

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-04-01-001

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES, CULTIVATORS, AND PROCESSORS WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF WAYNE LAKES, OHIO

WHEREAS, the voters of the State of Ohio passed State Issue 2 in the November 2023 general election authorizing the Adult Recreational Use of Marijuana; and

WHEREAS, to implement State Issue 2 the Ohio Legislature adopted Chapter 3780 of the Ohio Revised Code pertaining to Adult Use Cannabis Control; and

WHEREAS, Revised Code Section 3780.25 authorizes municipal corporations to prohibit and/or limit the location of Adult Use dispensaries, cultivators, and processors of adult use marijuana within such municipal corporation limits; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Wayne Lakes believes it is in the best interest of its residents to prohibit Adult Use Recreational Marijuana Dispensaries, Cultivators and Processors within the Village of Wayne Lakes, Ohio.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Village of Wayne Lakes, State of Ohio:

Section One: The Village of Wayne Lakes does hereby prohibit the establishment of Adult Recreational Use Marijuana dispensaries, cultivators, and processors within the corporation limit of the Village of Wayne Lakes, Ohio.

Section Two: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effective at the earliest date permitted by law.

Passed this 16th day of May, 2025.

Linda Clark

Linda Clark, Mayor

ATTEST

Johna Wathen

Johna Wathen, Fiscal Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Paul Wagner

Paul Wagner, Village Solicitor