

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF AMADOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO INITIATE)
PROCEEDINGS TO AMEND THE AMADOR)
COUNTY CODE AS IT RELATES TO INDOOR)
MEDICAL MARIJUANA CULTIVATION)

RESOLUTION NO. 14-092

WHEREAS, the Amador County Board of Supervisors finds that Amador County has no explicit rules or regulations governing the cultivation of medical marijuana grown anywhere other than "outdoor;" and

WHEREAS, the potential has arisen for an extremely large and unregulated indoor medical marijuana cultivation facility to locate near a populated area of the unincorporated County, and

WHEREAS, in Amador County and elsewhere in the region, violent crime has been associated with medical marijuana cultivation due to the size and monetary value;

WHEREAS, medical marijuana cultivation, without certain safeguards, increases the risk of criminal activity, degradation of the natural environment and malodorous smells, particularly if substantial amounts of medical marijuana are concentrated in one place.

WHEREAS, the Amador County Board of Supervisors finds that regulations are necessary to address the location and manner in which medical marijuana may be cultivated indoors in order to protect the public's health, safety, and welfare;


BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California, that a Resolution of Intention to initiate proceedings to consider amending Amador County Code to include regulations pertaining to indoor medical marijuana cultivation.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 26th day of August, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: Theodore F. Novelli, Brian Oneto, John Plasse, Louis D. Boitano and
Richard M. Forster
NOES: None
ABSENT: None


Theodore F. Novelli, Chairman

ATTEST:
JENNIFER BURNS, Clerk of the
Board of Supervisors, Amador County,
California


Deputy