

**RAVENNA TOWNSHIP
DAKOTA COUNTY, MINNESOTA
Resolution No. 2023-03**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING SUMMARY LANGUAGE FOR PUBLICATION OF AN
INTERIM ORDINANCE PLACING A MORATORIUM ON CANNABIS BUSINESSES**

WHEREAS, on August 10, 2023 the Town Board of Ravenna Township adopted Ordinance No. 01-2023 “An Interim Ordinance Authorizing a Study and Imposing a Moratorium on the Operation of Cannabis Businesses” (“Ordinance”);

WHEREAS, it is not practical to publish the entire text of the Ordinance in the Town’s official newspaper;

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes, section 368.01, subdivision 21 allows the publication of a summary of an ordinance instead of publishing the entire ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board determines publication of a summary of the Ordinance is sufficient to clearly inform the public of the intent and effect of the Ordinance and where to access the full text of the Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board hereby determines to publish the following summary language, which is hereby approved, in lieu of publishing the full text of the Ordinance:

**RAVENNA TOWNSHIP
DAKOTA COUNTY, MINNESOTA
Ordinance No. 01-2023**

**AN INTERIM ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A STUDY AND IMPOSING
A MORATORIUM ON THE OPERATION OF CANNABIS BUSINESSES**

On August 10, 2023 the Town Board of Ravenna Township adopted the above-referenced interim ordinance authorizing a study and imposing a moratorium on the establishment or operation of a cannabis business as defined in Minn. Stat. § 342.01, subd. 14. The ordinance is expressly authorized by Minn. Stat. § 342.13(e), is effective immediately, and extends until January 1, 2025 unless it is terminated earlier. A copy of the full ordinance is in the ~~Lakeville~~ ^{Hastings} Public Library, the Dakota County law library, is posted on the Town’s website, and is available by contacting the Town Clerk-Treasurer.

Caroline Spurgeon, Clerk-Treasurer

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk-Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to:

- (1) Publish the approved summary language set out above once in the Town's official newspaper;
- (2) Maintain a copy of the full Ordinance in the office of the Town Clerk-Treasurer to make available for review by the public upon reasonable request;
- (3) Post a copy of the full Ordinance on the Town's website;
- (4) Place a copy of the full Ordinance at the Hastings Public Library;
- (5) Place a copy of the full Ordinance at the Dakota County Law Library; and
- (6) Place the Ordinance in the Town Ordinance Book within 20 days together with a copy of the affidavit of having published the approved summary language and a copy of this Resolution.

Upon being put to a vote,

The following supervisors voted in favor of said Resolution:

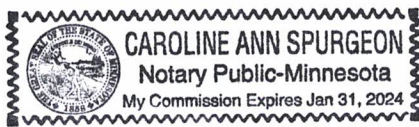
Paul Curtis: X Jeff Human: X Carl Reuter: X

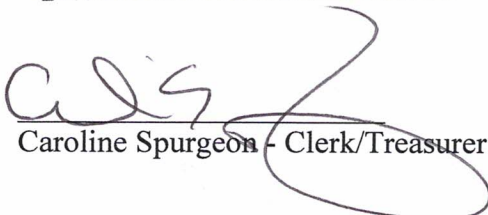
The following supervisors voted in opposition to said Resolution:

Paul Curtis: Jeff Human: Carl Reuter:

WHEREUPON, the Chairperson declared the Resolution to be duly passed on this 10th day of August 2023.


Attest:




Caroline Spurgeon - Clerk/Treasurer

Ravenna Township,
Dakota County, Minnesota

By: 
Paul Curtis, Town Board Supervisor

By: 
Jeff Human, Town Board Supervisor

By: 
Carl Reuter, Town Board Supervisor