

**A RESOLUTION PROHIBITING THE ISSUANCE )  
OF A BUSINESS REGISTRATION FOR )  
MEDICAL MARIJUANA CLINIC AND RETAIL )  
SALES OF MARIJUANA. )**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2015-16**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Lebanon has enacted a Business Registration program pursuant to provisions in Municipal Code Chapter 5.02; and

**WHEREAS**, Municipal Code Section 5.02.030 requires any person operating or carrying on a business as defined by Municipal Code Section 5.02.020 must register the business; and

**WHEREAS**, provisions in Municipal Code Section 5.02.010.D prohibits the operation of a business to the extent it is deemed to be unlawful by the laws of the United States, the state of Oregon or the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Oregon allows for the dispensing of marijuana for medical purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, voters of the State of Oregon approved Ballot Measure 91 allowing for the possession, use and retail sale of marijuana; and

**WHEREAS**, the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency classifies marijuana as a Schedule I drug and prohibits its possession and use; and

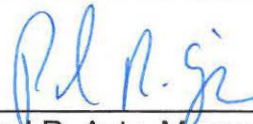
**WHEREAS**, nothing in Oregon law preempts the City of Lebanon from enforcing its own business registration system which prohibits granting a license to a business that will operate a business in violation of federal law.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:**

**Section 1.** The City shall prohibit the issuance of a business registration for the purpose of establishing a medical marijuana clinic and/or the retail sales of marijuana.

Passed by the Lebanon City Council and executed by the Mayor on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2015 by a vote of 4 yeas and 2 nays.

CITY OF LEBANON, OREGON



Paul R. Aziz, Mayor

Bob Elliott, Council President



ATTESTED BY:



Linda Kaser, City Clerk