

## **Township of West Milford**

Passaic County, New Jersey

### **~ Resolution 2021 – 056 ~**

#### **RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC, STATE OF NEW JERSEY SUPPORTING CANNABIS BUSINESSES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD**

**WHEREAS**, the State of New Jersey will soon legalize the sale of recreational marijuana; and

**WHEREAS**, the legalization of marijuana for recreation use will likely spawn a significant industry throughout the State of New Jersey; and

**WHEREAS**, the newly created industry can provide substantial financial benefits to the Township of West Milford; and

**WHEREAS**, the new industry will create new employment opportunities through its four sectors of growers, processors, wholesalers and retailers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township of West Milford is in a position to benefit from all four sectors of the industry.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Council of the Township of West Milford welcomes the new industry.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Township Administrator shall take steps to promote the Township of West Milford as a welcoming location for such new businesses.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Township Administrator shall work collaboratively with those in the industry seeking to operate as a grower, processor, wholesaler and retailer within the Township.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Township Administrator shall take the necessary steps to ensure that the Township's Zoning Ordinance accounts for the needs of the new industry.

Adopted: January 20, 2021

Adopted this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021  
and certified as a true copy of an original.

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William Senande, Township Clerk