACILITIES, MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITIES, AND RETAIL MARIJUANA STORES IN THE CITY OF CORDOVA

WHEREAS, an initiative petition was found sufficient that sought to place before the voters the question of whether Cordova Municipal Code 8.04.020 should be amended to prohibit commercial marijuana facilities within the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF CORDOVA HEREBY ORDAIN that:

Section 1. Cordova Municipal Code 8.04.020 is amended to read as follows:

8.40.020-marijuana establishment operations- temporarily prohibited.

The operation of marijuana cultivation facilities, marijuana product manufacturing facilities, marijuana testing facilities, and retail marijuana stores in the city is prohibited until January 1, 2017.

Section 2. The City shall submit the following proposition to the qualified voters of the City at the special election to be held in the City on May 15, 2018. The proposition must receive an affirmative vote from a majority of the qualified voters voting on the question to be approved.

PROPOSITION NO. 3

Shall the Cordova City Code Chapter 8.40.020-Marijuana establishment operations- temporarily prohibited be amended to be prohibited?

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Section 3. The proposition, both for paper ballots and machine ballots, shall be printed on a ballot which may set forth other propositions, and the following words shall be added as appropriate and next to rectangles provided for marking the ballot for voting by hand or machine:

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Yes ☐
No ☐

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective only if Proposition No. 3 is approved by a majority of those qualified to vote and voting on the proposition in the Special City election on May 15, 2018.

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Susan Bourgeois, CMC, City Clerk